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Melville, Capt. H., I.S.C., promn. of — to maj., approved	731		

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of 1897, 844; in g. g. o. No. 302 of 1897, 844; in g. g. o. No. 1061 of 1897, 931; in g. g. o. No. 1056 of 1897, 1045; in g. g. o. No. 1272 of 1897	1066	land or Australia will be reed. at the reserve treasuries at Calcutta, Madras, and Bombay in exchange for rupees fifteen and rupees seven and annas eight, respectively	835
Military Works Dept.:—Correction in g. g. o.'s Nos. 570 and 695 of 1897	687	Mir Alam Khan, dafadar, 17th regt. of Bengal cavy., granted medal	1127
Millar, Mr. T., asst. comr., Punjab, services of — replaced at displ. of the govt. of the Punjab	1138	Miran Bakhsh (salutri) dafadar, 16th regt. of Bengal cavy., granted medal	1127
Miller, Surgn.-Lt. A., I.M.S. (Madras), services of — replaced at displ. of milty. dept.	692	Miran Bakhsh, dafadar, 9th regt. of Bengal lancers, granted medal	1126
Miller, 2nd-Lt. H., from the unattd. list, admn. of — to I.S.C. as 2nd-Lt., approved	732	Mir Haidar Shah Khan, risaldar, 7th Bombay lancers, admttd. to 2nd class of Order of British India, with title of <i>Bahadur</i>	735
Mer, Mr. H., sub-engr., 3rd grade, milty. works dept., apptd. to provl. service of engr. branch of the p. w. d., as an asst. engr., 3rd grade, and posted to Bengal, 846; above apptt. cancelled	867	Mir Hassim Ali, comdt., 2nd regt., Hyderabad impl. service lancers, Hyderabad contgt., admttd. to 2nd class of Order of British India, with title of <i>Bahadur</i>	735
Mills, Lt. E. G., marine surv. of India, apptd. to be asst. survr., 3rd class	1172	Mir Inayat Ali, sowar, 2nd Bengal lancers, granted medal	1129
Milne, Surgn.-Capt. C., I.M.S. (Bengal), dates of services of — under the govt. of Bombay and in the foreign dept. on plague duty, under the govt. of the N.-W. P. and Oudh, under the govt. of the Punjab, and of his replacement at the displ. of the milty. dept.	850	Mir Jaffir Khan, kot-dafadar, 9th Bengal lancers, admttd. to 3rd class of Order of Merit	1171
Milne, Surgn.-Lt. C. J., M.B., C.M., I.M.S. (Bengal), services of — replaced at displ. of milty. dept.	954	Mir Kurban Ali, sepoy musician, 7th Bengal infy., granted medal	1129
Milne, Mr. J. S., to offe. in class V of enrolled list, acct. dept., 955; to offe. in class VI of do.	955	Mirulla Khan, private, 27th regt. of Madras infy., granted medal	1133
Milner, Surgn.-Lt. A. E., A.M.S., services of — replaced at displ. of milty. dept.	739	Mirza Ali Beg, Farrier-Salutri, No. 1 field batty., Hyderabad contgt., granted medal	1133
Milsom, Lt. B. P., Chittagong voltr. rifles, resigns his commn.	866	Mir Zahiruddin, Havildar, to be jemadar, 3rd or Palamcottah regt. of Madras (light) infy.	674
Milward, Cadet C. A., from the royal milty. college, apptd. to be 2nd-Lt. with a view to his apptt. to the I.S.C., 779; posted to Bombay comd.	855	Mirza Ibrahim Beg, subadar-maj., 3rd regt. of Bombay (light), infy., admttd. to 2nd class of Order of British India, with title of " <i>Bahadur</i> "	1005
Minahan, Lt. W. J., Allahabad voltr. rifles, promtd. to be capt.	781	Mirza Karim Beg, comdt., Bhopal impl. service lancers, Bengal comd., admttd. to 2nd class of Order of British India with title of " <i>Bahadur</i> "	735
Minchin, Lt. A. B., I.S.C., an offg. poll. asst., 3rd class, posted as asst. to readt. in Kashmir	1061	Mitchell, Mr. E. J., exe. engr., 3rd grade, p. w. d., promtd. to exe. engr., 2nd grade, permt.	858
Minchin, Capt. C. F., I.S.C., a poll. asst., 3rd class, posted as asst. poll. agent in Zhob, 955; to offe. as a poll. asst., 1st class, 1062; reverts to offg. poll. asst., 2nd class	1063	Mitchell, 2nd-Lt. J. C., E. I. ry. voltr. rifles, promtd. to be lt.	753
Minchin, Maj. H. D. M., I.S.C., cantt. magte. of Belgaum, granted extn. of furlo.	740	Mitchell, Mr. T., exe. engr., 1st grade, apptd. to offe. as engr.-in-chief of the Bezvada Madras ry., with rank of offg. supdg. engr., 3rd class	675
Minniken, Mr. G. G., depy. consvr. of forests, 1st grade, Punjab, apptd. to offe. as consvr., 3rd grade, and to be in charge of the Punjab forest circle, 590; revtd. to his substantive apptt. of depy. consvr., 1st grade	872	Mith Singh, niaak (The Queen's Own) corps of guides, granted medal	1128
Mints:—Manager or other prinl. offr. of the several offices and agencies in India of the mercantile bank of India, ld., authorised to cut or break silver coin under sec. 16 of Indian Coinage Act (XXIII of 1870), 864; resoln. by the govt. of India on the reports on the — and assay offices of Calcutta and Bombay for the year 1896-97, 913; proposals by France and the United States to reopen the — of those countries and of India to the unrestricted coinage of silver	965	Mitra, Mr. J. C., probnr. in office of acctt. genl., Madras, granted priv. leave, 919; to offe. in class VI of enrolled list, acct. dept.	1155
Mint:—Offra. in charge of milty. treasure chests authorised to cut or break silver coin under sec. 16 of Indian Coinage Act (XXIII of 1870), 730; sovereigns and half sovereigns of current weight coined at any authorised royal — in Eng-		Mitter, Surgn.-Capt. R. K., M.B., I.M.S. (Madras), services of — replaced temply. at displ. of milty. department	692
		Mitt Singh, risaldar, on probn., 2nd regt. of Bombay lancers, confirmed in that rank	628
		Mitt Singh, Risaldar, to be risaldar-maj., 2nd regt. of Bombay lancers	905
		Moberly, Cadet B. R., from the royal milty. college, apptd. to be 2nd-Lt. with a view to his apptt. to I.S.C., 779; posted to the Bengal comd.	855
		Mockler, Col. E., Bombay genl. list (infy.), a readt., 2nd class, and poll. readt. in Turkish Arabia, services of — replaced at displ. of milty. dept.	720
		Mohar Singh, sepoy, 20th (The Duke of Cambridge's Own, Punjab) regt. of Bengal infy., granted medal	1128
		Moir, Surgn.-Capt. D. M., M.B., C.M., I.M.S. (Bengal), services of — replaced temply. at displ. of milty. dept.	998

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Mole, Mr. P. C., depy. exmr. of accts., attd. to office of exmr., p. w. accts., N.-W. P. and Oudh, apptd. to offe. as govt. exmr. of accts., Indian Midland ry., in rank of exmr., class IV, 660; to be depy. exmr., class I (n. c.), tempy. rank, 785; to be depy. exmr., class I (n. c.), sub. <i>pro tem</i> , 785; to be depy. exmr., class I (n. c.) permt., 785; tempy. placed in charge of the accts. of state ry. stores	960	Morgan, Vety.-Capt. J. W. A., supdt., civil vety. dept., Bombay, granted priv. leave	852
Molesworth, Mr. W. G., asst. engr., 3rd grade, posted to Madras	994	Morin, Mr. A. H., apptd. of — to be 2nd-lt., infy., Indian army reserve of offrs., approved	732
Molloy, Maj. A. J., Bangalore rifle voltrs., supy. list, resigns his commn.	959	Morris, Lt. D. O., I.S.C., an asst. comr., 2nd class (offg. 1st) class, Berar commn., apptd. to offe. as a spl. asst. comr.	1142
Molloy, Lt. G. M., royal Irish rifles, offg. squad. offr., 4th (Prince Albert Victor's Own) regt. of Bombay cavy. (Poona horse), admtd. to I.S.C., subject to confirmation	1063	Morris, Cadet G. C., from royal mily. college, apptd. to be 2nd-lt. with a view to his apptt. to I.S.C., 779; postd. to the Punjab comd.	854
Molyneux, Lt. E. M. J., I.S.C., 12th regt. of Bengal cavy., apptd. to be transport offr., advanced depot, Tochi field force	628	Morris, Surgn.-Maj. W. A., army medl. staff, to be secy. to prinl. medl. offr., Tirah expdny. force	924
Money, Col. E. A., I.S.C., depy. adjt.-genl. in India, apptd. C.B., 673; to offe. in comd. of a 2nd class dist. in India with tempy. rank of brigdr.-genl. while so employed	977	Morton, 2nd-Lt. S., from the unattd. list, admn. of — to I.S.C. as 2nd-lt., approved, 782; to be provost-marshal, 1st bde., Malakand field force	75
Money-Shewan, Surgn.-Maj. G., m.n., I.M.S. (Bengal), services of — replaced temply. at displ. of mily. dept.	832	Morwood, Surgn.-Capt. J., m.n., I.M.S. (Bengal), services of — replaced temply. at displ. of mily. department	912
Monies, Mr. A., exe. engr., 2nd grade, p. w. d., promptd. to exe. engr., 1st grade, permt.	659	Moses, havildar-maj., 12th Bombay infy., granted medal	1130
Monk, Mr. H. L., chief engr., 3rd class, tempy. rank, apptd. engr.-in-chief of ry. survs. in connection with the N.-W. ry.	995	Mosse, Cadet A. H. E., from the royal mily. college, apptd. to be 2nd-lt. with a view to his apptt. to I.S.C., 779; posted to Bombay comd.	855
Montague, Mr. J. M., exe. engr., 1st grade, state rys., granted furlo.	867	Motiram Pema, Jemadar, to be subadar, 20th regt. of Bombay infy.	599
Montanaro, Maj. A., I.S.C., promptd. to be lt.-col., subject to H. M.'s approval	958	Mubarak Shah, Jemadar, to be subadar, 27th regt. (1st Laluch battn.) of Bombay light infy.	857
Monteith, Maj. A. M., I.S.C., retirement of — from the service, approved	856	Muhammad Alauddin, private, 1st regt. of Madras lancers, granted medal	1132
Monteith Maj. J., I.S.C., granted tempy. rank of lt.-col. whilst serving as regtl. comdt., Indian army	672	Muhammad Ali (Shaikh), sepoy, 17th Bengal infy., granted medal	1130
Montgomery, Rev. F. J. of the Bengal (Lahore) eccl. establt., services of — placed temply. at displ. of mily. dept. for employment with the Tochi field force	589	Muhammad Amin, havildar, 15th regt. of Madras infy., granted medal	1132
Montgomery, Capt. T. R. A. G., 21st Bombay infy., services of — placed temply. at displ. of the govt. of Bombay for employment on plague duty	1138	Muhammad Ashiq Ali Khan, Khan Bahadur, offg. 6th asst. supdt., Port Blair, granted priv. leave	871
Mookerjee, Surgn.-Lt.-Col. P. M., Madras medl. establt., promptd. to be bde.-surgn.-lt.-col., subject to H. M.'s approval, 733; promn. of — to bde.-surgn.-lt.-col., approved	1065	Muhammad Bakhs, farrier, Aden troop, granted medal	1131
Moonie, Gunner J., Coosipore arty. voltrs., granted the voltr. long service medal	735	Muhammad Beg, sabadar, 1st Madras lancers, Madras comd., admtd. to 2nd class of Order of British India, with title of "Bahadur"	735
Moran, Mr. W. A., asst. engr., 1st grade, and exe. engr., 3rd grade, tempy., p. w. d., promptd. to exe. engr., 3rd grade, permt.	659	Muhammad Fazil, private, 11th regt. of Madras infy., granted medal	1132
More-Molyneux, Col. G. H., asst. qr.-mr.-genl., to be asst. qr.-mr.-genl. for intell., Tirah Expdny. force,	924	Muhammad Gul, Havildar, to be jemadar, 1st regt. of Punjab infy., Punjab field force	1109
Morgan, Surgn.-Lt. C. K., m.n., A.M.S., services of — placed temply. at displ. of the govt. of Bombay for employment on plague duty, 832; services of — replaced at displ. of mily. department	912	Muhammad Hayat, private (3rd or Palamcottah) regt. of Madras (light) infy., granted medal	1132
		Muhammad Hayat Khan, sepoy, 6th Bengal infy., granted medal	1129
		Muhammad Hussain (Shaikh), asst. surgn., H. B. M.'s vice-consul at Jeddah, granted priv. leave	741
		Muhammad Hussain Khan, sowar, 12th regt. of Bengal cavy., granted medal	1127
		Muhammad Husain, private, 3rd regt. of Madras lancers, granted medal	1132
		Muhammad Husain, private, 25th regt. of Madras infy., granted medal	1133
		Muhammad Ibrahim, sowar, 2nd lancers, Hyderabad contgt., granted medal	1133
		Muhammad Ismail, havildar-maj. No. 6 (Bombay) mountain batty., admtd. to 3rd class of Order of Merit	658
		Muhammad Ismail (Shaikh), havildar, 25th Bombay infy. (rifles), granted medal	1047
		Muhammad Jan, dafadar, H. E. the viceroy's body-guard, granted medal	753

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Muhammad Kadir, Havildar, to be jemadar, 23rd regt. of Madras (light) infy.	657	Muirhead, Mr. J. R., chief traffic inspr., O. and B. ry., apptd. to offe. as asst. traffic supdt., 601; date to which — continued to offe. as asst. traffic supdt.	1172
Muhammad Khan, camel sowar, 15th (Cureton's Multani) regt. of Bengal lancers, granted medal	1127	Mullaly, Capt. A., depy. asst. comsy.-genl., to be bde. comst. offr., reserve force, Malakand, 698; to be bde. comst. offr., 1st bde. of 1st divn., Tirah expdnry. force	925
Muhammad Khan, sowar, 17th regt. of Bengal cavy., granted medal	1128	Mullane, Surgn.-Maj. J., m.d., I.M.S., Bengal estabt., promn. of — to surgn.-lt.-col., approved	656
Muhammad Músa, private, 7th regt. of Madras infy., granted medal	1132	Mullen, Hony. Surgn.-Capt. A., senr. asst. surgn., Indian sub-medl. dept. (Bombay), permtd. to retire from the service, subject to H. M.'s approval, 780; retirement of — approved	1065
Muhammad Músa, private, 15th regt. of Madras infy., granted medal	1132	Müller, Mr. H. A. C., asst. engr., 2nd grade, p. w. d., promtd. to asst. engr., 1st grade, permt.	660
Muhammad Masum, Havildar, to be jemadar, 1st regt. of Madras lancers	657	Müller, Mr. W. C. W., apptd. of — to be 2nd-lt., infy., Indian army reserve of offr., approved	732
Muhammad Murad (Shaikh), sowar, 4th lancers, Hyderabad contgt., granted medal	1133	Mumtáz Ali, sowar, H. E. the viceroy's body-guard, granted medal	1129
Muhammad Nabi Khan, sepoy-musician, 7th Bengal infy., granted medal	1129	Mumtáz Ali, kot-dafadar, 6th Bengal cavy., granted medal	1128
Muhammad Nur, private, 4th regt. of Madras infy. (Pioneers), granted medal	1133	Mumtáz Khan, Dafadar, to be jemadar, 7th regt. of Bengal cavy.	1003
Muhammad Sadik, subadar, 27th (Punjab) regt. of Bengal infy., admt'd. to 2nd class of Order of British India, with title of "Bahadur"	1005	Múnalal, naick, 43rd Gurkha rifles, granted medal	1130
Muhammad Sálár, Havildar-Maj., to be jemadar, 6th regt. of Madras infy.	844	Munisámi, havildar, 3rd (or Palamcottah) regt. of Madras (light) infy., granted medal	1131
Muhammad Sálár, <i>Bahadur</i> , subadar-maj., 4th regt. of Madras infy. (Pioneers), promtd. to 1st class of Order of British India, with title of <i>Sardar Bahadur</i>	1005	Murad Ali, havildar, 4th infy., Hyderabad contgt., granted medal	1133
Muhammad Salliah, havildar, 25th regt. of Madras infy., granted medal	1132	Murlidhar Bájpai, sapper, Bombay sappers and miners, granted medal	1131
Muhammad Surwar, havildar, 1st regt. of Madras lancers, granted medal	1131	Murphy, Mr. M. J., apptd. to be 2nd-lt., Malabar voltr. rifles	845
Muhammad Sarwar, Dafadar, to be jemadar, 13th (The Duke of Connaught's) regt. of Bengal lancers	673	Murphy, Bde.-Surgn.-Lt.-Col. W. R., D.N.O., I.M.S., to be prinl. medl. offr., 3rd reserve bde., 751; to be prinl. medl. offr., the Kurram moveable column, Tirah expdnry. force	929
Muhammad Sharif, private, 16th regt. of Madras infy., granted medal	1133	Murray, Capt. C. F. T., asst. comsy.-genl., to be bde. comst. offr., 3rd reserve bde., 751; to be bde. comst. offr., the Kurram moveable column, Tirah expdnry. force	929
Muhammad Umar, troop-havildar-maj., 3rd regt., Madras lancers, granted medal	1131	Murray, Mr. F. C., exe. engr., 1st grade, Punjab, apptd. to offe. as a supdg. engr.	909
Muhammad Umar Khan, risalder-maj., 5th Bombay cavy., admt'd. to 2nd class of Order of British India, with title of "Bahadur"	735	Murray, Surgn.-Capt. J., m.d., I.M.S. (Bengal), re-apptd. to be professor of Materia Medica and Pathology in the Lahore medl. college, 625; date from which services of — were at the displ. of mily. dept.	1010
Muhammad Unwar (Sheikh) sowar, 4th lancers, Hyderabad contgt., granted medal	1133	Murray, J. G. P., probar. for I.M.S., apptd. surgn.-lt. on Bengal estabt., 854; admn. of — to H. M.'s I.M.S. as surgn.-lt., approved, 855; reptd. his arrival at Bombay	976
Muhammad Usman Khan, Havildar-Maj., to be jemadar, 2nd regt. of Madras lancers	1146	Murray, Lt. J. H., N.-W. ry. voltr. rifles, promtd. to be capt.	735
Muhammad Yasin, havildar, 8th regt. of Madras infy., granted medal	1132	Murray, Genl. J. I., c.B., I.S.C., apptd. K.C.B.	673
Muhammad Yusuf, Ressaidar, to be resalder, 3rd regt. of Punjab cavy., P. F. force	599	Murray, Capt. J. H. S., R.E., exe. engr., 4th grade, mily. works dept., promtd. to be exe. engr., 3rd grade, sub. <i>pro tem.</i>	737
Muhi-ud-din Ali Khan, Havildar, to be jemadar, 1st regt. of Madras lancers	1146	Murray, Capt. V., R.E., dist. traffic supdt. in class II, grade 4, of superior reve. estabt. of state rys., services of — placed at displ. of Burma rys. compy., ld.	733
Muhi-yuddin (Shaikh), havildar, 28th Bombay infy., (Pioneers), granted medal	1130	Musada Singh, kot-dafadar, 18th regt. of Bengal lancers, granted medal	1127
Muhi-yuddin Sharif, private, 26th regt. of Madras infy., granted medal	1133	Muscroft, Lt. W. St. C., Middlesex regt., offg. squad. offr., 1st regt., C. I. horse, admt'd. to I.S.C.,	
Muhi-yuddin Sharif, Havildar, to be jemadar, 2nd regt. of Madras infy.	673		
Muir, Lt.-Col. A. M., I.S.C., a poll. agent, 2nd (offg. 1st) class, and poll. offr. in charge of the ex-Amir, granted priv. leave	1000		
Muir, Lt.-Col. C. W., c.i.e., 17th regt. of Bengal cavy., to be asst. adjt.-genl., Tirah expdnry. force	925		
Muirhead, Mr. C., depy. oxmr., class II (n. c.), sects. branch, p. w. d., to be depy. oxmr., class I (n. c.), tempy. rank, 785; to be depy. oxmr., class I (n. c.), permt.	785		

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Mustafa (Sayyid), naigue, 2nd regt. of Madras lancers, granted medal	1182	Napier, Lt. The Hon'ble A. F., I.S.C., promtd. to be capt., subject to H. M.'s approval	1126
Mustafa Khan, kot-dafadar-maj., 4th Bombay cavy., granted medal	1180	Napier, Capt. G. S. F., Oxfordshire light infy., offg. staff capt., apptd. to be staff capt., intell. branch, qr.-mr.-genl.'s dept.	627
Mutali, color-havildar, 1st Bombay Grenadiers, granted medal	1180	Narasimhulu, havildar, 17th regt. of Madras infy., granted medal	1182
Muter, Lt. R. S., R.E., asst. engr., 2nd grade, notfn. relating to posting of — to estab. under govt. of Bengal for employment on rys., cancelled, 601; services of — placed at displ. of Hurma rys. compy., ld., 784; posted to estab. under dir.-genl. of rys. for employment on the Hardwar-Dehra ry. surv., 821; promtd. to asst. engr., 1st grade, perm., 846; to be exe. engr., 3rd grade, tempy.	1008	Narayanāsami, color-havildar, 14th regt. of Madras infy., granted medal	1182
Mutlow, Voltr. M. W., Oudh voltr. rifles, granted the voltr. long service medal	735	Narayanāsami, havildar, 21st regt. of Madras infy., granted medal	1132
Muttaya, Band-Havildar F., 9th regt. of Madras infy., granted medal	1132	Narayanāsami, subadar, 3rd (or Palamcottah) regt. of Madras (light) infy., admt. to 3rd class of Order of British India, with title of "Bahadur"	1005
Muzaffar Khan, subadar-maj., 12th regt. (2nd Burma battn.) of Madras infy., admt. to 2nd class of Order of British India, with title of <i>Bahadur</i>	1004	Narayanāsami, private, 19th regt. of Madras infy., granted medal	1183
Myers, Voltr. E., E. I. ry. voltr. rifles, granted the voltr. long service medal	1048	Narayanāsami, private, 25th regt. of Madras infy., granted medal	1183
Mytton, Hony. Capt. and Pay-Mr. R., northern Bengal mounted rifles, granted the voltr. long service medal	1047	Narayan Rao Dalvi, sowar, 2nd Bombay lancers, granted medal	1130
N		Narayan Sadu More, naik, 8th Bombay infy., granted medal	1181
NABI (SAYYID), private, 24th regt. of Madras infy., granted medal	1133	Narayan Sāwant, private, 14th Bombay infy., granted medal	1181
Nabibakhsh, naik (armourer), 43rd Gurkha rifles, granted medal	1180	Narayan Singh, lance-dafadar, 3rd regt. of Punjab cavy., granted medal	1128
Nabibuksh Khan, subadar-maj., 17th (The Loyal Purbiya) regt. of Bengal infy., admt. to 2nd class of Order of British India, with title of <i>Bahadur</i>	1005	Narayan Singh, Jemadar, to be subadar, 34th (Punjab) regt. of Bengal infy. (Pioneers)	599
Nabi Hussain, Color-Havildar, to be jemadar, 22nd regt. of Bombay infy.	631	Narayan Singh, Havildar, to be jemadar, 24th regt. of Madras infy.	631
Nadel, Mily. Pupil B., admt. into the Indian sub-medl. dept., Bombay, as 3rd class asst. surgn.	865	Narayan Singh, subadar, 1st Sikh infy., admt. to 3rd class of Order of Merit, 658; admt. to 2nd class of Order of British India, with title of "Bahadur"	699
Nadir Khan, Jemadar, to be subadar, 2nd regt. of Punjab infy., P. F. force	699	Narbir Gurung, rifleman, 4th Gurkha (rifle) regt., granted medal	1128
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Nathu, sepoy, Malwa Bhil corps, granted medal	1131	Newton, 2nd-Lt. F. W., 2nd (cadet) battn., Calcutta voltr. rifles, promtd. to be lt.	753
Naughton, Sub-Cond. T., barrack mr., mily. works dept., to be cond.	944	Nicholas, Cadet R., from royal mily. college, apptd. to be 2nd-Lt. with a view to his apptt. to I.S.C., 779; posted to the Punjab comd., 854; above name corrected to Nicolas	855
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Nawab Khan, subadar, 1st Sikh infy., admttd. to 3rd class of Order of Merit	658	Nicolls, Rev. G. E., a junr. chaplain on Bengal (Lahore) eccl. estabt., to be a senr. chaplain	1123
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Neil, 2nd Class Asst. Surgn. W. J., Indian sub-medl. dept., Bombay comd., to be 1st class asst. surgn.	1002	Nicholson, Cond. W. R., mily. works dept., Bombay, transfd. to pension estabt.	904
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Net Ram, risaldar, 7th Bengal cavy., Bengal comd., admttd. to 2nd class of Order of British India, with title of "Bahadur"	735	Nihal Singh, Ressaidar, to be woordie-maj., 1st (Prince Albert Victor's Own) regt. of Punjab cavy., P. F. force	1109
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Newman, Surgn.-Col. J. H., M.D., I.M.S. (Bengal), apptd. to be inspr.-genl. of civil hospls., Bengal, sub. <i>pro tem.</i>	998	Niven, 2nd-Lt. H. W., from the unattd. list, admu. of — to I.S.C. as 2nd-Lt., approved	656
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O		O'Mealy, Lt.-Col. W. A. D'O., 1st (Prince Albert Victor's Own) regt. of Punjab cavy., apptd. to be col. on the staff and base comdt., Edwardesabad	855
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Obbard, Mr. R., of the I.C.S., judl. comr. in the Hyderabad assigned dists., apptd. to hold charge of office of comr., in addn. to his own duties	935	Omroz Khan, sepoy, 20th (The Duke of Cambridge's Own, Punjab) regt. of Bengal infy., granted medal	1128
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Sowdhar Thapa, color-havildar, 2nd battn., 2nd Gurkha rifles, granted medal	1129	Sheppard, Lt. S. H., R.E., services of—replaced at displ. of mily. dept.	702
Sexton, Lt. J. J. O., I.S.C., promtd. to be capt., subject to H. M.'s approval, 779; promn. of—to capt., approved	1064	Sher Baz, Subadar, to be subadar-maj., 26th (Punjab) regt. of Bengal infy.	599
Shadbolt, Mr. E. I., exe. engr., 1st grade, state rys., and offg. engr.-in-chief, Kotri-Rohri ry., apptd. engr.-in-chief of the Indus bridge works and of the British sec. of the Shadipalli-Balotra ry., with rank of supdt. of works	702	Sheredin, Jemadar, to be subadar, 27th regt. (1st Baluch battn.) of Bombay (light) infy. . . .	1146
Sháh Pasand, Havildar, to be jemadar, 27th regt. (1st Baluch battn.) of Bombay (light) infy. . .	1146	Sheridan, Mr. C. J., exe. engr., 1st grade, N.-W. P. and Oudh, permtd. to retire from the service . .	910
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Shakespeare, Maj. J., C.I.E., D.S.O., from Leinster regt., promn. of—to be maj., approved . . .	655	Sher Singh, havildar, No. 3 (Peshawar) mountain batty., granted medal	1126
Shakir Khan, Havildar, to be jemadar, 19th (Punjab) regt. of Bengal infy.	599	Sher Singh, Jemadar, to be subadar, 33rd regt. (3rd Burma battn.) of Madras infy.	1109
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		Sherzad, jemadar, 1st Sikh infy., admt. to 3rd class of Order of Merit, 658; <i>for</i> "Jemadar," <i>read</i> "Subadar"	700

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Shián Singh, havildar, 35th (Sikh) regt. of Bengal infy., granted medal	1127	Sirpati Markute, Havildar, to be jemadar, 21st regt. of Bombay infy. (marine battn.)	780
Shiu-Chand, Dafadar, to be jemadar, 3rd (Queen's Own) regt. of Bombay light cavy.	944	Sisson, Mr. W. A. C., asst. engr., 3rd grade, posted to state rys., 994; posted to establt. under dir. genl. of rys.	994
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Vaughan, 2nd-Lt. L. R., I.S.C., promtd. to be lt., subject to H. M.'s approval	1146	Wait, Mr. L. G., depy. post-mr.-genl., Sind and Baluchistan, granted priv. leave	696
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Walker, Condr. J., p. w. d., Bombay, to be depy. asst. coms. and to have the hony. rank of lt., subject to H. M.'s approval, 856; granted hony. rank of lt.	1171	Ward, Lt. A., I.S.C., restoration of — from half-pay list to effective list, approved	656
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Wallis, Mr. B. G., exe. engr., 1st grade, and supdg. engr., 2nd class, tempy. rank, Punjab, permtd. to supdg. engr., 3rd class, and temply. to supdg. engr., 2nd class, 868; promtd. to supdg. engr., 2nd class, temply.	908	Watson, Lt. L. A., 31st (Punjab) regt. of Bengal infy., services of — placed at displ. of chief comr. of C. P. for employment as offg. cantt. magte.	642
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NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 1st July, 1897.

No. 12.—Whereas the non-official Additional Members of the Council of the Governor of the Presidency of Fort St. George have, in accordance with the Regulations published in the Notification of the Government of India in the Legislative Department, No. 19, dated 23rd June, 1893, recommended M. R. Ry. Panappakkam Ananda Charlu Vidia Vinodha Avargal, Rai Bahadur, C.I.E., for nomination as an Additional Member of the Council of the Governor General for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations, His Excellency the Governor General, under the authority vested in him by section 10 of the Indian Councils Act, 1861 (24 and 25 Vict., c. 67), and section 1 of the Indian Councils Act, 1892 (55 and 56 Vict., c. 14), has been pleased to nominate the said M. R. Ry. Panappakkam Ananda Charlu Vidia Vinodha Avargal, Rai Bahadur, C.I.E., to be an Additional Member of the said Council of the Governor General.

J. M. MACPHERSON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

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Simla, the 30th June, 1897.

No. 504.—Mr. E. B. Francis is permitted to resign Her Majesty's Indian Civil Service, with effect from the 15th July 1897.

The 2nd July, 1897.

No. 512.—The services of Mr. J. B. Fuller, C.I.E., of the Indian Civil Service, Magistrate and Collector, Allahabad, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces.

MEDICAL.

The 30th June, 1897.

No. 691.—The services of Surgeon-Major J. I. Routh, A.M.S., are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the date on which he made over charge of his duties under the Government of Bombay.

The 2nd July, 1897.

No. 694.—The services of Surgeon-Lieutenant H. J. K. Bamfield, I.M.S. (Bengal), are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the 31st May 1897.

SANITARY.

The 2nd July, 1897.

No. 1775.—The following Notification of the Board of Trade (Fisheries Department), regarding quarantine regulations at Malta, is published for general information :—

London, June 1st, 1897.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for the Colonies, the following Quarantine Notice, issued by the Governor of Malta, *viz.* :

GOVERNMENT NOTICE.

His Excellency the Governor, having heard the opinion of the Board of Health, has been pleased to modify Government Notice No. 90 of 5th May 1897, and to direct that the following regulations be observed, *viz.* :

1. Vessels which are not allowed to enter the Harbour, but are allowed to communicate in quarantine with the Islands of Comino and Cominotto under such restrictions as the Collector of Customs may direct—
 - (a) Vessels that have on board, or have had during the voyage, cases of cholera, yellow fever or plague or cases of a disease with symptoms resembling those of cholera, yellow fever or plague.
 - (b) Vessels with pilgrims from the East.
 - (c) Vessels arriving from Arabian ports in the Red Sea and the Persian Gulf which have not been admitted to free pratique at Suez and Port Said.
2. Vessels which are allowed to enter the Quarantine Harbour to coal and take in provisions under quarantine restrictions—
 - (a) Vessels arriving from Bombay and Kurrachee.
 - (b) Vessels arriving from any port without a clean bill of health which do not fall under any of the preceding regulations.

3. *Medical inspection.*—All vessels arriving at Malta shall undergo strict medical inspection.

4. *Passengers.*—Passengers arriving from Mediterranean ports must, before landing, declare on oath that they have not been in Bombay or Kurrachee within the last 30 days. All passengers, who have been within the last 30 days in Bombay or Kurrachee, shall be landed at the Lazaretto and remain there under such restrictions as may be ordered by the Port Authority for a period not less

than seven days from date of disinfection and not less than the number of days required to complete 30 days from the date of departure.

5. *Goods*.—The importation of cotton seed from any port, subject to quarantine, is forbidden.

The importation of rags is prohibited.

The importation is forbidden, before disinfection, of the following articles, *viz.* : wearing apparel, soiled linen and clothing, bedding materials, hides, feathers, bones and jute goods.

The importation of vines, vine shoots and fruit, packed in vine leaves, is prohibited. The importation of plants or roots from any port of the Mediterranean is prohibited unless the same are accompanied by a satisfactory certificate that phylloxera is not known to exist at the place of origin.

By command,

G. STRICKLAND,

Chief Secretary to Government.

Palace, Valletta, May 22, 1897.

(See notice of the Board of Trade, dated the 11th May 1897, published in the *Gazette of India* under Home Department Notification No. 1649, dated the 5th June 1897.)

JUDICIAL.

The 1st July, 1897.

No. 917.—Lieutenant R. R. Vaughan, 22nd Punjab Infantry, Officiating Cantonment Magistrate, Agra, is confirmed as a Cantonment Magistrate, with effect from the date on which Captain E. St. A. Wake, Cantonment Magistrate of Barrackpore and Dum Dum, reverted to military duty.

The 2nd July, 1897.

No. 925.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Jenkins, a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, is granted privilege leave for thirty days, with effect from the 9th August 1897.

POLICE.

The 30th June, 1897.

No. 377.—The services of Lieutenant H. G. Maxwell, 16th Bengal Lancers, a Commandant in the Burma Military Police, were replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 15th April 1897, instead of from the 25th February 1897, as stated in Home Department Notification No. 66, dated 29th January 1897.

The 2nd July, 1897.

No. 380.—The services of Lieutenant W. S. Eardley-Howard, 29th Punjab Infantry, an Assistant Commandant in the Burma Military Police, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 14th July 1897.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 1st July, 1897.

No. 242.—The Reverend J. F. Smith, a Probationary Chaplain on the Bengal (Calcutta) Ecclesiastical Establishment, is appointed to officiate as Chaplain of Jubbulpore, Central Provinces, during the absence on privilege leave of the Reverend T. E. F. Cole, with effect from the 16th June 1897, or the subsequent date on which he may assume charge of his duties.

The 2nd July, 1897.

No. 245.—The services of the Reverend F. J. Montgomery, of the Bengal (Lahore) Ecclesiastical Establishment, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Military Department for employment with the Tochi Field Force.

J. P. HEWETT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

FAMINE.

Simla, the 29th June, 1897.

No. 2357-F.—With reference to Notification No. 957—105-11, dated the 8th April 1897, it is notified that Lieutenant P. H. Cunningham, 1st Regiment of Bombay Infantry (Grenadiers), is permitted to revert to military duty.

The 30th June, 1897.

No. 2370-F.—With reference to Notification No. 890—32-11, dated the 23rd March 1897, it is notified that Captain A. Giles, 13th (The Shekhawati) Regiment of Bengal Infantry, is permitted to revert to military duty, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of his present duties.

FORESTS.

The 2nd July, 1897.

No. 634—156-4-F.—Mr. C. F. Elliott, Conservator of Forests, 3rd (officiating 2nd) grade, in charge of the Punjab Forest Circle, is granted privilege leave for three months, under articles 277 and 291 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 22nd June 1897.

Mr. G. G. Minniken, Deputy Conservator, 1st grade, Punjab, is appointed to officiate as Conservator, 3rd grade, and to be in charge of the Punjab Forest Circle, during Mr. Elliott's absence, or until further orders.

DENZIL IBBETSON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

STAR OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

*Simla, the 29th June, 1897.***No. 24-S. I.**

It had been the QUEEN'S intention to confer a Companionship of the Order of the Star of India on the late MR. ROBERT BLAIR MCCABE, Indian Civil Service, in recognition of his services in Assam, and of his work of exceptional merit among the wild tribes of the North-East Frontier of India.

By order of the Grand Master,

W. J. CUNINGHAM,

*Secretary to the Most Exalted**Order of the Star of India.*

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 24th June, 1897.

No. 2384½-I. B.—Whereas His Highness the Gaekwar of Baroda and His Highness the Maharaja of Idar have ceded to the British Government the civil and criminal jurisdiction exercised by them over the lands lying within their respective territories which are, or may hereafter be, occupied by the Ahmedabad-Parantij Railway (including the lands occupied by stations, by out-buildings and for other railway purposes);

And whereas the Governor General in Council now possesses full jurisdiction within the said lands ;

In exercise of such jurisdiction and of the powers conferred by sections 4 and 5 of the Foreign Jurisdiction and Extradition Act, 1879 (XXI of 1879), and of all other powers enabling him in this behalf, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to provide as follows for the administration of justice within the said lands :

- I. All laws for the time being in force in the Ahmedabad District of the Presidency of Bombay shall be in force in the said lands.
- II. The Governor of Bombay in Council and all officers subordinate to the Government of Bombay, for the time being exercising executive authority (other than in connection with the administration of the Police) in the Ahmedabad District shall exercise the like authority within the said lands.
- III. All Courts having for the time being jurisdiction within the Ahmedabad District shall have the like jurisdiction within the said lands.
- IV. The administration of the Police within the said lands shall be vested in the Superintendent of Police, Bombay, Baroda and Central India and Rajputana-Malwa Railways, who shall exercise within the said lands the same police powers as he may for the time being exercise on the portion of the Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway which lies within the Ahmedabad District, in subordination to the authorities to whom he may be, for the time being, subordinate when exercising those powers on that portion of that railway.
- V. The said lands shall be deemed to be included for the purposes of clauses 2 and 3 of this notification within such taluka or other sub-division of the Ahmedabad District as the Governor of Bombay in Council shall from time to time, by notification in the Bombay Government Gazette, direct.

The 26th June, 1897.

No. 1037-E. A.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 4 and 5 of the Foreign Jurisdiction and Extradition Act, 1879 (XXI of 1879), and of all other powers enabling him in this behalf, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to apply the provisions of the Indian Fisheries Act, 1897 (IV of 1897), to the territories administered by the Agent to the Governor-General in Baluchistan as such Agent.

The 28th June, 1897.

No. 2459-I. B.—Captain L. N. Younghusband, Indian Staff Corps, Assistant Inspecting Officer, Rajputana and North-Western Provinces Imperial Service Cavalry, is appointed to officiate as Inspecting Officer, Northern Punjab and Kashmir States Imperial Service Cavalry, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 5th June, 1897, and until further orders.

The 29th June, 1897.

No. 1002-G.—With the sanction of Her Majesty's Government, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. Charles Findlay as Consular Agent for the United States of America at Akyab.

No. 2476-I. A.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 13 of the Births, Deaths and Marriages Registration Act, 1886 (VI of 1886) the Governor-General in Council is pleased to appoint the Reverend E. W. Redfern, a Minister of the Wesleyan Mission, to be a Registrar of Births and Deaths for the territories of Mysore, including the Civil and Military station of Bangalore, in respect of the classes of persons indicated in section 11, sub-section (1), clause (b) of the said Act, whom he baptizes or whose funeral ceremonies he performs.

The 30th June, 1897.

No. 2493-I. B.—In modification of paragraph 3 of the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 3446-I., dated the 17th October, 1895, and in exercise of the powers referred to in the said Notification, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to declare that all sums of money received by the Cantonment Committees of the Hyderabad Contingent Stations of Aurungabad, Jalna, Mominabad, Hingoli, Raichore and Bolarum, on account of taxes levied within the said Cantonments from the 1st April, 1896, to the 31st March, 1897, shall be deemed to have been lawfully received.

The 2nd July, 1897.

No. 1023-G.—The following changes are made in the graded list of the Political Department:

Consequent on the appointment of Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. Sadler, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Agent of the 2nd Class, to be First Assistant to the Political

Resident at Aden and Political Agent for the Somali Coast, and with effect from the 10th February 1897—

Mr. A. F. deLassöe, C.M.G., C.I.E., a Political Agent of the 3rd Class, to be a Political Agent of the 2nd Class.

Captain C. Archer, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 1st Class, to be a Political Agent of the 3rd Class.

Captain L. Impey, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, to be a Political Assistant of the 1st Class.

Captain P. T. A. Spence, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 3rd Class, to be a Political Assistant of the 2nd Class.

Mr. W. S. Davis, a District Superintendent of Police in the Punjab, to be a Political Assistant of the 3rd Class.

- Consequent on the appointment of Mr. C. S. Bayley, of the Indian Civil Service, a Political Agent of the 1st (Additional 1st) Class and Political Agent in Bikaner, to be a Resident of the 2nd Class and General Superintendent of Operations for the Suppression of Thagi and Dakaiti, substantive *pro tempore*, and with effect from the 2nd April 1897—

Lieutenant-Colonel H. A. Vincent, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Agent of the 1st (Additional 1st) Class and officiating Political Agent in Bikaner, to be Political Agent in Bikaner, substantive *pro tempore*.

Captain A. F. Pinhey, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Agent of the 3rd (officiating Additional Political Agent of the 1st) Class and officiating Political Agent in Baghelkhand, to be Political Agent in Baghelkhand, substantive *pro tempore*.

- Consequent on the replacement at the disposal of the Military Department of the services of Colonel V. E. Law, Madras Cavalry, and with effect from the 20th April 1897—

Mr. C. S. Bayley, of the Indian Civil Service, a Political Agent of the 1st (Additional 1st) Class and Political Agent in Bikaner, to be a Resident of the 2nd Class and Resident at Jaipur. Mr. Bayley will continue to officiate as General Superintendent of Operations for the Suppression of Thagi and Dakaiti, substantive *pro tempore*.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. A. Vincent, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Agent of the 1st (Additional 1st) Class and Political Agent in Bikaner, substantive *pro tempore*, to be Political Agent in Bikaner.

Captain A. F. Pinhey, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Agent of the 3rd Class, and Additional Political Agent of the 1st Class and Political Agent in Baghelkhand, substantive *pro tempore*, to be an Additional Political Agent of the 1st Class and Political Agent in Baghelkhand.

Mr. G. R. Irwin, of the Indian Civil Service, a Political Agent of the 1st (Additional 1st) Class and officiating Resident of the 2nd Class and Resident at Jaipur, to be a Resident of the 2nd Class and Resident at Jaipur, substantive *pro tempore*.

Major R. H. Jennings, Royal Engineers, a Political Agent of the 3rd (officiating Additional Political Agent of the 1st) Class, to be an Additional Political Agent of the 1st Class and Political Agent in Jhalawar, substantive *pro tempore*.

Captain K. D. Erskine, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 1st Class, to be a Political Agent of the 3rd Class.

Captain M. A. Tighe, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, to be a Political Assistant of the 1st Class.

Lieutenant B. E. M. Gurdon, D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 3rd Class, to be a Political Assistant of the 2nd Class.

Lieutenant L. A. Forbes, Indian Staff Corps, to be a Political Assistant of the 3rd Class.

- Consequent on the return from foreign service of Mr. E. G. Colvin, of the Indian Civil Service, a Political Agent of the 2nd Class, and with effect from the 29th April 1897—

Mr. A. F. deLassöe, C.M.G., C.I.E., a Political Agent of the 2nd Class, reverts to Political Agent of the 3rd Class.

Captain K. D. Erskine, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Agent of the 3rd Class, reverts to Political Assistant of the 1st Class.

Captain M. A. Tighe, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 1st Class, reverts to Political Assistant of the 2nd Class.

Lieutenant B. E. M. Gurdon, D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, reverts to Political Assistant of the 3rd Class.

- Lieutenant L. A. Forbes, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 3rd Class, vacates that substantive appointment.

Consequent on the retirement of Major W. E. Evans-Gordon, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Agent of the 3rd Class, and with effect from the 12th May 1897—

Captain K. D. Erskine, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 1st Class, to be a Political Agent of the 3rd Class.

Captain M. A. Tighe, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, to be a Political Assistant of the 1st Class.

Lieutenant B. E. M. Gurdon, D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 3rd Class, to be a Political Assistant of the 2nd Class.

Lieutenant L. A. Forbes, Indian Staff Corps, to be a Political Assistant of the 3rd Class.

With reference to Notification No. 909-G., dated the 3rd June 1897, Captain C. A. Kembell, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, is appointed to be an Additional Political Agent of the 1st Class and Political Agent in Jhalawar, substantive *pro tempore*, vice Major R. H. Jennings, Royal Engineers, and with effect from the 18th May 1897.

Consequent on the replacement at the disposal of the Military Department of the services of Colonel F. A. Wilson, Indian Staff Corps, a Resident of the 2nd Class and Political Resident in the Persian Gulf, and with effect from the 13th June 1897—

Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. Newill, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Agent of the 1st Class (on leave), to be a Resident of the 2nd Class and Political Resident in the Persian Gulf.

Major C. W. Ravenshaw, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Agent of the 2nd Class, to be a Political Agent of the 1st Class.

Mr. A. F. deLussœe, C.M.G., C.I.E., a Political Agent of the 3rd Class, to be a Political Agent of the 2nd Class.

Captain W. H. M. Stewart, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 1st Class, to be a Political Agent of the 3rd Class.

Mr. W. E. Jardine, of the Indian Civil Service, to be a Political Assistant of the 1st Class.

Lieutenant R. L. Kennion, Indian Staff Corps, to be a Political Assistant of the 3rd Class.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. A. Vincent, a Political Agent of the 1st (Additional 1st) Class and Political Agent in Bikaner, is appointed to be an Additional Resident of the 2nd Class and Resident in Bikaner, with effect from the 13th June 1897.

These arrangements are made without prejudice to superior acting appointments held by any of the above-mentioned officers on the dates specified.

No. 1025-G.—The following changes are made in the graded list of the Political Department :

Consequent on the return to duty of Captain F. W. P. Macdonald, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 1st Class, and his appointment to officiate as a Political Agent of the 3rd Class, and with effect from the 18th March 1897—

Captain C. A. Kembell, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Agent of the 3rd Class, reverts to officiating Political Assistant of the 1st Class.

Captain A. McConaghey, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 1st Class, reverts to officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class.

Lieutenant S. G. Knox, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, reverts to officiating Political Assistant of the 3rd Class.

Consequent on the appointment of Captain W. C. R. Stratton, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Agent of the 3rd (officiating 2nd) Class, to officiate as an Additional Political Agent of the 1st Class and Political Agent in Kotah, and with effect from the 4th April 1897—

Mr. H. V. Cobb, of the Indian Civil Service, a Political Agent of the 3rd Class, to officiate as a Political Agent of the 2nd Class.

Major C. G. F. Fagan, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 1st Class, to be a Political Agent of the 3rd Class, substantive *pro tempore*.

Captain A. McConaghey, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, to officiate as a Political Assistant of the 1st Class.

Lieutenant L. A. Forbes, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, to be a Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, substantive *pro tempore*.

Lieutenant S. G. Knox, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 3rd Class, to officiate as a Political Assistant of the 2nd Class.

Consequent on the grant of furlough to Mr. H. V. Cobb, of the Indian Civil Service, a Political Agent of the 3rd (officiating 2nd) Class, and with effect from the 16th April 1897—

Captain C. Archer, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Agent of the 3rd Class, to officiate as a Political Agent of the 2nd Class.

Captain C. A. Kemball, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 1st Class, to officiate as a Political Agent of the 3rd Class.

Lieutenant H. T. Pritchard, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, to officiate as a Political Assistant of the 1st Class.

Lieutenant A. B. Drummond, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 3rd Class, to officiate as a Political Assistant of the 2nd Class.

Consequent on the return from furlough of Captain J. R. C. Colvin, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Agent of the 3rd Class, and his appointment (hereby made) to officiate as a Political Agent of the 2nd Class and with effect from the 27th April 1897—

Captain C. Archer, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Agent of the 2nd Class, reverts to his substantive grade of Political Agent of the 3rd Class.

Captain C. A. Kemball, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Agent of the 3rd Class, reverts to officiating Political Assistant of the 1st Class.

Lieutenant H. T. Pritchard, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 1st Class, reverts to officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class.

Lieutenant A. B. Drummond, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, reverts to officiating Political Assistant of the 3rd Class.

Consequent on the appointment of Mr. J. Lang, of the Indian Civil Service, Bengal Establishment, to officiate as a Political Agent of the 3rd Class, and with effect from the 29th April 1897—

Captain M. A. Tighe, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Agent of the 3rd Class, reverts to officiating Political Assistant of the 1st Class.

Captain A. McConaghey, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 1st Class, reverts to officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class.

Lieutenant S. G. Knox, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, reverts to officiating Political Assistant of the 3rd Class.

Consequent on the appointment of Mr. A. F. Pinhey, of the Indian Civil Service, Madras Establishment, to officiate as a Political Agent of the 2nd Class, and with effect from the 5th May 1897—

Captain J. R. C. Colvin, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Agent of the 2nd Class, reverts to his substantive grade of Political Agent of the 3rd Class.

Captain L. Impey, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Agent of the 3rd Class, reverts to his substantive grade of Political Assistant of the 1st Class.

Captain A. F. Bruce, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 1st Class, reverts to officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class.

Lieutenant C. J. Windham, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, reverts to officiating Political Assistant of the 3rd Class.

Consequent on the grant of furlough to Captain P. J. Melvill, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Agent of the 3rd (officiating 2nd) Class, and with effect from the 10th May 1897—

Captain J. R. C. Colvin, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Agent of the 3rd Class, to officiate as a Political Agent of the 2nd Class.

Captain L. Impey, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 1st Class, to officiate as a Political Agent of the 3rd Class.

Captain A. F. Bruce, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, to officiate as a Political Assistant of the 1st Class.

Lieutenant C. J. Windham, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 3rd Class, to officiate as a Political Assistant of the 2nd Class.

Consequent on the grant of furlough to Lieutenant H. T. Pritchard, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 3rd (officiating 2nd) Class, and with effect from the 13th May 1897—

Lieutenant S. G. Knox, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 3rd Class, to officiate as a Political Assistant of the 2nd Class.

Consequent on the reversion of Major R. H. Jennings, Royal Engineers, from Additional Political Agent of the 1st Class and Political Agent in Jhalawar substantive *pro tempore*, to his substantive grade as a Political Agent of the 3rd Class, and

his appointment (hereby made) to officiate as a Political Agent of the 2nd Class, and with effect from the 18th May 1897—

Captain J. R. C. Colvin, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Agent of the 2nd Class, reverts to his substantive grade of Political Agent of the 3rd Class.

Captain L. Impey, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Agent of the 3rd Class, reverts to his substantive grade of Political Assistant of the 1st Class.

Consequent on the appointment of Captain C. A. Kembell, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 2nd (officiating 1st) Class, to be an Additional Political Agent of the 1st Class and Political Agent in Jhalawar substantive *pro tempore*, and with effect from the 18th May 1897—

Lieutenant R. L. Kennion, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, to be a Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, substantive *pro tempore*.

Consequent on the appointment of Major M. J. Meade, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Agent of the 1st Class, to officiate as a Resident of the 2nd Class and Political Resident in the Persian Gulf, and with effect from the 20th May 1897—

Mr. A. Williams, of the Indian Civil Service, an officiating Political Agent of the 2nd Class, to officiate as a Political Agent of the 1st Class.

Captain J. R. C. Colvin, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Agent of the 3rd Class, to officiate as a Political Agent of the 2nd Class.

Captain L. Impey, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 1st Class, to officiate as a Political Agent of the 3rd Class.

Captain A. McConaghey, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, to officiate as a Political Assistant of the 1st Class.

Lieutenant A. B. Drummond, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 3rd Class, to officiate as a Political Assistant of the 2nd Class.

Consequent on the grant of privilege leave to Captain K. D. Erskine, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Agent of the 3rd Class, and with effect from the 27th May 1897—

Captain M. A. Tighe, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 1st Class, to officiate as a Political Agent of the 3rd Class.

Captain A. D'A. G. Bannerman, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, to officiate as a Political Assistant of the 1st Class.

Lieutenant F. B. Prideaux, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 3rd Class, to officiate as a Political Assistant of the 2nd Class.

Consequent on the return to duty of Captain J. F. Whyte, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 3rd (officiating 1st) Class, and his appointment (hereby made) to officiate as a Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, and with effect from the 3rd June 1897—

Lieutenant F. B. Prideaux, an officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, reverts to officiating Political Assistant of the 3rd Class.

Consequent on the return from furlough of Captain A. H. McMahon, C.S.I., C.I.E., a Political Agent of the 2nd Class, and with effect from the 11th June 1897—

Captain J. R. C. Colvin, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Agent of the 2nd Class, reverts to his substantive grade of Political Agent of the 3rd Class.

Captain M. A. Tighe, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Agent of the 3rd Class, reverts to his substantive grade of Political Assistant of the 1st Class.

Captain A. D'A. G. Bannerman, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 1st Class, reverts to officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class.

Lieutenant A. B. Drummond, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, reverts to officiating Political Assistant of the 3rd Class.

No. 1026-G.—Captain J. F. Whyte, Indian Staff Corps, Political Assistant of the 3rd (officiating 2nd) Class, is posted, on return from privilege leave, as Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General of India in Khorasan and Seistan.

Captain Whyte is temporarily deputed, without prejudice to his posting to Meshed, for duty with the embassy at Tehran.

No. 1029-G.—Lieutenant E. Barnes, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 3rd Class, is posted as Assistant to the Governor-General's Agent in Central India, with effect from the date of assuming charge.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

ESTIMATES AND ACCOUNTS.

Simla, the 29th June, 1897.

No. 2871-A.—Monthly Preliminary Statement of Receipts and Payments at Civil Treasuries in India.

May 1897.

(Lakhs of Rupees.)

	IN MAY.		TO END OF MAY.		WHOLE YEAR.	
	1897-98.	1896-97.	1897-98.	1896-97.	Budget, 1897-98.	Actuals, Preliminary, 1896-97.
[For the explanation of these heads, see <i>Gazette of India</i> , dated 22nd December 1883, Part I, page 497.]						
Civil Revenue.						
Land Revenue (including Land Revenue due to Irrigation)	1,73	1,82	3,53	3,69	26,59	24,84
Opium	44	52	87	1,00	5,82	6,41
Salt	89	95	1,60	1,85	8,73	8,42
Stamps	37	36	80	80	4,84	4,78
Excise	44	46	85	93	5,67	5,61
Provincial Rates	36	34	61	61	3,62	3,56
Customs	33	35	69	74	4,49	4,49
Assessed Taxes	8	8	16	15	1,72	1,73
Forest (Madras and Bombay only)	3	3	5	6	57	50
Registration	4	4	8	7	44	46
Tributes from Native States	6	5	10	10	90	88
Other Civil Revenue	32	28	62	49	3,84	3,67
TOTAL CIVIL REVENUE DIRECTLY BROUGHT TO ACCOUNT : GROSS	5,09	5,28	10,05	10,55	67,23	65,35
Civil Expenditure.						
Interest on Ordinary Debt and that on Railways and Irrigation Works	— 48	— 46	— 61	— 61	— 3,79	— 3,73
Opium	— 60	— 57	— 1,33	— 1,38	— 2,65	— 2,48
Famine Relief	— 32	— 1	— 53	— 2	— 1,49	— 60
Other Civil Expenditure	— 2,06	— 1,89	— 4,14	— 3,90	— 26,77	— 25,86
TOTAL CIVIL EXPENDITURE DIRECTLY BROUGHT TO ACCOUNT : GROSS	— 3,46	— 2,93	— 6,61	— 5,91	— 34,70	— 32,67
Receipts into Civil Treasuries from, and issues from those Treasuries to, the following Non-Civil Departments :						
[The figures comprise Revenue, Expenditure, and Debt and Remittance Transactions.]						
Post Office (Net : + Receipts more, — Receipts less, than Issues)	+ 3	+ 33	+ 2	+ 52	+ 56	+ 59
Forest, Marine (Net as above)	— 2	— 1	— 3	— 3	+ 31	+ 25
Guaranteed and Subsidized Railways (Net as above)	+ 33	+ 38	+ 59	+ 89	+ 2,94	+ 2,91
Repayment of Surplus Profits, etc.	...	...	...	— 1	— 16	— 45
Military Receipts	+ 3	+ 5	+ 6	+ 9	+ 71	+ 84
Issues	— 1,32	— 1,33	— 2,61	— 2,66	— 16,41	— 16,91
Telegraph Receipts	+ 5	+ 6	+ 11	+ 11		+ 76
Issues	— 6	— 6	— 11	— 11		— 71
Public Works Department—						
State Railways—Receipts	+ 1,05	+ 1,07	+ 2,16	+ 2,14		+ 13,12
Issues	— 84	— 82	— 1,88	— 1,76		— 11,67
East Indian Railway—Receipts	+ 47	+ 41	+ 98	+ 84		+ 5,03
Issues	— 21	— 12	— 41	— 29	— 2,68	— 2,15
Ordinary Branches—Receipts	+ 24	+ 15	+ 35	+ 24		+ 2,83
Issues	— 1,06	— 52	— 2,14	— 1,14		— 8,92
TOTAL NON-CIVIL DEPARTMENTS	— 1,31	— 41	— 2,91	— 1,17	— 14,74	— 14,48
Civil Debt and Remittance Transactions.						
Permanent Debt and Special Loans (Net : + Receipts more, — Receipts less, than Payments)	— 3	— 2	— 7	— 3	+ 3,42	+ 5,33
Mint Certificates and Bullion Advances (Net as above)	...	...	+ 1	— 2	...	— 12
Exchange on Remittance Accounts	— 53	— 1,20	— 1,05	— 2,48	— 8,62	— 9,44
Council Bills paid (including Telegraphic) at Rs. 10 per £	— 71	— 1,20	— 1,48	— 2,61	— 13,00	— 14,97
Other Debt Heads (Net as above)	34	+ 38	— 1	+ 12	+ 27	— 1,63
TOTAL DEBT AND REMITTANCE TRANSACTIONS	— 93	— 2,04	— 2,60	— 5,02	— 17,93	— 20,83
GRAND TOTAL RECEIPTS AND ISSUES	— 61	— 10	— 2,07	— 1,55	— 14	— 2,63
Opening Cash Balance in Treasuries and Presidency Banks	12,41	15,05	13,87	16,50	13,46	16,50
Closing Cash Balance in Treasuries and Presidency Banks	11,80	14,95	11,80	14,95	13,32	13,87

* Assam figures estimated.

LEAVE AND LEAVE ALLOWANCES.

No. 2836-P.

The 29th June, 1897.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Finance and Commerce Department.

Read again—

Financial Resolution No. 2959-P., dated 22nd June 1895.

Read also the following correspondence—

Despatch to Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, No. 204, dated 28th July 1896.

Despatch from Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, No. 162, dated 24th September 1896.

Despatch to Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, No. 234, dated 18th August 1896.

Despatch from Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, No. 171, dated 1st October 1896.

Despatch to Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, No. 243, dated 1st September 1896.

Despatch from Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, No. 178, dated 15th October 1896.

RESOLUTION.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions be made to the list appended to the Resolution cited in the preamble, enumerating the officers of the several Branches and Departments of the Public Service to whom the leave rules contained in Chapter XIII of the Civil Service Regulations have been extended.

Indo-European Telegraph Department.

Officers of the graded Establishment, including Directors, Electrician, and Superintendents and Assistant Superintendents.

Medical Officers if appointed by the Secretary of State.

The Commander, First and Second Officers and Chief Engineer of the Cable ship.

Marine Department.

Constructors, Bombay and Kidderpore Dockyards.

Other Officers.

The First Engineer and Shipwright Surveyor to the Government of Bengal.

ORDER.—Ordered, that this Resolution be communicated to the Departments of the Government of India; to the several Local Governments and Administrations; to the Heads of Departments under the Finance Department; to the Comptroller General and to all Accountants General and Comptrollers.

Ordered also, that the Resolution be published in the *Gazette of India*.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

The 2nd July, 1897.

No. 2916-G/.—Mr. W. D. Woollam, Probationer, attached to the Paper Currency Office, Calcutta, is transferred to the Office of the Accountant General, Bengal.

Mr. H. W. Ronaldson, a Superintendent in the Office of the Comptroller and Auditor General, is appointed to act as Chief Superintendent during the absence on special duty of Mr. C. Sandford, and is posted to the Paper Currency Office, Calcutta.

J. F. FINLAY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 2nd July, 1897.

APPOINTMENTS.

ARMY STAFF.

No. 714.—Captain H. E. Stanton, D.S.O., Royal Artillery, to be Staff Captain, Intelligence Branch, Quarter Master General's Department, *vice* Captain F. G. Cardew, who has resigned. • Dated 1st May 1897.

COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

No. 715.—Captain G. H. C. Colomb, Indian Staff Corps, 1st Battalion, 4th Gurkha (Rifle) Regiment, to be Transport Officer, Chitral, in addition to his regimental duties, as a temporary measure, with effect from the 15th May 1897, *vice* Lieutenant J. C. M. Wheeler, 28th (Punjab) Regiment of Bengal Infantry, who has returned to India with his regiment.

No. 716.—Lieutenant E. T. Carwithen, Indian Staff Corps, Bhopal Battalion, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 2nd class, on probation, with effect from the 26th April 1897.

[Joined his appointment on the 29th May 1897.]

STAFF CORPS.

No. 717.—Lieutenant Etienne Ronald Partridge Boileau, East Lancashire Regiment, 1st Battalion, 2nd (Prince of Wales' Own) Gurkha (Rifle) Regiment (The Sirmoor Rifles), having completed eighteen months' probationary service, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 10th October 1895, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

No. 718.—The undermentioned officers are admitted to the Indian Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India :

Lieutenants—

James Atkinson Longridge, Royal Welsh Surrey Regiment, officiating squadron officer, 7th Regiment of Bombay Lancers (Belooch Horse),—18th May 1897.

William St. Clair Muscroft, Middlesex Regiment, officiating squadron officer, 1st Regiment, Central India Horse,—19th May 1897.

Ernest Frederick Orton, Royal Dublin Fusiliers, officiating wing officer, 26th (Baluchistan) Regiment of Bombay Infantry,—4th June 1897.

FIELD OPERATIONS.

TOCHI.

No. 719.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 697 of 1897, Captain A. Grant, 2nd Battalion, 4th Gurkha (Rifle) Regiment, to be Orderly Officer to Brigadier-General C. C. Egerton, C.B., D.S.O., A.D.C., Commanding 1st Brigade, Tochi Field Force.

No. 720.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 697 of 1897, Lieutenant-Colonel D. S. Cuninghame, 1st (Prince Albert Victor's Own) Regiment of Punjab Cavalry, is appointed Section Road Commandant for the line of communications, Tochi Field Force.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 721.—The following extracts are published for general information :

"London Gazette," dated the 8th June 1897, pages 3200 and 3201.

WAR OFFICE ;

Pall Mall, 8th June, 1897.

The Hong Kong Regiment.—Jemadar Zarif Khan to be Subadar, *vice* Fateh Khan, who has retired. Dated 24th April 1897.

Pay-Havildar Hussain Shah to be Jemadar, *vice* Zarif Khan. Dated 24th April 1897.

Staff.—Brevet-Colonel J. H. S. Craigie, from Lieutenant-Colonel half pay, to be an Assistant Adjutant-General in India, and to have the substantive rank of Colonel in the Army. Dated 15th April 1897.

INDIAN ARMY.

Colonel Neville F. Parker to be Major-General. Dated 10th May 1897.

ORGANISATION.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 722.—The following gentlemen are appointed Second-Lieutenants in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of officers :

George William Vitalli deRhé Philipe.

Harold St. George Gilmore.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 723.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :

INDIAN ARMY.

To be Colonels.

2nd July 1897.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Major-General Arthur Haldimand Prinsep, C.B., Bengal Cavalry.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Major-General Charles Alfred Moore, Bombay Cavalry.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Second-Lieutenant to be Lieutenant.

William Kenneth Hamilton Campbell,—1st April 1897.

COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE.

No. 724.—The undermentioned officers, of the Indian Staff Corps, are admitted to the colonel's allowances, with effect from the dates specified:

23rd June 1897.

Colonel John Randal Wilmer.

27th June 1897.

Colonel Colin Hubert Garbett.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

No. 725.—*Madras Command*—

Honorary Lieutenant and Deputy Assistant Commissary Malcolm M. Maclean to be Assistant Commissary;

Conductor Frederick Richards, Head Overseer, Gun Carriage Factory, Madras, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary, *seconded*, and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval;

Conductor Frederick Taylor, Head Overseer, Madras Arsenal Workshops, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary, *seconded*, and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

Conductor Benjamin Curtis to be Deputy Assistant Commissary, and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval;

Sub-Conductor John Duggan, Head Clerk, Madras Arsenal Office, to be Conductor, *seconded*;

Sub-Conductor Henry Woodard to be Conductor,—

with effect from the 3rd June 1897, *vice* Honorary Lieutenant and Assistant Commissary John Henry Shearburn, deceased.

NATIVE ARMY.

No. 726.—*12th The (Kelat-i-Ghilsai) Regiment of Bengal Infantry*—

Jemadar Shaik Kasim Ali to be Subadar and Havildar Ramzan Khan to be Jemadar, *vice* Khushiya Khan, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 8th March 1897.

No. 727.—*19th (Punjab) Regiment of Bengal Infantry*—

Jemadar Madat to be Subadar and Havildar Shakir Khan to be Jemadar, *vice* Bahawal Bakhsh, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 25th May 1897.

No. 728.—*26th (Punjab) Regiment of Bengal Infantry*—

Subadar Sherbaz to be Subadar-Major, Jemadar Dewa Singh to be Subadar and Color-Havildar Pála Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Jiwan Singh, *Bahadur*, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 1st April 1897.

Jemadar Nihal Singh to be Subadar and Color-Havildar Jiwand Singh to be Jemadar, *vice*

Chattar Singh, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 1st April 1897.

No. 729.—*34th (Punjab) Regiment of Bengal Infantry (Pioneers)*—

Subadar Mal Singh to be Subadar-Major, Jemadar Narayan Singh to be Subadar and Pay-Havildar Sundar Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Nihal Singh, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 1st June 1897.

No. 730.—*1st Battalion, 4th Gurkha (Rifle) Regiment*—

Havildar Bala Sing Gurung to be Jemadar, *vice* Tilakbir Gharti, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 16th April 1897.

No. 731.—*20th Regiment of Bombay Infantry*—

Jemadar Motiram Pema to be Subadar, *vice* Ujagar Bajpai, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 1st January 1897.

Havildar Prem Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Chander-rao Surwe, transferred to the 16th Regiment of Bombay Infantry, with effect from the 10th February 1897.

No. 732.—*21st Regiment of Bombay Infantry (Marine Battalion)*—

Drill-Havildar Shaikh Kadir to be Jemadar, *vice* Babaji Jadhu, promoted, with effect from the 1st March 1897.

No. 733.—*23rd Regiment of Bombay Infantry (2nd Battalion, Rifle Regiment)*—

In G. G. O. No. 678 of 1897 for "Mansan Khan" read "Mausam Kha"

PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE.

No. 734.—*3rd Regiment of Punjab Cavalry*—

Ressaidar Muhammad Yusuf to be Risaldar, Jemadar Malibub Ali to be Ressaidar and Kot-Dafadar Azizullah to be Jemadar, *vice* Ashraf Khan, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 1st May 1897.

No. 735.—*1st Regiment of Punjab Infantry*—

Subadar Nur Alam to be Subadar-Major, Jemadar Fateh Khan to be Subadar and Havildar Fateh Khan to be Jemadar, *vice* Kushhal Khan, *Bahadur*, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 16th May 1897.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 736.—Honorary Captain Thomas Wynn, Deputy Commissary, Commissariat-Transport Department, Madras, has been permitted to retire from the service, with effect from the 1st May 1897.

SPECIAL.

No. 737.—With reference to article 280, Army Regulations, India, Volume 1, Part 1, the undermentioned officer, having been absent

from military duty for ten years, is transferred to the supernumerary list, with effect from the date specified:

Captain J. Manners Smith, V.C., C.I.E., Political Agent, 3rd class, Military Secretary to the Kashmir Darbar,—27th June 1897.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

MEDALS.

No. 738.—His Excellency the Governor General of India has been pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon the under-mentioned officers of the Indian Volunteer Force, who have been duly recommended for the same under the Royal Warrant of 24th May 1894 (clause 101, India Army Circulars of 1894):

Bombay Volunteer Rifles.

Honorary Captain and Paymaster Arthur Francis Soundy.

North-Western Railway Volunteer Rifles.

Honorary Captain and Quartermaster Edward L'Estrange Corbet.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 41.—The undermentioned officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Secretary of State for India:

Commander H. S. Black, Royal Indian Marine, (p. a.) for forty days.

No. 42.—Chief Engineer J. Brown, Royal Indian Marine, is granted an extension of leave, (m. c.) for three months.

P. J. MAITLAND, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 2nd July, 1897.

Under clause 53 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act of 1893, it is notified that reports of the deaths of the undermentioned commissioned officers on the dates specified were received in the Military Department between the 26th June and the 2nd July 1897:

Corps.	Rank and Names.	Date of decease.	Place of decease.	Testate or Intestate.	Remarks.
Royal Artillery	Lieutenant-Colonel R. C. E. North.	15th June 1897	Rangoon	...	...
Indian Medical Service, Bengal (1st Regiment of Sikh Infantry).	Surgeon-Captain C. C. Cassidy.	22nd June 1897	Dattakhel	...	...

P. J. MAITLAND, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 28th June, 1897.

No. 248.—The services of Mr. F. R. Bagley, Superintending Engineer, 3rd Class, sub. *pro tem.*, were lent to the Burma Railways Company, Limited, with effect from the forenoon of the 1st September 1896.

No. 249.—With reference to Notification of the Government of India, Department of Revenue and Agriculture, No. 1388—6-17, dated the 17th June 1897, Lieutenant W. A. Watts-Jones, R.E., is re-appointed to the Public Works Department, as an Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, and posted to the establishment under the Director General of Railways.

No. 250.—Second-Lieutenant Alan Brough, R.E., is appointed to the Public Works Department as an Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, and posted to State Railways. His services are placed at the disposal of the Director General of Railways.

The 29th June, 1897.

No. 251.—Rai Bahadur Preonath Ghose, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, State Railways, is temporarily transferred to Assam Provincial Establishment.

The 30th June, 1897.

No. 252.—*Corrigendum.*—That portion of Public Works Department Notification No. 182, dated the 6th May 1897, relating to the posting of Lieutenant R. S. Muter, R.E., Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, to the establishment under the Government of Bengal, for employment on Railways, is hereby cancelled.

No. 253.—Lalla Raghubir Prasad Verma, Apprentice Engineer, Provincial Engineer Establishment, North-Western Provinces and Oudh, is promoted to Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade.

The 2nd July, 1897.

No. 254.—Mr. W. F. O'Donoghue, officiating Examiner, Public Works Accounts, Bombay, is appointed to officiate as Examiner of Guaranteed Railway Accounts, Bombay, in addition to his own duties, during the absence on privilege leave of Major C. R. Hoskyn, R.E.

No. 255.—The following promotions are ordered in the Accounts Branch :

Names.	From	To	Nature of promotion.	With effect from
Iyer, K. Balārāma . . .	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade, sub. <i>pro tem.</i>	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade	Permanent .	17th June 1897.
Philipe, G. W. V. de Rhé	Deputy Examiner, 2nd Grade	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade	Sub. <i>pro tem.</i>	17th June 1897.
Sherlock-Hubbard, I. S. .	Examiner, 3rd Class . . .	Examiner, 2nd Class . . .	Permanent .	} 29th June 1897.
Barrow, W. F. . . .	Examiner, 4th Class, 1st Grade, permanent, and Examiner, 3rd Class, temporary.	Examiner, 3rd Class . . .	Permanent .	
Grant, A.	Examiner, 4th Class, 2nd Grade.	Examiner, 4th Class, 1st Grade.	Permanent .	
Curry, W. E.	Examiner, 4th Class, 2nd Grade, sub. <i>pro tem.</i>	Examiner, 4th Class, 2nd Grade.	Permanent .	
Durant, W. E.	Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade, sub. <i>pro tem.</i>	Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade.	Permanent .	} 29th June 1897.
Philipe, G. W. V. de Rhé	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade, sub. <i>pro tem.</i>	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade	Permanent .	
leMaistre, G. H. . . .	Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade.	Examiner, 4th Class, 2nd Grade.	Sub. <i>pro tem.</i>	
Slane, W.	Deputy Examiner, Class I, permanent. Examiner, Class IV, temporary.	Deputy Examiner, Class I . Examiner, Class IV (new classification).	Permanent Sub. <i>pro tem.</i>	
Bayly, W. G. G. . . .	Deputy Examiner, 2nd Grade	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade	Sub. <i>pro tem.</i>	} 29th June 1897.
Barrow, W. F.	Examiner, 3rd Class . . .	Examiner, 2nd Class . . .	Temporary .	
Deanys, E. A.	Examiner, 4th Class, 1st Grade.	Examiner, 3rd Class . . .	Temporary .	
Godfrey, J.	Deputy Examiner, Class I .	Examiner, Class IV (new classification).	Temporary .	
Rabbitt, W. T.	Deputy Examiner, Class II .	Deputy Examiner, Class I (new classification).	Temporary .	} 29th June 1897.
Harprasad Dar	Assistant Examiner, 1st Grade.	Deputy Examiner, Class II (new classification).	Temporary .	

No. 256.—Mr. J. R. Muirhead, Chief Traffic Inspector, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, is appointed to officiate as Assistant Traffic Superintendent during the absence of Mr. S. C. E. Hartwell, Traffic Superintendent, on furlough, or until further orders.

No. 257.—Lieutenant C. W. Wilkinson, R.E., Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, State Railways, is appointed Deputy Consulting Engineer for Railways, Bombay, until further orders.

W. S. S. BISSET, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to the Government of India.



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PART V.

Bills introduced in the Council of the Governor General of India for making Laws and Regulations, Reports of Select Committees presented to the Council, and Bills published under Rule 22.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 1st July, 1897 :

NO. 9 OF 1897.

A Bill to Facilitate the citation of certain Acts.

WHEREAS it is expedient to facilitate the citation of certain Acts ; It is hereby enacted as follows :

1. (1) This Act may be called the Indian Title and commencement. Short Titles Act, 1897 ; and ment.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. Each of the Acts described in the first three columns of the schedule may, without prejudice to any other mode of citation, be cited for all purposes by the short title mentioned in that behalf in the fourth column thereof. [Cf. 59 & 60 Vict., c. 14, s. 1 ; V of 1897, s. 4.]

THE SCHEDULE.

1	2	3	4	5
Year.	No.	Subject.	Short Title.	REMARKS.*
1834	II	Authorizing Secretaries to Government to exercise powers of Chief Secretaries.	The Secretaries to Government Act, 1834.	
1837	IV	Empowering all subjects of Her Majesty to hold land.	The Property in Land Act, 1837.	
1838	XXV	Wills	The Wills Act, 1838.	
1839	XXIX	Amending the Law relating to Dower ...	The Dower Act, 1839.	
"	XXX	Amending the Law of Inheritance ...	The Inheritance Act, 1839.	
"	XXXII	Concerning the allowance of Interest in certain cases.	The Interest Act, 1839.	
1841	X	Prescribing the Rules to be observed in order that ships or vessels belonging to ports within the territories under the Government of the East India Company, or belonging to Native Princes or States, or their subjects, may become entitled to the privileges of British ships under a proclamation of the Governor-General of India in Council made in pursuance of the Statute, 3rd and 4th Victoria, ch. 56.	The Indian Registration of Ships Act, 1841.	
"	XIX	Providing for the protection of moveable and immoveable property against wrongful possession in cases of succession.	The Succession (Property Protection) Act, 1841.	
"	XXIV	Providing for the greater uniformity of the Law administered by Her Majesty's Supreme Courts with that administered in England in regard to the undisposed residue of the effects of Testators, Illusory Appointments, the transfer of Estates by persons under disabilities pursuant to the direction of Courts, and the better management of the property of such persons and other like matters.	The Illusory Appointments and Infants' Property Act, 1841.	The whole Act, except in so far as it relates to illusory appointments and infants, and except section 5 (which saves certain cases and proceedings), was repealed by Act VIII of 1868.
"	XXVII	Providing for the appropriation of the unclaimed Dividends on Insolvent Estates.	The Insolvent Estates (Unclaimed Dividends) Act, 1841.	
1843	V	Declaring and amending the Law regarding the condition of Slavery within the territories of the East India Company.	The Indian Slavery Act, 1843.	
1846	I	Amending the Law regarding the appointment and remuneration of Pleaders in the Courts of the East India Company.	The Legal Practitioners Act, 1846.	Cf. Act XVIII of 1879. This short title is suggested on the principle apparently adopted by the framers of the English Statute (the Short Titles Act, 1896), a reference to which will show that, where the subject-matter is of the same character, though title given is the same except in respect of

* This column will be omitted before the Bill is passed into Law.

THE SCHEDULE—*contd.*

1	2	3	4	5
Year.	No.	Subject.	Short Title.	REMARKS.
1846	I— <i>contd.</i>	.....	.....	the year mentioned. Thus the 10 Geo. 3, c. 47, is called "the East India Company Act, 1770"; the 13 Geo. 3, c. 63, "the East India Company Act, 1772"; the 21 Geo. 3, c. 70, "the East India Company Act, 1780"; the 24 Geo. 3, c. 25, "the East India Company Act, 1784"; the 33 Geo. 3, c. 52, "the East India Company Act, 1793"; and the 37 Geo. 3, c. 142, "the East India Company Act, 1797."
1847	XX	Providing for the encouragement of learning in the Territories subject to the Government of the East India Company by defining and providing for the enforcement of the right called Copyright therein.	The Indian Copyright Act, 1847.	
1848	XV	Forbidding trading by the Officers of the Supreme Courts.	The Supreme Courts' Officers Trading Act, 1848.	
1850	V	Providing for freedom of the Coasting Trade of India.	The Indian Coasting Trade Act, 1850.	
"	XI	Amending Act X, 1841	The Indian Registration of Ships Act (1841) Amendment Act, 1850.	
"	XII	Providing for avoiding loss by the default of Public Accountants.	The Public Accountants' Defaults Act, 1850.	
"	XVIII	Providing for the protection of Judicial Officers.	The Judicial Officers' Protection Act, 1850.	
"	XIX	Concerning the binding of Apprentices ...	The Apprentices Act, 1850.	
"	XXI	Extending the principle of section 9, Regulation VIII, 1832, of the Bengal Code throughout the Territories subject to the Government of East India Company.	The Caste Disabilities Removal Act, 1850.	
"	XXXIV	Providing for the better Custody of State Prisoners.	The State Prisoners Act, 1850.	
1851	VIII	Enabling Government to levy Tolls on Public Roads and Bridges.	The Indian Tolls Act, 1851.	
1852	VIII	Providing for the remuneration of the Sheriffs of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay for the execution of Mufassal Process under the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1882, and the Code of Civil Procedure.	The Sheriffs' Fees Act, 1852.	

THE SCHEDULE—*contd.*

1	2	3	4	5
Year.	No.	Subject.	Short Title.	REMARKS.
1852	XXX	Providing for the Naturalisation of Aliens	The Indian Naturalisation Act, 1852.	
1853.	II	Removing doubts as to the liability of all subjects of Her Majesty to the same jurisdiction as Natives in respect of public and Police duties and public charges incident to the holders of land or their local Agents or Managers.	The Landholders' Public Charges and Duties Act, 1853.	
"	XX	Amending the Law relating to Pleaders in the Courts of the East India Company.	The Legal Practitioners Act, 1853.	Cf. Act I of 1846.
1854	XXXI	Simplifying the modes of conveying land in cases to which the English Law is applicable.	The Conveyance of Land Act, 1854.	
1855	XI	Relating to mesne profits and to improvements made by holders under defective titles in cases to which the English Law is applicable.	The Mesne Profits and Improvements Act, 1855.	
"	XII	Enabling Executors, Administrators or Representatives to sue and be sued for certain wrongs.	The Legal Representatives' Suits Act, 1855.	
"	XIII	Providing compensation to families for loss occasioned by the death of a person caused by actionable wrong.	The Indian Fatal Accidents Act, 1855.	
"	XXIII	Amending the Law relating to the administration of the Estates of deceased persons charged with money by way of mortgage.	The Mortgaged Estates Administration Act, 1855.	
"	XXIV	Substituting penal servitude for the punishment of transportation in respect of European and American Convicts.	The Penal Servitude Act, 1855.	
"	XXVIII	Repealing the Usury Laws ...	The Usury Laws Repeal Act, 1855.	
1856	IX	Amending the Law relating to Bills of Lading.	The Indian Bills of Lading Act, 1856.	
"	XI	Providing for the better prevention of desertion by European Soldiers from the Land Forces of Her Majesty in India.	The European Deserters Act, 1856.	
"	XV	Removing all legal obstacles to the marriage of Hindu Widows.	The Hindu Widows' Re-marriage Act, 1856.	
1857	II	Providing for the establishment and incorporation of a University at Calcutta.	The Calcutta University Act, 1857.	Printed in the Bengal Code.
"	XI	Providing for the prevention, trial and punishment of offences against the State.	The State Offences Act, 1857.	
"	XXII	Providing for the establishment and incorporation of a University at Bombay.	The Bombay University Act, 1857.	Printed in the Bombay Code.
"	XXV	Providing for the adjudication and recovery of forfeitures of property in certain cases.	The Forfeiture Act, 1857.	

THE SCHEDULE—*contd.*

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Year.	No.	Subject.	Short Title.	REMARKS.
1857	XXVII	Providing for the establishment and incorporation of a University at Madras.	The Madras University Act, 1857.	Printed in the Madras Code.
1858	III	Amending the Law relating to the arrest and detention of State Prisoners.	The State Prisoners Act, 1858.	Cf. Act XXXIV of 1850.
"	XXXIV	Regulating proceedings in Lunacy in the Courts of Judicature established by Royal Charter.	The Lunacy (Supreme Courts) Act, 1858.	
"	XXXV	Making better provision for the case of the Estates of Lunatics not subject to the jurisdiction of the Supreme Courts of Judicature.	The Lunacy (District Courts) Act, 1858.	
"	XXXVI	Relating to Lunatic Asylums ...	The Indian Lunatic Asylums Act, 1858.	
1859	I	Amending the Law relating to Merchant Seamen.	The Indian Merchant Shipping Act, 1859.	
"	IX	Providing for the adjudication of claims to property seized or forfeited.	The Forfeiture Act, 1859.	Cf. Act XXV of 1857.
"	XIII	Providing for the punishment of breaches of contract by Artificers, Workmen and Labourers in certain cases.	The Workman's Breach of Contract Act, 1859.	
1860	IX	Making provision for the speedy determination of certain disputes between workmen engaged in railway and other public works and their employers.	The Employers and Workmen (Disputes) Act, 1860.	
"	XXI	Providing for the Registration of Literary, Scientific and Charitable Societies.	The Societies Registration Act, 1860.	
"	XXXIV	Indemnifying Officers of Government and other persons in respect of fines and contributions levied, and acts done, by them during the late disturbances.	The Government Officers' Indemnity Act 1860.	
"	XLVII	Giving to the Universities of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay the power of conferring degrees in addition to those mentioned in Acts II, XXII and XXVII of 1857.	The Indian Universities (Degrees) Act, 1860.	
1861	V	Providing for the Regulation of Police ...	The Police Act, 1861.	
"	XVI	Providing for the licensing and regulation of Stage-Carriages.	The Stage-Carriages Act, 1861.	
1862	III	Amending the Law relating to the use of a Government Seal.	The Government Seal Act, 1862.	
1863	XVI	Making special provision for the levy of the excise duty payable on Spirits used exclusively in Arts and Manufactures or in Chemistry.	The Excise (Spirits) Act, 1863.	
"	XX	Enabling the Government to divest itself of the management of Religious Endowments.	The Religious Endowments Act, 1863.	
"	XXIII	Providing for the adjudication of claims to waste lands.	The Waste Lands (Claims) Act, 1863.	

THE SCHEDULE—*contd.*

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Year.	No.	Subject.	Short Title.	REMARKS.
1863	XXXI	Giving effect to the publication of certain orders and other matters in the <i>Gazette of India</i> .	The Official Gazettes Act, 1863.	
1864	III	Giving the Government certain powers with respect to Foreigners.	The Foreigners Act, 1864.	
"	VI	Authorizing the punishment of whipping in certain cases.	The Whipping Act, 1864.	
"	XV	Amending Act VIII of 1851 (<i>for enabling Government to levy Tolls on Public Roads and Bridges</i>).	The Indian Tolls Act, 1864.	
"	XVII	Providing for the constitution of an Office of Official Trustees.	The Official Trustees Act, 1864.	
1865	XXI	Defining and amending the Law relating to Intestate Succession among the Parsis.	The Parsi Intestate Succession Act, 1865.	
1866	V	Amending in certain respects the Commercial Law of British India.	The Policies of Insurance (Marine and Fire) Assignment Act, 1866.	All that is left of the Act provides for the assignment of policies of marine and fire insurance.
"	XXV	Providing for the transfer to the Government of India of certain securities and moneys deposited in the High Courts of Judicature at Fort William, Madras and Bombay.	The Unclaimed Deposits Act, 1866.	
1867	XVI	Authorizing the making of certain acting appointments to certain Judicial Officers.	The Acting Judges Act, 1867.	
"	XXV	Providing for the regulation of Printing-presses and Newspapers for the preservation of copies of books printed in British India, and for the registration of such books.	The Press and Registration of Books Act, 1867.	
1870	I	Providing Rules relating to Quarantine ...	The Indian Quarantine Act, 1870.	
"	V	Enabling the High Courts at the Presidency-towns to deal with costs of petitions for certain moneys transferred to Government.	The Unclaimed Deposits Act, 1870.	Cf. Act XXV of 1866.
"	VIII	Providing for the prevention of the murder of Female Infants.	The Female Infanticide Prevention Act, 1870.	
"	XX	Correcting two clerical errors in the Court-fees Act, 1870.	The Court-fees Act (1870) Amendment Act, 1870.	
"	XXVII	Amending the Indian Penal Code ...	The Indian Penal Code Amendment Act, 1870.	
1872	III	Providing a form of Marriage for persons who do not profess the Christian, Jewish, Hindu, Muhammadan, Parsi, Buddhist, Sikh or Jaina religion.	The Special Marriage Act, 1872.	

THE SCHEDULE—*contd.*

1	2	3	4	5
Year.	No.	Subject.	Short Title.	REMARKS.
1872	XIX	Amending the definition of 'Coin' in the Indian Penal Code.	The Indian Penal Code Amendment Act, 1872.	
1875	V	Removing doubts as to the rights and liabilities of certain native soldiers.	The Unattested Sepoys Act, 1875.	
"	X	Regulating the Procedure of the High Courts in the exercise of their original criminal jurisdiction.	The Advocate General's (Powers) Act, 1895.	The whole Act has been repealed except two sections (144 and 146), which give the Advocate General power to exhibit an information and enter a <i>nolle prosequi</i> .
"	XIII	Amending the Law relating to Probates and Letters of Administration.	The Indian Succession Law Amendment Act, 1875.	The Act amends Act X of 1865 and also Act VII of 1870.
1876	XVI	Amending the Stage-Carriages Act ...	The Stage-Carriages Act (1861) Amendment Act, 1876.	Cf. Act XVI of 1861.
1877	II	Amending Act XIII of 1875 ...	The Indian Succession Law Amendment Act, 1877.	The Act defines the expression "High Court" in Act X of 1865 as amended by Act XIII of 1875.
"	IV	Regulating the procedure and increasing the jurisdiction of the Courts of Magistrates in the Presidency-towns.	The Presidency Magistrates (Court-fees) Act, 1877.	The whole Act has been repealed except one section (57), which fixes the fee for a summons or warrant issued by a Presidency Magistrate and empowers a Presidency Magistrate to remit payment.
1879	XII	Amending the Registration Act, 1877, and the Limitation Act, 1877.	The Registration and Limitation Acts Amendment Act, 1879.	
1882	VIII	Amending the Indian Penal Code ...	The Indian Penal Code Amendment Act, 1882.	
1883	II	Amending the Elephants Preservation Act, 1879.	The Elephants Preservation Act (1879) Amendment Act, 1883.	See Act VI of 1879.
1884	I	Amending the Law relating to the granting of honorary degrees by the Universities at Calcutta, Madras and Bombay.	The Indian Universities (Honorary Degrees) Act, 1884.	Cf. Act XLVII of 1860.
1885	III	Amending the Transfer of Property Act, 1882.	The Transfer of Property Act (1882) Amendment Act, 1885.	

THE SCHEDULE—*contd.*

1	2	3	4	5
Year.	No.	Subject.	Short Title.	REMARKS.
1885	IX	Amending the Excise Act, 1881, the Bengal Excise Act, 1878, and the Sea Customs Act, 1878.	The Excise and Sea Customs Law Amendment Act, 1885.	
"	XV	Amending the Local Authorities Loan Act, 1879.	The Local Authorities Loan Act (1879) Amendment Act, 1885.	
1886	II	Imposing a tax on income derived from sources other than agriculture.	The Indian Income-tax Act, 1886.	
"	IV	Amending section 265 of the Indian Contract Act, 1872.	The Indian Contract Act (1872) Amendment Act, 1886.	
"	X	Amending the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1882, and certain other Acts.	The Indian Criminal Law Amendment Act, 1886.	This Act amends Act X of 1882, Bombay Act VII of 1867, Act XLV of 1860 and Act V of 1871.
"	XVIII	Amending Act XXXVI of 1858 ...	The Indian Lunatic Asylums Act (1858) Amendment Act, 1886.	Cf. Act XXXVI of 1858.
1887	II	Amending the Sea Customs Act, 1878, the Excise Act, 1881, and the Indian Tariff Act, 1882.	The Sea Customs Act (1878) Amendment Act, 1887.	Acts XXII of 1881 and XI of 1882 have both been repealed.
"	III	Amending the Indian Evidence Act, 1872.	The Indian Evidence Act (1872) Amendment Act, 1887.	
"	V	Amending the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1882.	The Criminal Procedure Code (1882) Amendment Act, 1887.	
"	VI	Amending the Indian Companies Act, 1882.	The Indian Companies Act (1882) Amendment Act, 1887.	
1888	I	Amending the Indian Stamp Act, 1879	The Indian Stamp Act (1879) Amendment Act, 1888.	
"	II	Providing for the levy of a Customs-duty on Petroleum.	The Petroleum (Customs-duty) Act, 1888.	
"	VIII	Removing doubts as to the legality of the levy of certain Tolls.	The Indian Tolls Act, 1888.	
"	X	Amending the Code of Civil Procedure and the Presidency Small Cause Courts Act, 1882.	The Presidency Small Cause Courts Law Amendment Act, 1888.	

THE SCHEDULE—*contd.*

1	2	3	4	5
Year.	No.	Subject.	Short Title.	REMARKS.
1888	XI	Making an addition to the Indian Telegraph Act, 1885.	The Indian Telegraph (Presidency-towns) Act, 1888.	The section added (34) provides for the application of Act XV of 1885 to the Presidency-towns and Rangoon.
"	XVII	Amending the Indian Marine Act, 1887	The Indian Marine Act (1887) Amendment Act, 1888.	
1889	VI	Amending the Indian Succession Act, 1865, the Probate and Administration Act, 1881, the Court-fees Act, 1870, and the Indian Stamp Act, 1879, and making provision with respect to certain matters.	The Indian Succession Law Amendment Act, 1889.	Act XI of 1882 has been repealed.
"	VIII	Amending the Sea Customs Act, 1878, and the Indian Tariff Act, 1882.	The Sea Customs Act (1878) Amendment Act, 1889.	
"	XX	Amending Act XXXVI of 1858 ...	The Indian Lunatic Asylums Act (1858) Amendment Act, 1889.	Cf. Act XVIII of 1886.
1890	II	Amending Acts XVII of 1864, X of 1865, II of 1874 and V of 1881.	The Indian Succession Law Amendment Act, 1890.	
"	III	Amending Acts VI and VII of 1884 ...	The Indian Steamships Law Amendment Act, 1890.	
"	X	Amending Act XXV of 1867 ...	The Press and Registration of Books Act (1867) Amendment Act, 1890.	
"	XIV	Amending the Schedule to the Petroleum Act, 1886.	The Petroleum Act (1886) Amendment Act, 1890.	
"	XVI	Amending the Births, Deaths and Marriages Registration Act, 1886.	The Births, Deaths and Marriages Registration Act (1886) Amendment Act, 1890.	
"	XVIII	Amending the Indian Emigration Act, 1883.	The Indian Emigration Act (1883) Amendment Act, 1890.	
"	XIX	Amending the Indian Salt Act, 1882 ...	The Indian Salt Act (1882) Amendment Act, 1890.	
1891	I	Amending the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871, and incorporating therein Act XVIII of 1883.	The Cattle-trespass Act (1871) Amendment Act, 1891.	
"	II	Amending the Indian Christian Marriage Act, 1872.	The Indian Christian Marriage Act (1872) Amendment Act, 1891.	Act XVIII of 1883 amended Act I of 1871.

THE SCHEDULE—*contd.*

1	2	3	4	5
Year.	No.	Subject.	Short Title.	REMARKS.
1891	III	Amending the Indian Evidence Act, 1872, and the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1882.	The Indian Evidence Act (1872) Amendment Act, 1891.	Only one small addition was made to the Code by this Act and the section making it will soon be repealed on the revision of the Code.
"	IV	Amending the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1882.	The Criminal Procedure Code (1882) Amendment Act, 1891.	
"	IV	Amending and supplementing the Indian Ports Act, 1889.	The Indian Ports Act, 1891.	
"	VI	Amending certain Acts respecting Indian Merchant Shipping.	The Indian Merchant Shipping Law Amendment Act, 1891.	This Act amended Acts I of 1859, VII of 1880 and V of 1883.
"	VII	Amending Act X of 1841 ...	The Indian Registration of Ships Act (1841) Amendment-Act, 1891.	Cf. Act XI of 1850.
"	IX	Amending the Indian Merchandise Marks Act, 1889, and the Sea Customs Act, 1878.	The Indian Merchandise Marks and Sea Customs Acts Amendment Act, 1891.	
"	X	Amending the Indian Penal Code and the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1882.	The Indian Criminal Law Amendment Act, 1891.	
"	XIII	Amending the Inland Steam-vessels Act, 1884.	The Inland Steam-vessels Act (1884) Amendment Act, 1891.	
1892	II	Validating certain marriages solemnized under Part VI of the Indian Christian Marriage Act, 1872.	The Marriages' Validation Act, 1892.	
"	VI	Amending the Indian Limitation Act, 1877, and the Code of Civil Procedure.	The Indian Limitation Act and Civil Procedure Code Amendment Act, 1891.	
1893	V	Legalising in certain cases the execution within British India of capital sentences which have been passed by British Courts exercising in or with respect to territory beyond the limits of British India Jurisdiction which the Governor General has in such territory.	The Foreign Jurisdiction (Capital Sentences) Act, 1893.	
1894	II	Amending the Indian Ports Act, 1889 ...	The Indian Ports Act (1889) Amendment Act, 1894.	
"	III	Amending the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1882, and the Indian Penal Code.	The Indian Criminal Law Amendment Act, 1894.	
"	VI	Amending the Indian Stamp Act, 1879, with respect to Policies of Sea and Fire Insurance and Sale-certificates.	The Indian Stamp Act Amendment Act, 1894.	

THE SCHEDULE—*contd.*

1	2	3	4	5
Year.	No.	Subject.	Short Title.	REMARKS.
1894	VII	Amending the Prisoners Act, 1871 ...	The Prisoners Act (1871) Amendment Act, 1894.	
	X	Amending the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1882.	The Criminal Procedure Code (1882) Amendment Act, 1894.	
1895	III	Amending the Indian Penal Code, Act VI of 1864 and the Indian Post-office Act, 1866.	The Indian Criminal Law Amendment Act, 1895.	Act XIV of 1866 is about to be repealed - and re-enacted, and section 7 of this Act, which amends it, will, therefore, soon be repealed and had better be ignored.
	IV	Amending sections 366 and 371 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1882.	The Criminal Procedure Code (1882) Amendment Act, 1895.	
	VII	Amending certain sections of the Code of Civil Procedure and the Punjab Laws Act, 1872.	The Punjab Laws Act Amendment Act, 1895.	One of the three amendments made in the Code is with reference to the Punjab Chief Court. As the Code is under revision, it may be ignored in the short title.
"	VIII	Amending Act V of 1861 (<i>an Act for the Regulation of Police</i>).	The Police Act (1861) Amendment Act, 1895.	Cf. Act V of 1861.
"	XIII	Amending sections 632 and 652 of the Code of Civil Procedure.	The Civil Procedure Code Amendment Act, 1895.	
1896	I	Amending the Indian Emigration Act, 1883.	The Indian Emigration Act (1883) Amendment Act, 1896.	
"	III	Amending the Indian Tariff Act, 1894 ...	The Indian Tariff Act (1894) Amendment Act, 1896.	
"	IV	Amending the Indian Ports Act, 1889 ...	The Indian Ports Act (1889) Amendment Act, 1896.	
"	V	Amending the Foreign Jurisdiction and Extradition Act, 1879.	The Foreign Jurisdiction and Extradition Act (1879) Amendment Act, 1896.	
"	VI	Amending the Indian Penal Code ...	The Indian Penal Code Amendment Act, 1896.	
"	VII	Amending the Presidency Small Cause Courts Act, 1882.	The Presidency Small Cause Courts Act (1882) Amendment Act, 1896.	

THE SCHEDULE—*concl'd.*

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Year.	No.	Subject.	Short Title.	REMARKS.
1896	IX	Amending the Indian Railways Act, 1890	The Indian Railways Act (1890) Amendment Act, 1896.	This Act made important substantive changes in Act XVIII of 1879.
"	XI	Amending the Legal Practitioners Act, 1879.	The Legal Practitioners Act, 1896.	
"	XIII	Amending the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1882.	The Criminal Procedure Code (1882) Amendment Act, 1896.	
"	XV	Amending the Glanders and Farcy Act, 1879.	The Glanders and Farcy Act (1879) Amendment Act, 1896.	
"	XVI	Amending the Indian Post-office Act, 1866.	The Indian Post-office Act (1866) Amendment Act, 1896.	
1897	I	Amending Act XXXVII of 1850 (<i>for regulating Inquiries into the behaviour of Public Servants</i>).	The Public Servants (Inquiries) Act (1850) Amendment Act, 1897.	
"	XIII	Amending the Indian Stamp Act, 1879	The Indian Stamp Act (1879) Amendment Act, 1897.	

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

IT is convenient and in accordance with the present practice in England that every Act should be capable of being cited by means of a short title. This Bill has accordingly been drawn on the lines of the Short Titles Act, 1896 (59 & 60 Vict., c. 14), with the object of furnishing with such titles those general Acts of the Governor General in Council which are now deficient in this respect. A new edition of the general Acts is now in preparation, and with these Acts alone the present measure is concerned, all others being left to be dealt with hereafter when new editions of the local Codes are taken in hand.

The 26th June, 1897.

M. D. CHALMERS.

J. M. MACPHERSON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 1st July, 1897 :

NO. 10 OF 1897.

A Bill to further amend the Court-fees Act, 1870.

WHEREAS it is expedient to further amend the Court-fees Act, 1870; It is hereby enacted as follows :

11 of 1870. I. (1) This Act may be called the Court-fees Act (1870) Amendment Act, 1897; and

(2) It shall come into force at once.

11 of 1870. 2. After section 19-G of the Court-fees Act, 1870, the following sections shall be added, namely :

Power for Chief Revenue-officer of district to inspect records and prove under-valuation of estate.

“ 19-H. (1) The Chief Revenue-officer of the district may at any time inspect, or cause to be inspected, the record of any case in which application for probate or letters of administration has been made to a Court within

his district, and if, on such inspection or otherwise, he is of opinion that the petitioner has underestimated the value of the estate of the deceased, he may require the Court before which such application is pending, to hold an inquiry into the true value of the estate.

(2) Every Court, when so required as aforesaid, shall hold an inquiry accordingly, and shall record a finding as to the true value, as near as may be, at which the estate of the deceased should have been estimated.

(3) For the purposes of any such inquiry the Court may examine the petitioner for probate or letters of administration on oath (whether in person or by commission), and may take such further evidence as may be produced before it, either by such Revenue-officer or by such petitioner, to prove the true value of the estate.”

Mode of collecting Court-fees on probates or letters of administration.

“ 19-J. (1) Every application for probate or letters of administration must be accompanied by a deposit of a sum equal to the fee chargeable under this Act in respect of probate or letters of administration.

(2) If the application is allowed, the sum deposited under sub-section (1) shall be expended, under the direction of the Court, in the purchase of the stamp to be used for denoting the fee chargeable as aforesaid.

(3) Any sum deposited under sub-section (1) and not expended under sub-section (2) shall be refunded to the depositor.”

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

Under Act VII of 1870, a certain percentage is leviable by way of court-fee on the value, as estimated by the petitioner, of an estate in respect of which a grant of probate or letters of administration is made. Chapter III-A of the same Act, as amended by Acts XIII of 1875 and VIII of 1890, makes provision for a refund where the petitioner pays what turns out to be too high a fee, and also, in the converse case of his paying at the time of his application for probate or letters of administration a fee calculated on too low an estimate of the assets likely to come to his hands, for the subsequent levy of the difference between what he has actually paid and what he ought to have paid.

2. There is, however, no means provided by which the Revenue Officers of Government can check the sufficiency of a petitioner's valuation, and it is proposed by this Bill to remove what experience has shown to be a defect in the law of some practical importance, by adding to the Court-fees Act, 1870 (VII of 1870), a section enabling the Chief Revenue Officer of the district, to inspect the records of any case in which application for probate or letters of administration has been made, and to prove in court any undervaluation of the estate concerned.

3. It is further proposed to insert in the same Act a provision similar to that contained in section 14 of the Succession Certificate Act, 1889 (VII of 1889), so as to secure, at the time of application for probate or letters of administration, the payment of the fee chargeable in respect of the subsequent grant thereof. As the law now stands, the duty is payable, not on the application for, but on the grant of, probate or letters of administration. A person to whom sections 187 and 190 of the Indian Succession Act, 1865 (X of 1865), do not apply and who is not bound to produce probate or letters of administration to establish his rights in succession may attain all that he desires by merely obtaining on his application an order for the grant of probate or letters of administration, without actually taking out, and paying the fees prescribed for, the probate or letters of administration applied for. This result cannot, obviously, have been contemplated, and the latter part of clause 2 of the Bill is intended to guard against it.

The 26th June, 1897.

J. WOODBURN.

J. M. MACPHERSON,

Secretary to the Government of India.



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PART VI.

Proceedings of the Council of the Governor General of India, assembled for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA, ASSEMBLED FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING LAWS AND REGULATIONS UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE INDIAN COUNCILS ACTS, 1861 AND 1892 (24 & 25 VICT., CAP. 67, AND 55 & 56 VICT., CAP. 14).

The Council met at the Viceregal Lodge, Simla, on Thursday, the 1st July, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Earl of Elgin, Viceroy and Governor General of India, P.C., G.M.S.I., G.M.I.E., LL.D., *presiding*.

His Honour Sir William Mackworth Young, K.C.S.I., Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab.

His Excellency Sir G. S. White, G.C.I.E., G.C.B., V.C., Commander-in-Chief in India.

The Hon'ble Sir J. Woodburn, K.C.S.I.

The Hon'ble M. D. Chalmers.

The Hon'ble Major-General Sir E. H. H. Collen, K.C.I.E., C.B.

The Hon'ble A. C. Trevor, C.S.I.

The Hon'ble Sir H. T. Prinsep, Kt.

UNITED KINGDOM PROBATES BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. CHALMERS asked for leave to withdraw the Bill to provide for the recognition in British India of Probates and Letters of Administration granted by Courts in the United Kingdom. He said:—"The Bill was referred to a Select Committee last year in Calcutta. The Select Committee

unanimously came to the conclusion that the Bill was not required in India, and that it would have the effect of introducing confusion into the existing practice which has been working satisfactorily. I beg therefore to withdraw it."

Leave was granted.

BURMA MUNICIPAL BILL.

The Hon'ble SIR JOHN WOODBURN asked for leave to withdraw the Bill to amend the law relating to Municipalities in Burma. He said:—"Last year I asked permission to introduce a Bill, at the instance of the Chief Commissioner of Burma, to amend the law relating to Municipalities in that province. The Chief Commissioner has now been made a Lieutenant-Governor and has a Legislative Council of his own; and I ask permission to withdraw the Bill in order that it may be brought forward in his Council."

Leave was granted.

SHORT TITLES BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. CHALMERS moved for leave to introduce a Bill to facilitate the citation of certain Acts. He said:—"In India the practice of giving a short title to every Act does not at present exist. The English practice is to give a short title to every Act, and a Bill was passed into law last year to give a short title to every Act which had not been provided with one. This Bill is drawn on the lines of the English Act. When an Act is cited it is very inconvenient to cite it by its long title, and it is a convenience to everybody that a short title should be given to it. The Bill is merely a formal one."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. CHALMERS introduced the Bill.

The Hon'ble MR. CHALMERS moved that the Bill and Statement of Objects and Reasons be published in English in the Gazette of India and in the local official Gazettes.

The motion was put and agreed to.

COURT-FEES ACT, 1870, AMENDMENT BILL.

The Hon'ble SIR JOHN WOODBURN moved for leave to introduce a Bill to amend the Court-fees Act, 1870. He said:—"The necessity for each of the two amendments in the Court-fees Act which are embodied in the Bill before the Council has been separately brought to the notice of the Government of India; and, though the two are closely connected, it is necessary to explain briefly the legal history of each separately.

"The object of the two amendments is—

Firstly, to provide a check on the undervaluation of estates by persons applying for probate of a will or for letters of administration, and

Secondly, to place on a more satisfactory footing the existing law relating to the realization of the duty payable on probates and letters of administration.

"The law which at present governs the administration of the estates of deceased persons in India is as follows. Under section 62 of the Probate and Administration Act (V of 1881), the petitioner must, in his application for the grant of probate or letters of administration, furnish an estimate of the assets likely to come into his hands, and court-fees are levied accordingly under article 11 of Schedule I to the Court-fees Act. Then, under section 98, the petitioner is required, within six months of the grant, to exhibit in Court an inventory containing a full and true estimate of all the property in possession and of all credits and debts; and within one year to exhibit an account of the assets realized and the manner of their disposal; the exhibition of an

intentionally false inventory or account being punishable as an offence under the Indian Penal Code. Finally, provision is made in Chapter IIIA of the Court-fees Act for the refund of duty in the case of a person who has paid too high a court-fee, and for recovering the deficiency from a person who has paid too little. The provisions of the Indian Succession Act correspond precisely with those of the Probate and Administration Act just described.

"There is, however, no machinery provided by which the Revenue-officers of Government can check the sufficiency of the valuation, and it has been reported that evasions of duty by undervaluation have caused considerable loss of revenue to the exchequer in the past. It was first proposed to supply the want by amending the Indian Succession and the Probate and Administration Acts, but since Chapter IIIA of the Court-fees Act specially relates to matters connected with probate and administration it is more convenient to effect the necessary change in the law by an amendment of the latter Act. Section 19H has therefore been drafted so as to empower the Collector to intervene by examining the applicant for probate or letters of administration, or by adducing other evidence of the undervaluation of the estate concerned, in order to secure the payment of the proper amount of court-fees; and the section provides that, for this purpose, he shall have access to the records. To explain the second amendment it is again necessary to point out how the existing law on the subject of recovery of the duty payable on probates and letters of administration stands.

"Under section 243 of the Indian Succession Act (X of 1865), an application for probate or letters of administrations, if duly made and verified, is conclusive for the purpose of authorising the grant of probate or administration, and sections 187 and 190 provide that no right under a will, or to the property of an intestate, can be established in any Court unless probate or administration, as the case may be, has been granted. But the Indian Succession Act does not apply to the case

of Hindus, Muhammadans or Budhists, or to persons specially* exempted by the Governor General in Council, and the case of such persons is governed by the Hindu Wills Act (XXI of 1870) and the Probate and Administration Act (V of 1881). The latter Act, while

reproducing the provisions of section 243 of the Indian Succession Act, omits the provisions contained in sections 187 and 190, with the result that persons to whom the Act of 1881, and not the Indian Succession Act, applies, find that if they apply for probate or for letters of administration, and if their applications are admitted as duly made and verified, a certificate of the fact may have the same effect as if they incurred the expense involved in actually taking out formal probate or administration. They may thus derive all the benefit of the security given them by the law without the liability to pay the fees which are involved in taking out formal probate or administration, whereas persons to whom the Act of 1865 applies are compelled, as already explained, by sections 187 and 190 of that Act to obtain formal probate or administration before any rights under any will or to the property of an intestate can be established. This is clearly inequitable, and the question of the best means of remedying the defect in the law has resulted in the decision to amend the Court-fees Act by the addition of a section on the lines of section 14 of the Succession Certificate Act. That section reads as follows :—

'14. (1) Every application for a certificate or for the extension of a certificate must be accompanied by a deposit of a sum equal to the fee payable under the first schedule to the Court-fees Act, 1870, in respect of the certificate or extension applied for.

(2) If the application is allowed, the sum deposited by the applicant shall be expended, under the direction of the Court, in the purchase of the stamp to be used for denoting the fee payable as aforesaid.

(3) Any sum received under sub-section (1) and not expended under sub-section (2) shall be refunded to the person who deposited it.'

"The second amendment which, by the Bill now before the Council, it is proposed to effect in the Court-fees Act is therefore, in substance, simply the extension to applications for probate and letters of administration of the provisions of the law which already apply to applications for succession certificates under the Succession Certificate Act of 1889."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble SIR JOHN WOODBURN introduced the Bill.

The Hon'ble SIR JOHN WOODBURN moved that the Bill and Statement of Objects and Reasons be published in the Gazette of India in English and in the local official Gazettes in English and in such other languages as the Local Governments may think fit.

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Council adjourned to Thursday, the 8th July, 1897.

• SIMLA;
The 2nd July, 1897. }

J. M. MACPHERSON,
Secretary to the Government of India,
Legislative Department.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

**Weather Review of India for the Week ending at 8 a.m. on
Saturday, June 26th, 1897.**

During the early part of the week under review the weather over a considerable part of the country was influenced by the small storm to which attention was directed in last week's review. This storm on the 20th lay between Saugor and Nowgong, whence it passed northward into the North-West Provinces and filled up. It occasioned a fair amount of rain over the Gangetic Plain and the central parts of the country and a local heavy fall at Nowgong. After its disappearance the lowest pressures were established over the Punjab, but relatively low pressures appeared during the latter part of the week over North-East India, and by the close of the week a well defined depression was shown over Bengal. As this low pressure area developed in the north-east the rain fall was gradually concentrated over Burma, Bengal and Bihar and decreased over other parts of the country, so that by Saturday, the 26th, there was practically no rain whatever reported from any part of the Indian region, except the provinces of Burma and Bengal. Within this area rain was general and in places heavy, Patna reporting 13 inches on the 25th and Gaya 7 inches on the 26th. The general temperature of India has been higher than usual on each day of the week, but the amount of the excess has been small, as the rainfall over the Gangetic Plain and the central parts of the country kept temperature low for several days. In the Punjab a cool northerly breeze set in on the 24th, and from that day on to the close of the week the mean temperature over that province was in slight to large defect of the normal.

Daily Summary.—*Sunday, June 20th.*—The barometric changes of the previous 24 hours had been slight in most places, but there had occurred a brisk recovery at Allahabad and Sutna and a brisk decrease at Saugor. These changes were due to the small storm which had moved very slowly westward and lay between Saugor and Nowgong. The winds were cyclonic in its neighbourhood, but blew from about the normal directions elsewhere. The pressure differences were large and the force of the wind considerable. Rain had fallen fairly generally over Burma, Bengal, the Gangetic Plain, the central parts of India and the West Coast from Bombay southward. The fall had been very heavy at Nowgong and moderate to light elsewhere. Over North-West India the centre and east of the Peninsula and the Bombay Deccan the weather had been fine. The mean temperature had been low over the Gangetic Plain and central districts.

Monday, June 21st.—Pressure had given way almost everywhere. The storm had moved slightly northward and almost filled up, and pressure ranged from 29·80 inches in Ceylon to 29·26 inches in the West Punjab. The barometer read below the normal everywhere, but the deficiency being greater in the north than in the south, gradients were steeper than usual. The winds were variable over the Gangetic Plain and about normal elsewhere. The rainfall distribution was similar to that reported on the preceding day, the weather having been fine and rainless over North-West India, the Bombay Deccan and Madras. The mean temperature remained low over the Gangetic Plain and the central parts of India and excessive elsewhere.

Tuesday, June 22nd.—The barometer had continued to fall generally—most in the north-west. Readings ranged from 29·82 inches in Ceylon to 29·17 inches at Mooltan, and gradients were much steeper than usual. The winds, with

some local exceptions, blew from about the normal directions, and the force was rising over a large part of the country. The rainfall distribution was the same as on the two preceding days, the weather having remained fine over North-West India, Central India, the Bombay Deccan and Madras. The rainfall was, however, decreasing in amount along the West Coast. The weather continued cool over the Gangetic Plain and the Central Provinces and very hot elsewhere.

Wednesday, June 23rd.—The barometric fall had ceased, and pressure was now increasing over the greater part of the country. The rise had been greatest in the north-west, so that readings now ranged from 29·82 inches in Ceylon to 29·30 inches at Mooltan. Gradients were hence slighter, but very strong west to south-west winds blew across the Peninsula, the central parts of India and the Bay. The easterly current up the Gangetic Plain was light and irregular. The weather was cooler than usual over the Bombay Deccan, the Central Provinces and the Gangetic Plain and over Lower Bengal and Arakan. The rainfall was generally similar to that reported on the 22nd.

Thursday, June 24th.—Pressure had continued to increase over the greater part of the country. Pressure remained highest over Ceylon, but shallow low pressure areas were shown (1) over the Western desert, (2) over the east of the Punjab and (3) over Bihar and Bengal. The winds in consequence varied very considerably in direction over Northern India, but over the Peninsula, the central parts of the country and the Bay very strong winds continued to be experienced. The rainfall had been light to heavy over Burma, Bengal and the east of the North-West Provinces, light along the West Coast and in Assam, while practically none had fallen elsewhere. Temperature had fallen rapidly in the Punjab and ranged below the normal over that province as well as over the North-West and Central Provinces and the west and south of Bengal.

Friday, June 25th.—The barometer had given way over Bengal and Burma and generally been steady elsewhere. The low pressure area over Bengal and Bihar had become better defined, but in other places there had been little change. The wind was northerly in the Punjab and Baluchistan, variable in the Gangetic Plain, cyclonic in Bengal and generally westerly elsewhere. The force remained very high over the Peninsula, the central parts of the country and the Bay. Light rain was again reported from the West Coast stations and general, and in places heavy, rain from Burma, Bengal and the east of North-West Provinces, but elsewhere the weather had been fine. The mean temperature was still low over the Punjab, Upper Sind, Bihar and Bengal and excessive elsewhere.

Saturday, June 26th.—Pressure had increased everywhere and over a large part of the country briskly. The depression over Bengal was still shown, but was slighter than on the preceding day. Northerly winds continued in the Punjab, cyclonic winds in Bengal and westerly winds in most other places. Rain was again reported generally from Burma, Bengal, Assam and the east of the North-West Provinces, and some scattered showers had occurred over the West Coast, but in general the weather had been dry. The mean temperature was largely below the normal in the Punjab and Baluchistan and in Bihar, while it was largely above in the Madras Coast districts.

Temperature.—The rainfall, which accompanied the small storm noticed during the first three days of the week, produced an area of low temperature over the Gangetic Plain and the Central Provinces which held until near the close of the week. During the latter half of the week heavy rain set in in Bengal, and temperature fell to below the normal average over Bihar and Bengal, while from the 24th onward a cool northerly wind brought temperature to below the normal over the Punjab and Baluchistan. Except in these three areas and the central parts of the country the heat has been almost constantly excessive during the week, and both in the Punjab in the beginning of the week and in Madras towards the close of the week the abnormal excess has been large.

The following table gives temperature data for the week :

PROVINCE.	JUNE 1897.							Mean variation of week.
	20th	21st	22nd	23rd	24th	25th	26th	
					°	°	°	°
Burma	+1'6	+1'7	+1'1	+0'5	+1'0	+0'9	—0'2	+0'7
Bengal and Assam	+0'9	+1'3	+1'1	+0'5	—0'1	+0'2	—1'3	+0'4
North-Western Provinces and Oudh	—4'5	—1'9	—1'2	—3'9	—2'4	—0'7	+0'5	—2'0
Punjab	+3'4	+5'5	+7'7	+2'7	—2'4	—3'3	—2'0	+1'7
Bombay	+1'4	+1'2	+1'3	+0'9	+2'2	+2'6	+3'0	+1'8
Central Provinces and Berar	+1'1	—2'9	—2'5	—4'1	+0'7	+2'4	+3'8	—0'2
Central India and Gujarat	—1'7	—2'5	—2'3	+0'4	+0'6	+2'2	+2'3	—0'1
Sind and Rajputana	+2'2	+4'7	+3'6	+4'0	+3'1	+1'6	+1'8	+3'0
Madras	+1'4	+1'9	+0'7	+2'5	+3'1	+3'9	+3'8	+2'5
Mean for whole of India	+0'6	+1'0	+1'1	+0'4	+0'6	+1'1	+1'3	+0'9

The above shows that in the North-West Provinces the heat during the week has been less than usual, that in Burma, Bengal, the Central Provinces, Central India and Gujarat the temperature has been about normal, and that in the Punjab, Bombay, Sind, Rajputana and Madras the heat has been excessive.

The following are the highest maximum temperatures recorded on each day :

June 20th	121°·0 at Jacobabad.
„ 21st	121°·0 „ „
„ 22nd	118°·0 „ Montgomery.
„ 23rd	118°·1 „ „
„ 24th	109°·7 „ Hyderabad (S.).
„ 25th	110°·2 „ „
„ 26th	109°·2 „ „

Rain.—The rainfall during the week under review was somewhat more general than was the case last week, the only divisions which received absolutely no rain being the Baluchistan Hills and Western Rajputana. The fall was, however, in places somewhat lighter in the present than in the past week—more particularly in the Punjab, North Bombay, the central parts of the country and Madras, and there were seven divisions within the above area which received less than one-tenth of an inch of rain as the average fall of the division. The heaviest average actual rainfall was 17·12 inches in Arakan, followed by 12·09 inches in Tenasserim, by 10·40 inches in South Bihar, by 8·89 inches in Coorg and by 8·17 inches in Malabar, while the lightest effective rainfall was 0·10 inch in Khandesh and Kathiawar. The average actual rainfall was lighter than usual in thirty-three and heavier than usual in twenty-three divisions, while one division, Sind, had exactly the normal fall. The area of excessive rainfall included the following divisions: all the Burma divisions, except Upper Burma, East and Deltaic Bengal, the Surma division of Assam, both the Bihar divisions, the east, central, west and east submontane divisions of the North-West Provinces, both the Oudh divisions, all the West Peninsula divisions, Central India (East) and South Madras. The abnormal excess was greatest and exceeded 8 inches in South Bihar, while it was over 4 inches in North Bihar and over 3 inches in Tenasserim, Deltaic Burma, Arakan, the east submontane division of the North-West Provinces and Central India (East). In all other parts of India, except the divisions noted above, the rainfall was deficient, the deficiency exceeding 2 inches in Upper Burma and North Bengal and 1 inch in Orissa, Berar, the Central

Provinces (East), Gujarat, the East Coast (North) and Hyderabad (South). Rain fell daily during the week over North-East India and Burma, in the beginning or middle of the week in Upper India and over the central parts of the country, while over the east of the Peninsula the rainfall was extreme light and occurred as scattered showers.

The rainfall of the season has exceeded the normal by 20 per cent. or more in Assam (Surma), Deltaic Bengal, Orissa, Chota Nagpur, Bihar, Oudh, the greater part of the North-West Provinces, the North and West Punjab, Malabar, Coorg, Mysore, Baluchistan, Central India (East), and Madras (Central, South-Central and South). It has been normal, *i.e.*, has varied by less than 20 per cent. from the normal in Tenasserim, Deltaic Burma, Eastern Bengal, the west submontane and hill districts of the North-West Provinces, the south-east, central and hill districts of the Punjab, the Konkan, the Bombay Deccan, the central and east of the Central Provinces and the East Coast (North and South), while in all the remaining divisions the rainfall up to date has been deficient. The greatest abnormal excess has been in South Bihar, the North-West Provinces (East and East Submontane), the North Punjab and Baluchistan, while the greatest abnormal deficiency has been in Khandesh, Berar, the west of the Central Provinces, Kathiawar, Sind, Rajputana, Central India (West) and Hyderabad (South).

The following are the principal large totals recorded this week :

Burma	Thaton	17'90 inches.
	Maubin	11'37 "
	Rathedaung (Akyab)	21'14 "
Bengal	Patrakhali (Barisal)	13'45 "
	Bagirhat (Khulna)	14'03 "
	Kurseong (Darjeeling)	13'31 "
Assam	Barkhola (Cachar)	10'13 "
Bihar	Dinapur (Patna)	27'18 "
	Arrah	18'48 "
	Hajipur (Muzaffarpur)	16'98 "
N.-W. P.	Utraula (Gonda)	10'51 "
	Bansdih (Korantadih)	10'42 "
Punjab	Gohana (Gurgaon)	2'50 "
	Kangra	2'83 "
West Peninsula	Vayitri (Malabar)	25'27 "
	Karjat (Colaba)	19'54 "
Central Provinces	Khurai (Saugor)	11'50 "
Central India	Nowgong	18'95 "
Madras	Tenkasi (Tinnevelly)	5'49 "

PROVINCE.	DIVISION.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 26TH, 1897.			RAINFALL DATA FROM MAY 30TH TO JUNE 26TH, 1897.		
		Average actual rainfall of division.	Average normal rainfall of division.	Excess or defect in inches.	Average actual rainfall of season to date	Average normal rainfall, May 30th to June 26th.	Excess or de- fect of (seasonal) rain- fall expressed as a per- centage.
		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Per cent.
BURMA	1. Tenasserim	12'09	8'77	+ 3'32	35'22	36'96	— 5
	2. Lower Burma Deltaic	7'71	4'17	+ 3'54	16'33	17'76	— 8
	3. Central do.	3'23	2'51	+ 0'72	7'52	10'35	— 27
	4. Upper do.	0'78	2'84	— 2'06	5'47	10'32	— 47
	5. Arakan	17'12	13'69	+ 3'43	40'11	50'82	— 21
BENGAL AND ASSAM	6. Eastern Bengal	6'62	5'05	+ 1'57	15'52	17'71	— 12
	7. Assam Surma	6'60	5'32	+ 1'28	25'38	20'02	+ 27
	8. Do. Hills	3'52	4'50	— 0'98	13'48	17'88	— 25
	9. Do. Brahmaputra	2'70	3'56	— 0'86	8'06	13'88	— 42
	10. Deltaic Bengal	4'67	2'89	+ 1'78	12'09	9'57	+ 26
	11. Central do.	2'87	2'95	— 0'08	6'98	9'32	— 25
	12. North do.	3'57	6'26	— 2'69	11'00	20'84	— 47
	13. Bengal Hills	7'79	8'70	— 0'91	11'96	23'66	— 49
	14. Orissa	0'72	2'49	— 1'77	8'18	6'54	+ 25
	15. Chota Nagpur	2'29	2'55	— 0'26	7'88	6'25	+ 26
	16. South Bihar	10'40	1'77	+ 8'63	13'08	4'30	+ 204
	17. North do.	6'99	2'78	+ 4'21	8'68	6'96	+ 25
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES AND ODDH.	18. N.-W. P. East	3'75	1'18	+ 2'57	5'77	2'57	+ 125
	19. South Oudh	2'01	1'19	+ 0'82	3'52	2'38	+ 48
	20. North do.	3'28	1'43	+ 1'85	4'84	3'08	+ 57
	21. N.-W. P. Central	1'48	1'00	+ 0'48	4'02	2'04	+ 97
	22. Do. West	0'83	0'65	+ 0'18	2'71	1'38	+ 96
	23. Do. East Submontane	5'19	1'48	+ 3'71	6'90	3'43	+ 101
	24. Do. West do.	1'00	1'32	— 0'32	3'09	3'11	— 1
	25. Do. Hills	1'40	1'72	— 0'32	4'14	4'51	— 8
PUNJAB	26. South-East Punjab	0'16	0'80	— 0'64	1'36	1'50	— 9
	27. South do.	0'02	0'64	— 0'62	0'72	1'19	— 39
	28. Central do.	0'26	0'44	— 0'18	1'10	1'04	+ 6
	29. Punjab Submontane	0'27	0'87	— 0'60	1'19	1'69	— 30
	30. Do. Hills	1'13	1'41	— 0'28	3'78	3'80	— 1
	31. North Punjab	0'24	0'25	— 0'01	2'17	0'89	+ 144
	32. West do.	0'12	0'22	— 0'10	0'78	0'57	+ 37
	33. Malabar	8'17	7'79	+ 0'38	41'18	31'13	+ 32
BOMBAY AND MALABAR COAST DISTRICTS (MADRAS).	34. Madras South-Central	1'58	1'01	+ 0'57	6'37	4'84	+ 32
	35. Coorg	8'89	6'23	+ 2'66	33'28	21'42	+ 55
	36. Mysore	1'45	0'97	+ 0'48	6'23	4'31	+ 44
	37. Konkan	6'58	6'09	+ 0'49	19'89	20'15	— 1
	38. Bombay Deccan	1'02	0'89	+ 0'13	4'89	4'69	+ 4
	39. Hyderabad North . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...
	40. Khandesh	0'10	0'85	— 0'75	1'91	4'36	56
	41. Berar	0'60	1'85	— 1'25	1'71	5'07	— 66
CENTRAL PROVINCES AND BERAR.	42. Central Provinces West	2'18	2'19	— 0'01	3'49	9'41	— 62
	43. Do. do. Central	2'28	2'69	— 0'41	4'35	5'37	— 19
	44. Do. do. East	1'20	2'70	— 1'50	5'78	5'96	— 3
	45. Gujarat	0'03	1'83	— 1'80	2'10	3'37	— 38
BOMBAY (NORTH)	46. Kathiawar	0'10	0'95	— 0'85	0'24	1'76	— 86
	47. Sind	0'06	0'06	— 0	0'06	0'12	— 50
	48. Baluchistan Hills	0	0'07	— 0'07	0'36	0'09	+ 300
	49. Central India East	5'81	2'00	+ 3'81	7'33	5'85	+ 25
RAJPUTANA AND CENTRAL INDIA.	50. Rajputana East, Central India West.	0'44	0'92	— 0'48	1'04	2'87	— 64
	51. West Rajputana	0	0'45	— 0'45	0'11	1'33	— 92
	52. East Coast North	0'25	1'31	— 1'06	3'16	3'77	— 16
MADRAS	52-A. Do. do. (a)	0'30	1'76	— 1'46	4'95	7'44	— 33
	53. Hyderabad South	0'09	1'19	— 1'10	1'71	4'28	— 60
	54. Madras Central	0'03	0'46	— 0'43	3'28	2'44	+ 34
	55. East Coast Central	0'03	0'69	— 0'66	1'71	2'38	— 28
	56. Do. South	0'01	0'39	— 0'38	1'98	1'91	+ 4
	57. Madras South	0'42	0'18	+ 0'24	1'85	1'16	+ 39

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Weekly Report on the state of the Season and Prospects of the Crops.

Madras.—*For week ending 26th June.*—Rainfall normal or in excess in Tinnevely, Nilgiris, and West Coast; insignificant in Ganjam and Vizagapatam; *nil* elsewhere. Water-supply for drinking purposes is insufficient in parts of affected tracts; elsewhere it is generally sufficient, but is failing in parts; for irrigation it is generally insufficient except on the West Coast and under Godavari, Kistna, Tanjore, and Tinnevely irrigation systems. Commencement of agricultural operations general. Standing crops require more rain. Harvests very limited; outturn middling. Pasture improving in Ganjam, Vizagapatam, the Deccan, and the extreme south from previous week's rains, but is generally scarce. Fodder is insufficient in the Deccan; elsewhere it is generally available, but is scarce. Condition of cattle in the Deccan is bad, deaths from starvation being reported from Anantapur and Cuddapah; elsewhere condition generally normal. Prices on the whole are fairly steady, but incline to rise, especially in the case of dry grains in central group. The numbers on relief are:—Relief workers—112,389 men, 206,506 women, 77,467 children; total 396,362 in the Deccan and Circars. Weavers—14,562 men, 12,981 women, 1,805 children; total 29,348 relieved at their own trade in the Deccan and Ganjam. Total relief workers—425,710. Kitchen inmates in the Deccan and Circars: dependants—276 men, 419 women, 15,583 children; total 16,278; others—3,149 men, 6,282 women, 16,916 children; total 26,347. Otherwise gratuitously relieved—14,526 men, 36,030 women, 38,730 children with 1,158 unspecified; total 90,444. Total on gratuitous relief 133,069. Grand total on Government relief 558,779. Figures reported from Godavari are incomplete. There were also 8,873 employed on zemindari works; 210 fed in zemindari kitchens in Ganjam; and 1,980 fed in private kitchens under Government management in Vizagapatam. Prices by which wages are regulated are:—Ganjam 10, Bellary 11, Vizagapatam 11½, Kurnool 12 Cuddapah and Bhadrachalam 12½, and Anantapur 14 seers per rupee. Loans disbursed in affected districts since commencement of distress Rs. 852,057.

Bombay.—*For week ending 28th June.*—Rain throughout the Konkan and Karnatic; slight in the Deccan, Gujarat, and Sind; more wanted in the Deccan, Panch Mahals, Kaira, and Surat. Sowing operations are in progress generally. Rice transplanting has commenced in parts of Karachi, Hyderabad, Kolaba, Sind, and Kanara. Fodder is sufficient, except in the Deccan, Shikarpur and in parts of Karachi, Kolaba, and Baroda. Condition of agricultural stock is deteriorating in Khandesh, Poona, Ahmednagar, Sholapur, Satara, and Bijapur; healthy elsewhere, except in one taluka of Karachi, Shikarpur, Ratnagiri, and Kanara. Prices are rising in Sholapur and Bijapur; falling in Ahmedabad; stationary in Kolaba. Prices in affected districts are:—Belgaum 9½, Bijapur 8½, Sholapur 8½, Ahmednagar 8½, Poona 8½, Nasik 8½, Satara 8½, Khandesh 7½, and Dharwar 10¼ seers per rupee. Average number on relief works, including dependants, were:—Bijapur 64,879, Sholapur 97,981, Ahmednagar 43,404, Poona 18,945, Nasik 15,401, Satara 9,094, Khandesh 12,044, Belgaum 7,275, and Dharwar 82; total 269,105, of whom 215,417 are relief-workers and 53,688 dependants. Of relief workers—66,408 are men, 93,685 women and 55,324 children. Of dependants—327 are men, 3,695 women and 49,666 children. On gratuitous relief—Bijapur 12,174, including 539 in poor-houses, Sholapur 8,749, including 113 in poor-houses, Ahmednagar 8,156, including 281 in poor-houses, Poona 10,173, Nasik 1,122, Satara 504, Belgaum 772, Dharwar 1,018; total 42,668, of whom 22,052 are men, 12,067 women and 8,549 children. Total number on relief 311,773.

Bengal.—*For week ending 28th June.*—General and heavy rain fell during the week, except in Orissa, where it was very light. In the west of Bihar the rainfall was excessive and floods are reported from parts of Patna and Saran. Except in these parts the general agricultural prospects are favourable. Early rice, jute, sugarcane and other standing crops are doing well; sowing of winter rice and autumn crops is nearly over and in some places the transplanting of seedlings has begun. Prices are on the whole stationary, though in places they

are said to be still rising slightly. In the distressed districts the prices of the staple food-grain on which the famine wage is based are:—Nadia, common rice $7\frac{1}{2}$ seers; Murshidabad, common rice 7 to 8 seers; Khulna, common rice 8 seers; Rajshahi, common rice $7\frac{1}{2}$ seers; Shahabad, common rice 8 seers and peas $10\frac{1}{2}$ seers; Saran, barley 11 seers; Champaran, Burma rice $8\frac{7}{8}$ seers and peas 11 seers; Muzaffarpur, indian-corn 10 seers and *rahar* (*Cajanus indicus*) 11 seers; Darbhanga, indian-corn 9 seers; Bhagalpur, common rice $8\frac{1}{2}$ to $8\frac{1}{2}$ seers; Sonthal Parganas, common rice 8 seers and maize 10 to 12 seers; Puri, common rice 9 to 12 seers; Hazaribagh, rice $6\frac{1}{2}$ to 8 seers; Palamau, rice 8 seers; and Manbhum, common rice $7\frac{1}{2}$ to 8 seers per rupee. Numbers on relief on Saturday, the 26th June, were:—Bankura 11,038, Nadia 106,460, Murshidabad 5,871, Khulna 10,264, Rajshahi 341, Pabna 3,977, Patna 187, Shahabad 22,094, Saran 65,613, Champaran 147,416, Muzaffarpur 102,840, Darbhanga 214,568, Bhagalpur 11,182, Sonthal Parganas 7,043, Puri 914, Hazaribagh 8,762, Lohardaga 963, Palamau 3,720, Manbhum 16,518, Singhbhum 108; total 739,879 against 842,084 in the preceding week. This total is distributed as follows:—Relief workers—men 120,545, women 114,639, children 30,743; total 265,927. Dependants—men 1,552, women 88, children 26,644; total 28,284. In poor-houses and kitchens—men 2,167, women 2,196, children 15,016; total 19,379. Otherwise relieved, including persons relieved from Charitable Fund—men 68,678, women 222,026, children 125,262; total 415,966. Test-workers—men 5,328, women 3,556, children 1,439; total 10,323. Private relief:—Relief works—Darbhanga Raj—Darbhanga—men 3,623, women 1,810, children 550; total 5,983. Darbhanga Raj—Muzaffarpur—men 461, women 192, children 59; total 712. Hatwa—men 590, women 1,056, children 569; total 2,215. Jamtara—men 596, women 548, children 89; total 1,233. Deoghur—men 115, women 86, children 9; total 210. Gratuitous relief:—Darbhanga Raj—Darbhanga—men 2,727, women 6,266, children 5,079; total 14,072. Darbhanga Raj—Muzaffarpur—men 55, women 225, children 232; total 512. Hatwa—men 176, women 234, children 566; total 976. Manjha—men 44, women 14, children 17; total 75. Hazaribagh—Giridih—men 167, women 192, children 88; total 447. Total on private relief 26,435.

North-Western Provinces and Oudh.—*For week ending 30th June.*—

Save in Muzaffarnagar, Saharanpur, Etawah, and Benares rain fell in all districts during the week. The showers were light in some districts and heavy in others. In Hamirpur, Ghazipur, Gorakhpur, Azamgarh, and Almora over 4 inches were recorded. Gonda recorded over 5 inches and Ballia over 6 inches. Basti and Sultanpur recorded 8 inches and Fyzabad 9 inches. Autumn ploughings and sowings are in progress, but a hot west wind has set in which renders prospects uncertain and in some districts gives cause for anxiety. More rain is urgently required in most districts. The numbers in receipt of relief on Saturday, the 26th June, in seventeen districts officially recognised as distressed were as follows:—Agra 27,966, Etawah 3,812, Cawnpore 9,764, Fatehpur 10,747, Banda 206,091, Hamirpur 60,806, Allahabad 101,138, Jhansi 30,205, Jalaun 19,624, Mirzapur 32,834, Family domains of Maharaja of Benares, 4,870, Jaunpur 16,653, Gorakhpur 27,855, Azamgarh 19,000, Lucknow 55,913, Unao 29,831, Rae Bareilly 27,682, Hardoi 113,895; total 798,686. This total is distributed as follows among the various methods of relief prescribed by the Famine Code which are in operation:—employed on relief works 357,557; relieved as dependants 65,838; relieved in poor-houses 27,904; relieved under other provisions of the Famine Code, including 49,389 from Charitable Relief Fund, 347,387. The numbers relieved in nineteen districts under observation and not officially recognised as distressed were on the same date as follows:—relieved on test-works 10,204; relieved in poor-houses 7,575; relieved under other provisions of the Famine Code, including 13,311 from Charitable Relief Fund, 48,558; total 66,337. The grand total in receipt of relief on the last day of the week was therefore 865,023. Supplies are generally sufficient. Prices are fluctuating with a tendency to rise. The prices of the staple grain on which the famine wage is based varied from $9\frac{5}{8}$ to 12 seers in the districts officially recognised as distressed. The district of Dehra Dun has been removed from the list of districts under observation, while Sitapur has been transferred to this list. The numbers shown as relieved from the Indian Famine Charitable Relief Fund represent the operations of the fund so far only as they are carried out through official agency.

Punjab.—*For week ending 28th June.*—Rain averaging about $\frac{3}{4}$ of an inch in Gurgaon, $\frac{3}{8}$ in Gujranwala, $\frac{1}{2}$ in Sialkot, $\frac{1}{2}$ in Amritsar, and $\frac{1}{10}$ in Karnal

and Dera Ismail Khan districts. There has also been a fall in parts of Hissar and Umballa, $\frac{1}{8}$ in Rohtak, $\frac{1}{8}$ in Ferozepore and Lahore, and in Amritsar $\frac{1}{4}$ of an inch. A slight fall is also reported from Jullundur and Shahpur. The harvesting of spring crops is nearly completed. Ploughings and sowings of autumn crops are in progress. Rain is urgently wanted throughout the Province. The heat is very excessive. Standing extra spring and autumn crops are generally reported fair. Outturn of spring and extra spring crops are said to be good. The stocks of food-grain have been exhausted in Hissar where grain is being imported from other parts of the Punjab. Standing crops have suffered slightly from westerly winds in Rohtak and from want of rain in Umballa. Young locusts have also damaged some crops in parts of Rawal Pindi; they have almost been destroyed in Dera Ismail Khan. Cattle are generally in poor condition, owing to overwork and want of green fodder; 152 cattle died from hunger in Rohtak. Green grass is unobtainable in most districts; only new straw is available. The average number of relief workers, dependants, etc., was as follows:—relief workers—30,717 men, 27,772 women, 12,524 children. Dependants—171 men, 235 women, 7,954 children. Relieved in poor-houses—203 men, 207 women, 282 children. Otherwise relieved—3,827 men, 6,144 women, 3,401 children. Test-workers—24 men. The total number of relief workers, dependants, etc., was, 93,459 against 97,875 last week. There is a slight increase in Rohtak and Karnal and a decrease in other districts. Prices are still generally high; they are rising in Rohtak, Karnal, Lahore, Sialkot, Shahpur and Dera Ismail Khan; are falling in Umballa, Jullundur, Ferozepore, Gujranwala and Peshawar and are unchanged in other districts. Wheat is selling from 8 $\frac{7}{8}$ to 14, barley 13 to 13 $\frac{3}{4}$, great millet 7 $\frac{3}{4}$ to 9 $\frac{1}{2}$, bulrush-millet 7 to 9, gram 10 to 12, maize 8 to 13 and rice 6 $\frac{3}{4}$ to 7 seers per rupee. Owing to demand for seed the prices of autumn grains are rising. Prices of staple food-grains on which the famine wage is reckoned are:—Rohtak, barley 12 $\frac{1}{2}$; Delhi, wheat 10; Karnal, wheat flour 9 $\frac{1}{4}$; Umballa, maize 11; Ferozepore, barley and gram 11 $\frac{1}{2}$; Hissar, barley flour 10 $\frac{3}{4}$, barley and gram flour 9 $\frac{1}{4}$, and *jowar* flour 9 $\frac{3}{8}$ seers per rupee.

Central Provinces.—*For week ending 28th June.*—Some rain fell on the 23rd, since then the sky has cleared and weather is now hot and dry in most districts, but cloudy and very close in others. Rain is anxiously awaited everywhere. Sowings of autumn crops continue in most districts, but are retarded in Nimar and the rice country. Damage is being caused to young seedlings by the prolonged break and defective germination is also apprehended. Fields are being ploughed for spring crops in Betul. Fodder is still insufficient in parts of ten districts and scarcity of water-supply is felt in portions of Wardha and Chanda. Prices are fluctuating with a tendency to rise further in most places; in Narsinghpur quotations have eased a little but there is a sharp rise in Chanda and Chhindwara. The numbers on relief works have contracted by 124,000 mainly owing to closing and amalgamation of works, coupled with the introduction of piece work system and the return of people to their fields. The total number on gratuitous relief is practically unchanged, the decrease in the number of dependants being counterbalanced by an increase in the number of inmates of poor-houses and recipients of gratuitous relief. The number of persons on private works has fallen by 30,000 to which result most districts have contributed. The numbers on relief works are:—Saugor 17,097, Damoh 23,412, Jubulpore 21,194, Mandla 19,484, Seoni 6,607, Narsinghpur 20,905, Hoshangabad 20,305, Nimar 144, Betul 7,063, Chhindwara 10,713, Wardha 2,075, Nagpur 11,430, Bhandara 17,489, Balaghat 29,759, Raipur 43,569, Bilaspur 26,722, and Sambalpur 226; total 278,174. Numbers on gratuitous relief—Saugor 17,974, Damoh 16,635, Jubulpore 23,939, Mandla 7,634, Seoni 3,636, Narsinghpur 8,011, Hoshangabad 4,848, Nimar 631, Betul 2,730, Chhindwara 3,406, Wardha 20, Nagpur 4,007, Bhandara 9,269, Balaghat 16,094, Raipur 22,690, Bilaspur 38,735, and Sambalpur 63; total 180,322. Total number on relief 458,496. There were also 82,724 persons employed on railway and other private works. Details of relief workers—men 80,736, women 134,099, and children 63,039 with 300 unclassified. Dependants—men 1,792, women 3,541, and children 39,215 with 570 unclassified. Poor-houses—men 8,486, women 10,847, and children 13,189. Otherwise relieved—men 16,141, women 31,336, and children 27,445, with 27,760, unclassified. Wage prices—Sambalpur 9 $\frac{1}{2}$, Nagpur 9 $\frac{1}{4}$, Damoh, Narsinghpur, and Bilaspur 9, Wardha and Chanda 8 $\frac{3}{4}$, Saugor, Jubulpore, and Bhandara 8 $\frac{1}{2}$, Chhindwara 8 $\frac{1}{4}$, Hoshangabad, Nimar, Betul, and Raipur 8, Mandla and Seoni 7 $\frac{1}{4}$, and Balaghat 7 seers per rupee.

Burma.—*For week ending 26th June.*—In Lower Burma ploughing continues in the districts previously reported. Sowing has commenced in Pegu, Prome, Thongwa and Tavoy. Nursery plants in Amherst are in good condition. In Upper Burma no rain fell during the week in Mandalay, Sagaing and Myingyan and only very small amounts in Katha, Lower Chindwin, Pakokku and Kyaukse. Cultivation of wet weather crops continues and prospects are as yet generally favourable, but more rain is required in Pauk Sub-division of Pakokku, Taungd-wingyi Sub-division of Magwe, Meiktila, parts of Yamethin and Myingyan. In Myingyan all early crops are in a precarious condition, owing to the absence of rain and the prevalence of high winds. The price of paddy has risen largely in the Upper Chindwin, considerably in Thaton and slightly in Thongwa, Myaungmya and Mandalay and fallen considerably in Akyab and Rangoon; elsewhere stationary. Numbers on relief works are—Meiktila 7,200 and Myingyan 8,570. On gratuitous relief—Meiktila 1,410, Myingyan 2,532 and Yamethin 297. Total number on relief 20,009. Price of rice—Meiktila 7 seers 10 chittacks and Myingyan 10 seers 4 chittacks per rupee.

Assam.—*For week ending 22nd June.*—Weather seasonable. Sowing of nurseries for late rice and planting of sugarcane continue in Assam Valley. Severe damage to rice and jute crop by earthquake of twelfth reported from parts of Goalpara and Garo Hills. Prospects of early rice in Nowgong are bad. Tea and early rice are doing well in Upper Assam. No reports received from Surma Valley. Prices—common rice—Tezpur $7\frac{1}{2}$, Sibsagar 8 and Dibrugarh 7 seers per rupee.

For week ending 29th June.—Weather hot in Assam Valley. Sowing of nurseries for late rice and planting of sugarcane progressing. Prospects of early rice are unfavourable in Goalpara, Nowgong and parts of Kamrup; good in Upper Assam. Tea is doing well. Potatoes being harvested in the Khasi Hills. No reports received from Surma Valley. Prices—common rice—Gauhati $7\frac{1}{2}$, Tezpur, Sibsagar, and Dibrugarh 8 seers per rupee.

Mysore and Coorg.—*For week ending 28th June.*—MYSORE.—Ten cents rain in Civil and Military station and good rain in parts of Hassan, Kadur, and Shimoga. Prospects are favourable. Prices have slightly risen in Kolar and fallen in Bangalore and Chitaldroog.

COORG.—Rainfall one inch 18 cents. Rice nurseries have been prepared. *Ragi* (*Eleusine coracana*) promises well. Prices of food-grains are rising. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Berar and Hyderabad.—*For week ending 28th June.*—BERAR.—Weather hot and cloudy. Want of rain is much felt. Ploughing of fields for the monsoon crop in progress. Sowings have now commenced in all districts. Scarcity of fodder and water prevails throughout the Province. Prices of food-grains have risen during the week. Relief workers—Akola 8,537, Amraoti 1,491, Basim 866, Buldana 2,013, Ellichpur 1,792 and Wun 5,554. On gratuitous relief—Akola 1,831, Amraoti 191, Basim 422, Buldana 1,198, Ellichpur 1,949. Occupants of poor-houses—Akola 64 and Amraoti 1,310. Total number on relief 27,218. Prices—*jowar*—Akola $9\frac{1}{2}$, Basim $10\frac{1}{4}$, Buldana 8, Ellichpur 8 and Wun 12 seers per rupee.

HYDERABAD.—Rainfall during week one inch 33 cents. Agricultural prospects are fairly satisfactory. Autumn sowings generally in progress. Fodder and water continue scarce generally. Prices in affected districts—8 seers in Bir, $8\frac{1}{2}$ in Raichur, $9\frac{1}{4}$ in Lingsagar, $9\frac{3}{4}$ in Naldrug, and $10\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee in Gulbarga. Aggregate number of persons employed on relief works in Bir, Gulbarga, Raichur, Lingsagar, and Naldrug 17,579. Number of persons on gratuitous relief 448 in Lingsagar, 202 in Naldrug, and 71 in Mahbubnagar. Total number on relief 18,300. Prices—wheat $6\frac{3}{4}$, coarse rice $7\frac{1}{8}$, and *jowari* $11\frac{3}{4}$ seers per current sicca rupee.

Central India.—*For week ending 28th June.*—Rain has fallen in Gwalior, Bhopal, Bundelkhand, and the Bhopawar Agencies during the week. Rain is urgently wanted in Baghelkhand, and it is insufficient in Malwa and Bhopawar. Sowing operations have commenced in Gwalior and Bhopawar and in progress in Bhopal, Baghelkhand, and Malwa. Agricultural stock is in fair condition in Bhopal, Baghelkhand, and one district of Gwalior; good in Malwa; average in Bundelkhand; bad in Bhopawar and in remaining districts of Gwalior. Pasturage is fair in Bhopal, Baghelkhand, Malwa, and one district in Gwalior; average in Bundelkhand; very scarce in Bhopawar; bad and indifferent in the remaining districts of Gwalior. Prices are above normal in all agencies. The number of persons employed on famine relief works was—30,500 in Gwalior, 47,446 in Bundelkhand, and 61,414 in Baghelkhand. On gratuitous relief—10,497 in

Gwalior, 7,528 in Bundelkhand, and 4,720 in Baghelkhand. Total number on relief 162,105. Prices—9 to 10 in Gwalior, $11\frac{3}{4}$ in Bundelkhand, and 9 seers per rupee in Baghelkhand.

Rajputana.—*For week ending 30th June.*—Rainfall over $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches in Partabgarh, $2\frac{1}{4}$ in Karauli, over $1\frac{1}{2}$ in Bundi, about one inch in Kotah, over $\frac{1}{2}$ an inch in Meywar, Shahpura, Dholepore, and Reni and Shujangurh tehsils of Bikanir, 26 cents in Tonk and below 20 cents in Ajmere, Deoli, Ulwar, Bikanir, and Suratgurh tehsil. Agricultural operations are generally in progress. Agricultural stock fair to good, but failing in Dholepore and Bhurtpore. Pasturage or fodder is generally sufficient, except as before reported in some tehsils of Jhallawar and Jeypore and failing in Dholepore and Bhurtpore. Prices are rising in Marwar, Partabgarh, Jhallawar, Tonk, Kishengarh, and Bhurtpore, and slightly in Ajmere and Jaisalmer; fluctuating in Bikanir; steady elsewhere. Number of persons on relief works was—Marwar 5,932, Tonk 1,924, Dholepore 1,517, Bikanir 4,890, and Jaisalmer 1,502. On ordinary works—Tonk 246, Bhurtpore not reported, Dholepore 1,448, Bikanir 1,353, including labourers on railway earth-works, and Jaisalmer 23. On gratuitous relief—Marwar 1,342, Tonk 2,165, Chabra 62, Bundi 307, Deoli 8, Dholepore 1,179, Bhurtpore 367, Bikanir 2,341, and Jaisalmer 409. Total number on relief 23,945. Prices—Marwar $9\frac{7}{8}$, Tonk 11, Deoli 13, Dholepore $11\frac{1}{2}$, Bhurtpore $11\frac{1}{6}$, Bikanir 9, $3\frac{1}{2}$ and $7\frac{1}{6}$ and Jaisalmer $8\frac{3}{8}$ seers per rupee.

Kashmir.—*For week ending 29th June.*—Rain has fallen. Weather is now fine. Barley and wheat crop reapings in progress. Rice transplantation commenced. Prices continue little below normal.

JAMMU PROVINCE.—*For week ending 29th June.*—Slight rain. Prices are falling slightly. Fodder is scanty.

Nepal.—*For week ending 26th June.*—Over three inches of rain fell during the week, and the prospects of the crops have much improved in consequence. Price—7 seers per rupee.

The total numbers in receipt of relief during the preceding and present weeks are as follows:

NAME OF PROVINCE.	PRECEDING WEEK.			PRESENT WEEK.			Increase or decrease.
	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	
Madras . . .	382,660	121,045	503,705	412,640	146,139	(a) 558,779	+ 55,074
Bombay . . .	260,855	40,066	300,921	269,105	42,668	311,773	+ 10,852
Bengal . . .	410,420	431,664	842,084	304,534	435,345	739,879	— 102,205
North-Western Provinces and Oudh . . .	963,109	404,576	1,367,685	433,599	(b) 431,424	865,023	— 502,662
Punjab . . .	82,966	14,929	97,895	79,395	14,064	93,459	— 4,436
Central Provinces	402,915	180,170	583,085	278,174	180,322	458,496	— 124,589
Burma . . .	5,902	1,089	6,991*	15,770	4,239	20,009	+ 13,018
Berar . . .	18,355	5,037	23,392	20,253	6,965	27,218	+ 3,826
Hyderabad . .	16,601	714	17,315	17,579	721	18,300	+ 985
Central India .	135,899	24,464	160,363	139,360	22,745	162,105	+ 1,742
Rajputana . .	16,828	8,476	25,304	15,765	8,180	23,945	— 1,359
TOTAL . . .	2,696,510	1,232,230	3,928,740	1,986,174	1,292,812	3,278,986	— 649,754

* Figures incomplete.

(a) Figures incomplete for one district.

(b) Includes 62,700 relieved from the Indian Charitable Fund.

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Return of the number of persons in receipt of relief in districts affected by scarcity.

NOTE.—The figures are compiled from the Local Gazettes, and give the District details of the Provincial totals published weekly in the Crop Weather Summary in the *Gazette of India*.

Non-labouring children and other dependants of relief workers are classed as on relief works when distinguished in the local returns persons gratuitously relieved in poor-houses or at their homes.

No.	Name of Province and District.	FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 5TH JUNE 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 12TH JUNE 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 19TH JUNE 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 26TH JUNE 1897.		
		Relief works.	Gra- tuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gra- tuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gra- tuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gra- tuitous relief.	Total.
Madras.													
1	Cuddapah	48,946	16,152	65,098	64,579	20,320	84,899	64,614	23,445	88,059	72,440	23,759	96,199
2	Kurnool	92,093	11,190	103,283	97,510	15,142	112,652	96,368	22,710	119,078	104,983	26,999	131,982
3	Bellary	99,159	10,731	109,890	107,203	13,710	120,913	103,074	16,601	119,675	103,372	19,508	122,880
4	Anantapur	44,240	7,577	51,817	51,671	8,922	60,593	43,859	10,198	54,057	55,121	10,534	65,655
5	Ganjam	17,523	31,253	48,776	17,706	34,498	52,204	22,818	40,004	62,822	28,810	36,985	65,795
6	Vizagapatam	15,724	1,325	17,049	14,978	1,523	16,501	13,896	2,201	16,097	15,785	3,129	18,914
7	Godavari	500	...	500	450	540	990	4,674	240	4,914	2,219	588	2,807
TOTAL MADRAS		318,185	(1)78,228	396,413	354,097	(2)94,664	448,761	349,303	(3)115,899	465,202	382,739	(4)121,503	504,242
Bombay.													
1	Bijapur	52,841	10,974	63,815	53,032	11,658	64,690	53,862	10,964	64,826	56,263	11,797	68,060
2	Sholapur	108,379	8,152	116,531	111,087	7,838	118,925	104,638	8,201	112,839	102,890	8,316	111,206
3	Ahmednagar	56,136	6,194	62,330	58,690	6,514	65,204	52,677	6,928	59,605	46,059	7,386	53,445
4	Poona	25,619	7,802	33,421	24,171	8,351	32,522	25,030	8,161	33,191	21,596	9,656	31,252
5	Nasik	25,488	629	26,117	22,623	661	23,284	21,064	775	21,839	18,263	980	19,243
6	Satara	11,296	195	11,491	10,234	211	10,445	8,523	383	8,906	8,441	438	8,879
7	Khandesh	23,177	...	23,177	24,169	...	24,169	16,780	...	16,780	12,874	...	12,874
8	Belgaum	12,403	580	12,983	10,786	636	11,422	9,256	623	9,879	7,775	660	8,535
9	Dharwar	612	997	1,609	560	898	1,458	648	902	1,550	243	833	1,386
10	Ratnagiri	262	...	262	382	...	382	219	...	219	...	...	...
11	Kolaba	298	...	298	266	...	266	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL BOMBAY		316,511	35,523	352,034	316,000	36,770	352,770	292,697	36,937	329,634	274,404	40,066	314,470
Bengal.													
1	Champanan	113,160	79,815	192,975	108,106	83,338	191,444	112,715	83,632	196,347	98,571	84,941	183,512
2	Shahabad	11,574	21,914	33,488	11,059	21,652	32,711	10,397	20,404	30,801	7,407	21,543	28,950
3	Nadia	31,167	60,160	91,327	30,078	61,729	91,807	32,670	66,587	99,257	41,056	68,166	109,222
4	Patna . . . . .	...	...	...	...	140	140	...	142	142	...	157	157
5	Khulna	4,809	6,379	11,188	4,863	6,484	11,347	5,878	7,055	12,933	3,393	9,522	12,915
6	Saran	26,067	57,026	83,093	23,262	54,447	77,709	27,000	53,417	80,417	20,392	52,235	72,627
7	Darbhanga	157,137	78,662	235,799	163,153	89,476	252,629	156,991	84,022	241,013	155,301	86,960	242,261
8	Muzaffarpur	62,589	59,201	121,790	59,588	74,064	133,652	47,366	67,316	114,682	59,823	70,351	130,174
9	Rajshahi	360	...	360	275	...	275	434	...	434	497	...	497
10	Bhagalpur	7,287	2,750	10,037	1,710	2,674	4,384	401	2,642	3,043	1,294	2,498	3,742
11	Palamau	3,023	2,145	5,168	3,430	2,224	5,654	1,406	2,239	3,645	2,592	2,189	4,781
12	Manbhum	3,977	11,987	15,964	4,266	8,777	13,043	12,789	671	13,460	5,618	10,611	16,079
13	Pabna	679	15	694	390	54	444	...	...	...	1,036	95	1,131
14	Murshidabad	3,808	4,732	8,540	3,200	3,451	6,651	1,690	...	1,690	1,070	3,017	4,107
15	Hazaribagh	2,797	4,547	7,344	2,805	5,720	8,525	2,576	5,822	8,398	2,074	6,439	8,513
16	Puri	3,812	224	4,036	3,686	...	3,686	3,591	483	4,074	4,238	593	4,831
17	Sonthal Parganas	1,729	902	2,631	4,202	1,985	6,187	3,561	3,973	7,534	3,500	4,027	7,561
18	Bankura	5,347	3,521	8,868	950	4,247	5,197	1,327	4,883	6,210	1,784	8,320	10,104
19	Singhbhum . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	174	...	174
TOTAL BENGAL		439,322	394,125	833,447	425,023	420,462	845,485	420,792	403,288	824,080	410,420	431,664	842,084
North-Western Provinces and Oudh.													
1	Agra	20,249	6,348	26,597	21,292	6,356	27,648	23,042	6,520	29,562	23,262	6,529	29,791
2	Etawah	1,698	3,536	5,234	1,609	4,744	6,353	1,539	3,293	4,832	1,126	3,350	4,476
3	Banda	257,312	40,164	297,476	259,459	39,308	298,767	254,122	40,671	294,793	240,147	37,570	277,717
4	Cawnpur	2,664	9,650	12,314	3,343	8,968	12,311	2,884	9,255	12,139	1,682	8,742	10,421
5	Hamirpur	105,195	22,362	127,557	95,299	23,605	118,904	103,887	20,587	124,474	44,183	22,440	66,623
6	Allahabad	278,915	50,809	329,724	272,628	56,342	328,970	260,274	58,817	319,091	248,594	58,728	307,322
7	Jhansi	78,071	19,350	97,421	73,293	19,473	92,766	71,168	20,746	91,914	46,870	20,977	67,847
8	Jalaun	105,442	18,246	123,688	103,841	18,322	122,163	103,348	19,413	122,761	100,665	20,369	121,034
9	Jaunpur	22,966	20,296	43,262	22,912	16,355	39,267	20,456	17,725	38,181	18,179	17,265	35,444
10	Gorakhpur	15,055	12,408	27,463	14,476	14,851	29,327	10,892	14,359	25,251	15,562	14,922	30,484
11	Lucknow	32,634	23,876	56,510	33,592	23,882	57,474	16,862	25,266	42,127	32,087	25,067	57,154
12	Unao	23,224	16,065	39,289	24,106	16,018	40,124	24,597	16,406	41,003	21,867	16,123	37,990
13	Rai Bareilly	21,788	13,419	35,207	23,120	14,131	37,251	21,525	14,452	35,977	16,734	15,036	31,770
14	Sitapur	701	3,627	4,328	1,255	4,170	5,425	894	4,752	5,646	3,966	3,980	4,946
15	Hardoi	110,252	40,598	150,850	110,990	41,274	152,264	98,502	43,051	141,553	83,331	45,121	128,452
16	Bara Banki	1,022	1,033	2,055	510	1,036	1,546	85	1,114	1,199	437	1,285	1,722
17	Mirzapur	37,915	20,157	58,072	36,181	18,248	54,429	32,649	19,471	52,120	20,061	15,559	44,620

Includes 33,794 weavers relieved at their own trade.
" 23,785 " " " " " "
" 25,190 " " " " " "
Including 30,543 weavers relieved at their own trade.
Innumerate.

Gwalior, 7,528 in Bundelkhand, and 4,720 in Baghelkhand. Total number on relief 162,105. Prices—9 to 10 in Gwalior, $11\frac{3}{4}$ in Bundelkhand, and 9 seers per rupee in Baghelkhand.

Rajputana.—*For week ending 30th June.*—Rainfall over $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches in Partabgarh, $2\frac{1}{4}$ in Karauli, over $1\frac{1}{2}$ in Bundi, about one inch in Kotah, over $\frac{1}{2}$ an inch in Meywar, Shahpura, Dholepore, and Reni and Shujangurh tehsils of Bikanir, 26 cents in Tonk and below 20 cents in Ajmere, Deoli, Ulwar, Bikanir, and Suratgurh tehsil. Agricultural operations are generally in progress. Agricultural stock fair to good, but failing in Dholepore and Bhurtpore. Pasturage or fodder is generally sufficient, except as before reported in some tehsils of Jhallawar and Jeypore and failing in Dholepore and Bhurtpore. Prices are rising in Marwar, Partabgarh, Jhallawar, Tonk, Kishengarh, and Bhurtpore, and slightly in Ajmere and Jaisalmer; fluctuating in Bikanir; steady elsewhere. Number of persons on relief works was—Marwar 5,932, Tonk 1,924, Dholepore 1,517, Bikanir 4,890, and Jaisalmer 1,502. On ordinary works—Tonk 246, Bhurtpore not reported, Dholepore 1,448, Bikanir 1,353, including labourers on railway earth-works, and Jaisalmer 23. On gratuitous relief—Marwar 1,342, Tonk 2,165, Chabra 62, Bundi 307, Deoli 8, Dholepore 1,179, Bhurtpore 367, Bikanir 2,341, and Jaisalmer 409. Total number on relief 23,945. Prices—Marwar $9\frac{7}{16}$, Tonk 11, Deoli 13, Dholepore $11\frac{1}{2}$, Bhurtpore $11\frac{1}{16}$, Bikanir 9, $3\frac{1}{2}$ and $7\frac{1}{16}$ and Jaisalmer $8\frac{2}{8}$ seers per rupee.

Kashmir.—*For week ending 29th June.*—Rain has fallen. Weather is now fine. Barley and wheat crop reapings in progress. Rice transplantation commenced. Prices continue little below normal.

JAMMU PROVINCE.—*For week ending 29th June.*—Slight rain. Prices are falling slightly. Fodder is scanty.

Nepal.—*For week ending 26th June.*—Over three inches of rain fell during the week, and the prospects of the crops have much improved in consequence. Price—7 seers per rupee.

The total numbers in receipt of relief during the preceding and present weeks are as follows:

NAME OF PROVINCE.	PRECEDING WEEK.			PRESENT WEEK.			Increase or decrease.
	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	
Madras . . .	382,660	121,045	503,705	412,640	146,139	(a) 558,779	+ 55,074
Bombay . . .	260,855	40,066	300,921	269,105	42,668	311,773	+ 10,852
Bengal . . .	410,420	431,664	842,084	304,534	435,345	739,879	— 102,205
North-Western Provinces and Oudh . . .	963,109	404,576	1,367,685	433,599	(b) 431,424	865,023	— 502,662
Punjab . . .	82,966	14,929	97,895	79,395	14,064	93,459	— 4,436
Central Provinces	402,915	180,170	583,085	278,174	180,322	458,496	— 124,589
Burma . . .	5,902	1,089	6,991*	15,770	4,239	20,009	+ 13,018
Berar . . .	18,355	5,037	23,392	20,253	6,965	27,218	+ 3,826
Hyderabad . .	16,601	714	17,315	17,579	721	18,300	+ 985
Central India .	135,899	24,464	160,363	139,360	22,745	162,105	+ 1,742
Rajputana . . .	16,828	8,476	25,304	15,765	8,180	23,945	— 1,359
TOTAL . . .	2,696,510	1,232,230	3,928,740	1,986,174	1,292,812	3,278,986	— 649,754

* Figures incomplete.

(a) Figures incomplete for one district.

(b) Includes 62,700 relieved from the Indian Charitable Fund.

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(FAMINE.)

NOTE.—The figures are compiled from the Local Gazettes, and give the District details of the Provincial totals published weekly in the Crop and Weather Summary in the *Gazette of India*.

Non-labouring children and other dependants of relief workers are classed as on relief works when distinguished in the local returns from persons gratuitously relieved in poor-houses or at their homes.

(*) Including 23,794 weavers relieved at their own trade.
 (") " 23,758 " " " " " "
 (") " 25,199 " " " " " "
 (*) Including 20,543 weavers relieved at their own trade.
 Incomplete.
 † There were also 1,301 persons fed in private kitchens.
 No report.

Return of the number of persons in receipt of relief in districts affected by scarcity—continued.

		FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 5TH JUNE 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 12TH JUNE 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 19TH JUNE 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 26TH JUNE 1897.		
Name of Province and District.		Relief works.	Gratui- tous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratui- tous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratui- tous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratui- tous relief.	Total.
North-Western Provinces and Oudh—contd.													
	Bijnor	108	862	970	141	1,016	1,157	151	1,140	1,291	174	1,159	1,333
	Moradabad	664	2,574	3,238	1,219	2,619	3,838	1,215	2,616	3,831	758	2,638	3,396
	Barilly	1,211	1,913	3,124	1,186	1,743	2,929	885	1,788	2,673	800	1,451	2,251
	Muttra	3,333	3,190	6,523	3,555	4,710	8,265	4,133	4,728	8,861	4,114	4,740	8,854
	Etah	5	1,464	1,469	16	701	717	...	1,241	1,241	...	1,445	1,445
	Mainpuri . . . . .	...	597	597	...	1,100	1,100	...	1,486	1,486	...	536	536
	Farukhabad	85	2,465	2,550	122	3,067	3,189	107	3,498	3,605	67	3,809	3,876
	Budaun	283	1,135	1,418	246	1,209	1,455	294	1,398	1,692	326	1,235	1,561
	Shahjahanpur	533	3,158	3,691	701	3,043	3,744	384	2,990	3,374	354	3,833	4,187
	Pilibhit	1,047	1,514	2,561	1,510	2,702	4,212	1,384	2,767	4,151	1,422	2,954	4,376
	Kheri	706	123	829	864	188	1,052	1,281	103	1,384	1,288	107	1,395
	Sultanpur	3,018	1,448	4,466	3,256	1,607	4,863	2,615	1,722	4,337	2,071	2,267	4,338
	Pertabgarh	3,069	3,363	6,432	3,631	3,115	6,746	2,550	3,615	6,165	1,731	3,442	5,173
	Fyzabad . . . . .	...	2,289	2,289	...	1,996	1,996	...	2,591	2,591	...	2,888	2,888
	Fatehpur	8,076	8,710	16,786	7,437	10,255	17,692	5,793	9,203	14,996	4,579	9,102	13,681
	Azamgarh	12,506	5,569	18,075	13,896	5,779	19,675	13,809	8,308	22,117	7,171	9,100	16,271
	Benares	1,479	12,268	13,747	2,394	12,364	14,758	2,353	12,575	14,928	1,167	12,595	13,762
	Gonda	1,614	304	1,918	1,427	382	1,809	780	473	1,253	500	955	1,455
	Basti	1,586	1,661	3,247	3,579	1,607	5,186	2,132	1,811	3,943	2,240	2,200	4,440
TOTAL FOR N.-W. P. & O.		1,154,426	376,560	1,530,986	1,143,089	386,286	1,529,375	1,086,592	399,950	1,486,542	953,489	399,519*	1,353,008†
Punjab.													
	Hissar	57,905	9,342	67,247	63,119	8,643	71,762	67,212	8,344	75,556	61,267	8,236	72,503
	Rohtak	8,218	2,193	10,411	7,939	2,027	9,966	10,496	2,285	12,781	9,102	2,137	11,239
	Delhi	973	839	1,812	862	836	1,698	982	829	1,811	1,201	901	2,102
	Karnal	6,159	1,358	7,517	5,516	1,452	6,968	4,519	1,304	5,823	3,173	1,221	4,394
	Umballa	2,131	1,780	3,911	1,737	2,002	3,739	1,786	2,296	4,082	1,172	2,236	3,408
	Perozpur	360	...	360	270	...	270	458	...	458	454	...	454
	Gujrat	4,596	469	5,065	4,067	141	4,508	3,948	381	4,329	3,536	196	3,732
	Rawalpindi	45	...	45	33	...	33	...	...	...	61	...	61
TOTAL PUNJAB		80,387	15,981	96,368	83,543	15,401	98,944	89,401	15,449	104,850	82,966	14,927	97,893
Central Provinces.													
	Sangor	42,541	15,772	58,313	42,208	15,353	57,561	44,812	15,119	59,931	37,447	15,593	53,040
	Damoh	41,924	12,099	54,023	38,715	11,962	50,677	31,695	12,201	43,896	30,564	12,405	42,969
	Jabalpur	61,493	22,167	83,660	51,959	22,217	74,176	43,910	22,569	66,479	44,812	22,627	67,439
	Mandla	29,850	3,119	32,969	29,180	3,269	32,449	27,417	3,335	30,752	26,737	3,255	29,992
	Seoni	14,140	2,601	16,741	13,061	2,646	15,707	10,465	2,989	13,454	9,484	2,758	12,242
	Narsinghpur	48,797	3,355	52,152	48,307	3,589	51,896	54,511	4,067	58,578	8,980	4,509	13,489
	Hoshangabad	65,292	856	66,148	57,726	891	58,617	43,319	1,060	44,379	37,144	1,214	38,358
	Nimar	374	512	886	333	585	918	236	599	835	128	581	709
	Betul	18,261	1,880	20,141	18,287	1,760	20,047	10,387	1,831	12,218	5,917	2,294	8,211
	Chindwara	14,827	2,054	16,881	16,136	2,104	18,240	15,788	2,219	18,007	12,319	2,949	15,268
	Nagpur	17,296	749	18,045	16,026	754	16,780	14,196	1,174	15,370	14,799	1,229	16,028
	Chanda	128	...	128	119	...	119	134	...	134	101	...	101
	Bhandara	29,882	1,844	31,726	36,466	4,908	41,374	49,807	5,361	55,168	32,268	5,361	37,629
	Balaghat	52,183	8,677	60,860	55,425	9,481	64,906	57,467	9,369	66,836	52,023	9,548	61,571
	Raipur	99,368	12,472	111,840	92,082	10,269	102,351	85,657	14,570	100,227	73,502	14,062	87,564
	Bilaspur	40,425	24,115	64,540	36,952	25,182	62,134	39,150	25,436	64,586	36,211	29,137	65,348
	Sambalpur	1,009	343	1,352	1,241	426	1,667	2,024	...	2,024	2,808	...	2,808
	Wardha	7,115	...	7,115	7,115	...	7,115	7,115	...	7,115	2,847	...	2,847
TOTAL CENTRAL PROV- INCES		584,905	112,615	697,520	561,338	115,396	676,734	538,090	121,899	659,989	428,091	127,522	555,613
Burma.													
	Meiktila	4,322	760	5,082	4,623	843	5,466	5,414	941	6,355	5,902	1,089	6,991
	Myingyan	10,290	2,542	12,832	7,841	1,944	9,785	5,664	1,563	7,227	(not reported).		
	Yamethin . . . . .	...	363	363	...	365	365	...	362	362			
TOTAL BURMA		14,612	3,665	18,277	12,464	3,152	15,616	11,078	2,866	13,944	5,902	1,089	6,991

* Includes 62,668 relieved from the Indian Charitable Relief Fund.

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† There were also 112,915 persons employed on railways and other public works.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
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IMPORTS OF COTTON, WHEAT, LINSEED, AND INDIGO.

Statement of the Quantity (in hundredweight) of Cotton, Wheat, Linseed, and Indigo imported by rail and river to 30th April 1897, compared with the corresponding

Articles and whence exported.	IMPORTS IN APRIL.											
	Calcutta.			City of Bombay.			Karachi.			TOTAL.		
	1895.	1896.	1897.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1895.	1896.	1897.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
COTTON												
<i>By Rail and River—</i>												
Bengal	6,888	11,190	16,567	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,888	11,190	16,567
N.-W. P. & Oudh	60,373	21,638	42,195	21,186	39,099	32,041	...	...	...	81,559	60,737	74,536
Panjab	14,510	3,293	14,880	10,552	13,690	6,902	16,283	48,378	44,238	41,345	65,361	66,029
Cent. Provs.	1,303	1,280	1,345	14,992	26,275	21,136	...	...	...	16,295	27,555	22,481
Bombay . . . . .	...	3	...	467,174	462,917	267,692	...	...	...	467,174	462,920	267,692
Sind . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	47,897	27,011	33,760	47,897	27,011	33,760
Madras . . . . .	...	...	...	1,591	1,120	926	...	...	...	1,591	1,120	926
Berar	4,075	11,858	10,582	109,136	150,775	104,051	...	...	...	113,211	162,633	114,633
Assam	4,004	2,715	1,751	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,004	2,715	1,751
Raj. & C. I.	4,425	1,164	8,254	138,071	112,373	142,994	...	...	...	142,496	113,537	151,248
Nizam's Terr. . . . .	...	...	...	264	...	1,357	...	...	...	264	...	1,357
Mysore . . . . .	...	...	...	...	40	...	...	...	...	...	40	...
TOTAL	95,578	53,141	95,883	762,966	806,289	577,999	64,180	75,389	77,998	922,724	934,819	750,980
<i>By Sea—</i>												
Bengal	*	1,322	4,079	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	1,322	4,079
Bombay	*	6,987	3,854	*	16,714	15,620	*	...	...	*	23,701	19,474
Sind . . . . .	*	...	...	*	45,737	21,591	*	...	...	*	45,737	21,591
Madras	*	723	1,011	*	230	84	*	...	...	*	953	1,095
Burma	*	1,067	955	*	458	...	*	...	...	*	1,525	955
Non-Br. Ports in India . . . . .	*	...	...	*	357,803	80,185	*	...	...	*	357,893	80,185
Foreign countries	*	1	699	*	15,168	2,147	*	...	...	*	15,169	2,846
TOTAL	*	10,100	10,598	*	436,200	119,627	*	...	...	*	446,300	130,225
TOTAL OF IMPORTS	95,578	63,241	106,481	762,966	1,242,489	696,726	64,180	75,389	77,998	922,724	1,381,119	881,205
WHEAT												
<i>By Rail and River—</i>												
Bengal	65,561	40,899	42,159	...	...	222	...	...	...	65,561	40,899	42,381
N.-W. P. & Oudh	88,422	105,354	156,936	1,997	...	1,262	...	...	...	90,419	105,354	158,198
Panjab	4,438	3,174	499	43,095	2,895	1,639	329,842	50,318	24	377,375	56,387	2,162
Cent. Provs.	775	10,899	...	106,296	198,073	8,834	...	...	...	107,971	208,072	8,834
Bombay . . . . .	...	...	...	154,078	219,955	81,820	...	...	...	154,078	219,955	81,820
Sind . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	49,680	47,563	11,780	49,680	47,563	11,780
Madras . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Berar . . . . .	...	262	...	11,779	12,881	1	...	...	...	11,779	13,143	1
Assam . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Raj. & C. I. . . . .	...	...	1	23,631	116,132	5,741	...	...	...	23,631	116,132	5,741
Nizam's Terr. . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mysore . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	159,196	169,588	199,595	340,876	549,936	99,519	379,522	97,881	11,804	879,594	817,405	310,918
<i>By Sea—</i>												
Bengal . . . . .	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...
Bombay . . . . .	*	...	...	*	158	...	*	129	...	*	287	...
Sind . . . . .	*	...	...	*	49,482	1,988	*	...	...	*	48,482	1,988
Madras . . . . .	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...
Burma . . . . .	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India . . . . .	*	...	...	*	2,639	3,165	*	...	...	*	2,939	3,165
Foreign countries . . . . .	*	...	...	*	10,595	14,062	*	1,349	...	*	11,944	14,062
TOTAL	*	...	...	*	62,174	19,215	*	1,478	...	*	63,652	19,215
TOTAL OF IMPORTS	159,196	169,588	199,595	340,876	612,110	118,734	379,522	99,359	11,804	879,594	881,057	330,133

* Figures not available.

NOTE.—The totals of imports for 1895 are defective.

d by sea into Calcutta, the City of Bombay, and Karáchi, during the month of April 1897, and from 1st January to 1st April of the years 1895 and 1896.

IMPORTS FROM JANUARY TO APRIL, INCLUSIVE.												Articles and whence exported.
Calcutta.			City of Bombay.			Karachi.			TOTAL.			
1895.	1896.	1897.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1895.	1896.	1897.	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
COTTON												
By Rail and River—												
20,805	20,411	42,815	...	...	...	...	...	...	20,805	20,411	42,815	Bengal
32,450	145,754	181,132	114,240	213,434	153,014	...	1	...	246,690	359,189	334,546	N.-W. P. & Oudh
32,470	17,267	33,396	33,413	60,977	34,096	81,901	222,033	226,050	147,784	300,277	295,542	Panjab
4,598	6,565	11,301	74,104	172,941	169,001	...	...	...	78,902	179,506	180,302	Cent. Provs.
...	3	...	1,097,449	1,489,442	1,077,230	...	...	...	1,097,449	1,489,445	1,077,230	Bombay
...	...	...	...	...	...	125,922	122,355	96,645	125,922	122,355	96,645	Sind
...	...	...	2,597	1,278	1,097	...	...	...	2,597	1,278	1,097	Madras
10,094	27,551	33,092	539,416	743,883	673,588	...	...	...	550,410	771,434	706,680	Berar
7,110	8,274	9,237	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,110	8,274	9,237	Assam
18,933	5,095	21,625	410,767	368,437	436,409	...	...	...	429,750	374,432	458,034	Raj. & C. I.
...	...	...	1,458	354	1,357	...	...	...	1,458	354	1,357	Nizam's Terr.
...	...	...	57	85	90	...	...	...	57	85	90	Mysore
27,410	240,820	332,999	2,273,701	3,050,931	2,545,882	207,823	344,389	322,695	2,708,934	3,636,040	3,201,575	TOTAL
By Sea—												
*	8,014	8,805	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	8,014	8,805	Bengal
*	36,303	26,621	*	40,746	24,504	*	...	...	*	77,049	51,125	Bombay
*	...	...	*	127,698	40,213	*	...	...	*	127,698	40,213	Sind
*	812	1,011	*	2,322	85	*	...	...	*	3,134	1,006	Madras
*	7,939	2,325	*	1,144	...	*	...	...	*	9,083	2,325	Burma
*	...	...	*	852,990	314,116	*	...	...	*	852,990	314,116	Non-Br. Ports in India
*	1,373	1,091	*	51,538	15,767	*	...	...	*	52,911	16,858	Foreign countries
*	54,441	39,853	*	1,076,447	400,685	*	...	...	*	1,130,888	440,538	TOTAL
27,410	295,261	372,851	2,273,701	4,127,278	2,946,567	207,823	344,389	322,695	2,708,934	4,766,928	3,642,113	TOTAL OF IMPORTS
WHEAT												
By Rail and River—												
75,385	99,183	85,199	...	...	222	...	...	...	75,385	99,183	85,421	Bengal
50,139	404,499	205,568	4,700	...	1,209	...	...	...	400,839	404,499	209,837	N.-W. P. & Oudh
82,427	28,757	1,693	144,121	7,375	1,639	1,331,784	306,810	30,842	1,558,332	342,942	34,174	Panjab
12,795	28,282	26,854	176,303	312,827	22,568	...	...	...	189,188	341,100	49,452	Cent. Provs.
...	...	...	415,983	741,806	131,011	...	...	...	415,983	741,806	131,011	Bombay
...	...	...	...	...	...	318,339	360,715	63,303	318,339	360,715	63,303	Sind
...	...	...	103	...	...	...	...	...	103	...	...	Madras
47	5,046	...	13,662	18,700	151	...	...	...	13,709	23,746	151	Berar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Assam
...	...	273	55,799	140,287	23,879	...	...	...	55,799	140,287	24,157	Raj. & C. I.
...	...	...	12	478	27	...	...	...	12	478	27	Nizam's Terr.
...	...	...	...	4,598	...	...	...	...	...	4,598	...	Mysore
26,793	565,767	322,592	810,773	1,226,071	180,796	1,650,123	667,525	94,145	3,087,689	2,459,303	597,533	TOTAL
By Sea—												
*	758	...	*	4,659	0	*	822	...	*	6,239	0	Bengal
*	...	...	*	415,112	1,217	*	137	...	*	415,249	1,217	Bombay
*	...	...	*	48,553	95,201	*	...	...	*	48,553	95,201	Sind
*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	Madras
*	...	...	*	139,717	...	*	22	...	*	139,739	...	Burma
*	2	...	*	38,590	4,829	*	21,256	...	*	59,848	4,829	Non-Br. Ports in India
*	...	82,152	*	10,595	22,900	*	1,349	1,067	*	11,944	106,119	Foreign countries
*	760	82,152	*	657,226	124,156	*	23,586	1,067	*	681,572	207,375	TOTAL
26,793	566,527	404,744	810,773	1,883,297	304,952	1,650,123	691,111	95,212	3,087,689	3,140,935	804,908	TOTAL OF IMPORTS

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

IMPORTS OF COTTON, WHEAT, LINSEED, AND INDIGO.

Statement of the Quantity (in hundredweight) of Cotton, Wheat, Linseed, and Indigo imported by rail and river to 30th April 1897, compared with the correspondi

Articles and whence exported.	IMPORTS IN APRIL.											
	Calcutta.			City of Bombay.			Karachi.			TOTAL.		
	1895.	1896.	1897.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1895.	1896.	1897.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
LINSEED												
<i>By Rail and River—</i>												
Bengal	184,266	218,744	189,439	...	...	...	...	...	...	184,266	218,744	189,439
N.-W. P. & Oudh	66,371	46,891	41,800	11,322	733	522	...	...	...	77,693	47,624	42,331
Panjab . . . . .	...	469	...	...	...	...	...	1,074	...	...	1,543	...
Cent. Provs.	7,893	12,533	60	76,705	54,854	13,310	...	...	...	84,598	67,387	13,310
Bombay . . . . .	...	...	...	271,370	327,920	11,912	...	...	...	271,370	327,920	11,912
Sind . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	215	...	...	215	...
Madras . . . . .	...	...	...	12,220	25,756	...	...	...	...	12,220	25,756	...
Berar . . . . .	...	25,069	2,210	69,909	84,179	3,277	...	...	...	69,909	109,248	5,411
Assam	245	3,800	891	...	...	...	...	...	...	245	3,800	891
Raj. & C. I. . . . .	...	...	...	34,225	42,024	11,100	...	...	...	34,225	42,024	11,100
Nizam's Terr. . . . .	...	...	...	55,484	81,316	3,637	...	...	...	55,484	81,316	3,637
Mysore . . . . .	...	...	...	257	121	...	...	...	...	257	121	...
TOTAL	258,775	307,506	234,400	531,492	616,903	43,767	...	1,289	...	790,267	925,698	278,111
<i>By Sea—</i>												
Bengal . . . . .	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...
Bombay . . . . .	*	...	...	*	698	312	*	...	9	*	698	312
Sind . . . . .	*	...	...	*	130	...	*	...	...	*	130	...
Madras . . . . .	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...
Burma . . . . .	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India . . . . .	*	...	...	*	3,082	424	*	...	...	*	3,082	424
Foreign countries . . . . .	*	...	...	*	...	39	*	...	...	*	...	...
TOTAL . . . . .	*	...	...	*	3,910	775	*	...	9	*	3,910	775
TOTAL OF IMPORTS	258,775	307,506	234,400	531,492	620,813	44,542	...	1,289	9	790,267	929,608	278,911
INDIGO												
<i>By Rail and River—</i>												
Bengal	55	6	222	...	...	...	...	...	...	55	6	222
N.-W. P. & Oudh	1,010	6	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,010	6	50
Panjab . . . . .	...	...	...	3	...	31	1,095	280	93	1,098	280	93
Cent. Provs. . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay . . . . .	...	...	...	9	56	16	...	...	...	9	56	16
Sind . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	225	832	105	225	832	105
Madras . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Berar . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Raj. & C. I. . . . .	...	...	...	...	14	1	...	...	...	...	14	1
Nizam's Terr. . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mysore . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	1,065	12	272	12	70	48	1,320	1,112	198	2,397	1,194	51
<i>By Sea—</i>												
Bengal . . . . .	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...
Bombay . . . . .	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	6	*	...	...
Sind . . . . .	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...
Madras . . . . .	*	...	...	*	344	119	*	...	...	*	344	119
Burma . . . . .	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India . . . . .	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...
Foreign countries . . . . .	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...
TOTAL . . . . .	*	...	...	*	344	119	*	...	6	*	344	119
TOTAL OF IMPORTS	1,065	12	272	12	414	167	1,320	1,112	204	2,397	1,538	64

* Figures not available.
NOTE.—The totals of imports for 1895 are defective.

and by sea into Calcutta, the City of Bombay, and Karáchi, during the month of April 1897, and from 1st January periods of the years 1895 and 1896—contd.

IMPORTS FROM JANUARY TO APRIL, INCLUSIVE.												Articles and whence exported.
Calcutta.			City of Bombay.			Karachi.			TOTAL.			
1895.	1896.	1897.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1895.	1896.	1897.	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
LINSEED												
By Rail and River—												Bengal
410,910	519,903	338,771	...	...	...	...	...	...	410,910	519,903	338,771	N.-W. P. & Oudh
86,148	85,031	66,253	14,940	1,288	547	...	...	...	101,088	86,319	66,800	Panjab
...	469	...	...	...	...	60	1,405	...	60	1,874	...	Cent. Provs.
16,664	80,175	1,439	218,702	150,754	26,230	...	...	...	235,366	230,929	27,660	Bombay
...	194	...	838,098	958,330	31,142	...	...	...	838,098	958,524	31,142	Sind
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	215	18	...	215	18	Madras
...	...	...	49,140	74,043	...	...	...	...	49,140	74,043	...	Berar
...	63,755	2,210	340,903	499,864	8,257	...	...	...	340,903	563,619	10,467	Assam
2,985	3,861	1,354	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,985	3,861	1,354	Raj. & C. I.
3,277	...	7	62,421	63,551	14,280	...	...	...	65,698	63,551	14,287	Nizam's Terr.
...	...	...	287,260	393,283	17,590	...	...	...	287,260	393,283	17,590	Mysore
...	...	...	416	122	...	...	...	...	416	122	...	
519,984	753,388	410,034	1,811,940	2,141,235	98,046	60	1,620	18	2,331,984	2,896,243	508,098	TOTAL
By Sea—												Bengal
*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	Bombay
*	...	...	*	1,025	1,120	*	63	9	*	1,088	1,129	Sind
*	...	...	*	242	...	*	...	...	*	242	...	Madras
*	208	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	208	...	Burma
*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	Non-Br. Ports in India
*	...	...	*	19,290	424	*	...	...	*	19,290	424	Foreign countries
*	...	...	*	686	4,227	*	...	...	*	686	4,227	
*	208	...	*	21,252	5,771	*	63	9	*	21,523	5,780	TOTAL
519,984	753,596	410,034	1,811,940	2,162,487	103,817	60	1,683	27	2,331,984	2,917,766	513,878	TOTAL OF IMPORTS
INDIGO												
By Rail and River—												Bengal
16,035	13,159	16,064	3	...	...	...	...	...	16,038	13,159	16,064	N.-W. P. & Oudh
5,273	2,015	2,893	2	6	...	...	...	...	5,275	2,021	2,893	Panjab
1,427	...	308	4	3	36	2,373	3,083	231	3,804	3,886	575	Cent. Provs.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bombay
...	...	...	395	1,356	163	...	...	...	295	1,356	163	Sind
...	...	...	...	...	...	1,898	3,679	870	1,898	2,679	870	Madras
...	...	...	399	257	15	...	...	...	399	257	15	Berar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Assam
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Raj. & C. I.
17	...	...	260	142	33	...	...	...	277	142	33	Nizam's Terr.
...	2	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	...	Mysore
...	
22,752	15,176	19,265	966	1,764	247	4,271	5,762	1,101	27,989	22,702	20,613	TOTAL
By Sea—												Bengal
*	11	...	*	8	...	*	...	...	*	19	...	Bombay
*	...	...	*	...	...	*	42	172	*	42	172	Sind
*	...	...	*	1,911	188	*	...	...	*	1,911	188	Madras
*	3	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	3	...	Burma
*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	Non-Br. Ports in India
*	...	...	*	...	...	*	3	...	*	3	...	Foreign countries
*	...	...	*	240	...	*	...	...	*	240	...	
*	14	...	*	2,159	188	*	45	172	*	2,218	360	TOTAL
22,752	15,190	19,265	966	3,923	435	4,271	5,807	1,273	27,989	24,920	20,973	TOTAL OF IMPORTS

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Simla, the 2nd July 1897.

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
RAILWAY STATISTICS.**

STATEMENT OF APPROXIMATE GROSS EARNINGS OF INDIAN RAILWAYS FROM 1ST JANUARY TO 20TH JUNE 1896, AND FROM 1ST JANUARY TO 19TH JUNE 1897.

N.B.—As regards the figures in column Total Earnings from 1st January 1897, audited figures have been used as far as possible.

RAILWAY.	Average earnings per mile per week during the 1st-half of 1896.	JUNE 1896.				WEEK ENDING 19TH JUNE 1897.				Earnings from 1st January to 20th June 1896.	Earnings from 1st January to 19th June 1897.	Increase.	Decrease.
		Mean mileage worked.	Earnings.		Mean mileage worked.	Earnings.							
			Total.	Per mile open per week.		Total.	Per mile open per week.						
State Lines worked by companies.	Rs.	Miles.	Rs.	Rs.	Miles.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
<i>Standard gauge—</i>													
East Indian	614	1,735	9,14,649	527	1,736	11,03,000	635	2,69,50,407	2,92,10,000	22,59,593	...	...
Bengal Central (a)	129	125	19,427	155	125	14,800	118	3,93,167	4,28,000	34,833	...	...
Bengal-Nagpur	160	862	90,227	105	862	1,00,000	110	35,70,957	33,16,000	...	2,54,957	...	
Indian Midland (b)	141	752	98,532	131	768	1,30,000	169	26,72,116	29,25,000	2,52,884	...	...
Bezwađa extn. (East Coast state)	160	31	2,384	114	21	2,000	124	84,401	80,900	...	3,501	...	
Mad.-Finnur sec. (Bezwađa-Mad.)	157	9	1,522	169	9	1,200	133	(c) 22,522	33,200	10,678	...	...
<i>Metre gauge—</i>													
Rajputana-Malwa (d)	257	1,815	3,08,742	170	1,815	3,88,000	214	1,15,27,491	96,61,000	...	18,66,491	...	
Pālanpur-Deesa	70	17	3,045	179	17	700	41	21,531	21,200	...	331	...	
South Indian	170	1,042	1,85,185	178	1,042	1,85,000	178	42,89,696	42,55,000	...	34,696	...	
Māyavaram-Mutupēt	87	54	6,017	111	54	6,000	111	1,13,171	1,22,000	8,829	...	...
Southern Mahratta (e)	129	1,165	1,32,462	114	1,165	1,65,000	142	37,32,070	34,95,000	...	2,37,070	...	
Bengal and North-Western (f)	165	756	1,10,693	146	815	1,28,000	157	31,37,815	31,22,000	...	15,815	...	
Lucknow-Bareilly section (Rohilkhand and Kumaon)	84	200	12,566	63	200	15,700	79	4,68,913	4,42,000	...	26,913	...	
Assam-Bengal	86	159	11,116	70	156	12,100	77	3,36,992	4,97,000	1,60,008	...	...
Assam-Bengal	191	886	1,22,894	139	886	1,52,000	172	41,65,169	48,59,000	6,93,831	...	...
TOTAL	256	9,598	20,19,401	210	9,671	24,04,100	249	6,14,86,418	6,24,67,300	9,80,882	...	...
State Lines worked by the State.													
<i>Standard gauge—</i>													
North-Western (h)	235	2,656	5,62,935	212	2,883	5,96,000	207	1,51,00,104	1,37,87,000	...	13,13,104	...	
Oudh and Rohilkhand (including the metre gauge link)	238	797	1,56,590	196	875	2,31,000	264	47,00,402	41,41,000	...	5,59,402	...	
Eastern Bengal (including metre and 2' 6" gauges)	200	813	2,19,908	270	814	1,37,000	168	57,40,223	55,87,000	...	1,53,223	...	
East Coast	108	483	31,337	64	535	47,900	90	11,62,849	11,82,000	19,151	...	...
<i>Special gauges—</i>													
Jorhāt	44	...	...	...	...	(i)	...	(j) 26,061	(k) 43,200	17,139	...	...
Cherra-Companyganj	66	...	...	...	...	(i)	...	(j) 12,228	(k) 10,600	...	1,628	...
TOTAL	231	4,754	9,70,770	204	5,107	10,11,900	198	2,67,41,867	2,47,50,800	...	19,91,067	...	
Lines worked by guaranteed cos.													
<i>Standard gauge—</i>													
Great Indian Peninsula (l)	541	1,490	5,48,405	368	1,491	4,60,000	309	2,03,01,526	1,47,85,000	...	55,16,526	...	
Bombay, Baroda and Central India	810	461	2,26,402	491	461	2,97,000	644	92,89,085	75,43,000	...	17,46,085	...	
Madras	251	840	2,07,838	247	840	2,25,000	268	51,64,441	54,02,000	2,37,559	...	...
TOTAL	498	2,791	9,82,705	352	2,792	9,82,000	352	1,47,55,052	1,27,30,000	...	70,25,052	...	
TOTAL (GUARANTEED AND STATE) ASSISTED COMPANIES.	289	17,143	39,72,876	232	17,570	43,98,000	250	12,39,83,337	11,49,48,100	...	80,35,237	...	
<i>Standard gauge—</i>													
Delhi-Umballa-Kalka	159	161	22,449	139	160	26,000	162	6,16,064	6,32,000	...	4,064	...	
Tarkessur	300	22	6,848	311	22	6,500	395	1,63,626	1,69,000	5,374	...	...
<i>Metre gauge—</i>													
Rohilkhand and Kumaon (Coy.'s sec.)	129	66	7,535	114	66	7,100	108	1,87,010	1,91,000	3,990	...	...
Bengal-Dooars	112	36	5,007	130	36	1,200	33	80,116	91,300	2,184	...	...
Dilru-Sadiya	160	78	11,180	143	78	12,900	165	2,99,095	3,65,000	65,905	...	...
Ahmedabad-Parāntij	...	...	...	...	...	1,000	48	...	(m) 10,400	10,400	...	...
<i>Special gauge—</i>													
Darjeeling-Himalayan	301	51	13,934	273	51	5,000	98	3,67,203	3,10,000	...	57,203	...	
TOTAL	175	414	66,953	162	446	60,300	135	17,42,714	17,68,700	25,986	...	...
Lines owned by native states and worked by other agencies.													
<i>Standard gauge—</i>													
Bina-Goonā	22	73	1,643	23	74	2,000	35	37,410	58,100	20,690	...	...
Bhopal-Ujjain	45	114	11,492	101	114	10,600	93	1,13,360	2,09,000	95,640	...	...
Nāgdā-Ujjain	...	...	...	...	...	7,300	66	...	56,900	...	...	...
The Nizam's guaranteed state	200	333	44,607	134	334	58,300	175	16,54,873	16,58,000	3,127	...	...
The Gaekwar's Petlād	228	13	1,379	106	13	1,300	100	74,884	28,500	...	46,384	...	
Rājputra-Bhātinda	220	108	35,231	326	108	9,700	90	5,60,088	3,05,000	...	2,61,088	...	
Kolar Gold-fields	270	10	2,066	207	10	3,900	390	66,905	92,500	25,595	...	...
<i>Metre gauge—</i>													
Mysore sec. (Southern Mahratta) (n)	98	362	33,036	91	362	45,100	125	8,71,075	9,58,000	86,925	...	...
The Gaekwar's Mehsāna	111	93	4,910	53	93	8,900	96	(o) 2,56,845	1,07,000	...	89,845	...	
Kolhāpur	87	29	2,653	91	29	2,500	86	62,360	54,000	...	8,360	...	
<i>Special gauges—</i>													
The Gaekwar's Dabhoi	90	72	3,232	45	72	4,100	57	1,63,543	1,21,000	...	42,543	...	
Cooch Behar	66	...	...	...	...	(i)	...	(j) 35,264	(k) 35,100	...	164	...
TOTAL	130	1,207	1,40,269	116	1,244	1,49,300	120	39,02,607	37,43,100	...	1,59,507	...	
Lines owned & worked by s. states													
<i>Metre gauge—</i>													
Bhāvnagar-Gondal-Junāgarh-Porbandar	145	334	24,723	74	334	33,900	101	12,15,730	10,38,000	...	1,77,730	...	
Jetalsar-Rājkot	88	46	2,779	60	46	3,900	85	1,01,361	98,000	...	3,361	...	
Jāmnagar	...	...	...	...	...	2,100	41	...	(p) 24,800	24,800	...	...
Jodhpur-Rickaneer	75	364	25,957	71	364	22,400	62	6,86,221	6,51,000	...	35,221	...	
Oodcypore-Chitor (q)	43	60	2,152	36	60	2,100	35	64,608	57,000	...	7,608	...	
<i>Special gauge—</i>													
Morvi	87	94	6,063	65	94	7,900	84	2,07,529	1,89,000	...	18,529	...	
TOTAL	101	898	61,674	69	949	72,300	76	22,75,449	20,57,800	...	2,17,649	...	
GRAND TOTAL	268	19,662	42,4 772	216	20,209	46,70,900	232	13,09,04,107	12,25,17,700	...	83,86,407	...	

(a) Although for convenience classed amongst state railways, this line is the property of the Bengal Central Railway Company. The working of this line has been taken over by the Company from the 1st January 1897.

(b) Includes the Bhopal-Itāsi railway.

(c) Total earnings from the 22nd February to the 20th June 1896.

(d) Includes the Godhra-Rutām-Nāgdā railway.

(e) Includes the Guntakal-Mysore frontier section.

(f) Includes the Tirhoot state railway. Although for convenience classed amongst state railways, the company's section of this line is the property of the Bengal and North-Western Railway Company.

(g) Transferred for working to the Burma Railways Company with effect from the 1st September 1896.

(h) Includes the Jammu and Kashmir and the Hyderabad-Shadi-palli railways.

(i) Return not received.

(j) Total earnings from the 1st January to the 6th June 1896.

(k) Total earnings from the 1st January to the 5th June 1897.

(l) Includes the Wardha Coal, the Dhond-Mannād, the Khāmgaon, and the Amrāoti railways.

(m) Total earnings from the 1st May to the 19th June 1897.

(n) Includes the Mysore-Nanjangūd and the Yesvantpur-Mysore frontier sections.

(o) Including Rs. 81,519 recovered from the Bombay, Baroda and Central India and Rajputana-Malwa railways for terminal charges from the date of opening of the line up to the 30th June 1895.

(p) Total earnings from the 8th April to the 19th June 1897.

(q) This line is being worked by the Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway Company as a temporary measure.

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**No. XI OF
STATEMENT OF APPROXIMATE GROSS EARNINGS OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.**
N.B.—As regards the figures in column Total earnings from 1st April 1897, audited figures have been used as far as possible.

RAILWAY.	Average earnings per mile per week in 1896-97.	WEEK ENDING 20TH JUNE 1896.				WEEK ENDING 19TH JUNE 1897.				Earnings from 1st April to 20th June 1896.	Earnings from 1st April to 19th June 1897.	Increase.	Decrease.
		Mean mileage worked.	Earnings.		Mean mileage worked.	Earnings.							
			Total.	Per mile open per week.		Total.	Per mile open per week.						
State lines worked by companies.	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>Miles.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>Miles.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	
<i>Standard gauge—</i>													
East Indian	605	1,735	9,14,649	527	1,736	11,03,000	635	1,20,91,400	1,36,91,000	15,99,600	...	...
Bengal Central (a)	146	125	19,427	155	125	14,800	118	1,81,602	1,98,000	16,398	...	...
Bengal-Nagpur	137	862	90,227	105	862	1,00,000	116	14,19,208	13,90,000	...	...	29,298
Indian Midland (b)	139	752	98,532	131	768	1,30,000	169	12,70,036	14,32,000	1,61,364	...	...
Bezwada extn. (East Coast state)	134	21	2,384	114	21	2,600	124	31,875	30,300	...	...	1,575
Mad.-Ennur sec. (Bezwada-Mad.)	163	9	1,522	169	9	1,200	133	14,647	15,000	353	...	...
<i>Metre gauge—</i>													
Rajputana-Malwa (c)	211	1,815	3,08,742	170	1,815	3,88,000	214	53,09,333	45,41,000	...	...	7,68,333
Pálanpur-Deesa	58	17	3,045	179	17	700	41	10,966	10,400	...	...	566
South Indian	105	1,042	1,85,185	178	1,042	1,85,000	178	21,28,550	20,81,000	...	...	47,550
Máyavaram-Mutupet	91	54	6,017	111	54	6,000	111	60,461	50,800	...	...	661
Southern Mahratta (d)	116	1,105	1,32,462	114	1,105	1,65,000	142	18,89,959	18,24,000	...	...	65,959
Bengal and North-Western (e)	140	756	1,10,693	146	815	1,28,000	157	15,05,211	10,53,000	1,47,789	...	...
Lucknow-Bareilly sec. (Rohilkund and Kumaon)	70	200	12,506	63	200	15,700	79	2,09,653	2,25,000	15,347	...	...
Assam-Bengal	61	159	11,116	70	156	12,100	77	1,30,359	2,18,000	81,641	...	...
Burma (f)	176	886	1,22,894	139	886	1,52,000	172	17,26,209	19,47,000	2,20,791	...	...
TOTAL	216	9,598	20,19,401	210	9,671	24,04,100	249	2,79,86,159	2,93,15,500	13,29,341	...	...
State lines worked by the State.													
<i>Standard gauge—</i>													
North-Western (g)	211	2,656	5,62,935	212	2,883	5,96,000	207	68,10,248	62,78,000	...	...	5,32,248
Oudh and Rohilkhand (including the metre gauge link)	193	797	1,56,590	196	875	2,31,000	264	21,15,203	20,76,000	...	...	39,203
Eastern Bengal (including metre and 2' 6" gauges)	354	813	2,19,908	270	814	1,37,000	168	25,16,748	24,51,000	...	...	65,748
East Coast	94	488	31,337	64	535	47,900	90	5,07,533	5,00,000	1,467	...	...
<i>Special gauges—</i>													
Jorhát	73	...	...	...	...	(h) ...	...	(i) 14,144	(j) 18,400	4,256	...	...
Cherra-Companyganj	61	...	...	...	...	(h) ...	...	(i) 5,158	(j) 4,200	...	...	858
TOTAL	219	4,754	9,70,770	204	5,107	10,11,900	198	1,20,28,934	1,13,96,600	...	...	6,32,334
Lines worked by guaranteed cos.													
<i>Standard gauge—</i>													
Great Indian Peninsula (k)	407	1,490	5,48,405	368	1,491	4,60,000	390	91,57,787	65,42,000	...	...	26,15,787
Bombay, Baroda and Central India	401	461	2,26,462	491	461	2,97,000	644	46,04,524	39,04,000	...	...	6,40,524
Madras	253	840	2,07,838	247	840	2,25,000	268	25,23,045	20,14,000	91,955	...	...
TOTAL	397	2,791	9,82,705	352	2,792	9,82,000	352	1,62,84,356	1,31,20,000	...	...	31,64,356
TOTAL (GUARANTEED AND STATE) ASSISTED COMPANIES.	257	17,143	39,72,876	232	17,570	43,98,000	250	5,62,69,449	5,38,32,100	...	...	24,67,349
<i>Standard gauge—</i>													
Delhi-Umballa-Kalka	157	161	22,449	139	160	26,000	162	3,01,223	3,04,000	2,777	...	...
Tarkessur	273	22	6,848	311	22	6,500	295	79,220	81,200	1,980	...	...
<i>Metre gauge—</i>													
Rohilkund and Kumaon (Coy.'s sec.)	131	66	7,535	114	66	7,100	168	1,09,747	91,900	...	...	17,847
Bengal-Doonars	146	36	5,007	139	36	1,200	33	39,928	37,600	...	...	2,328
Dibru-Sadiya	167	78	11,180	143	78	12,900	165	1,40,373	1,74,000	33,627	...	...
Ahmedabad-Parántij . . . . .	...	...	...	...	33	1,600	48	...	(l) 10,400	10,100	...	...
<i>Special gauge—</i>													
Darjeeling-Himalayan	287	51	13,934	273	51	5,000	98	1,09,993	1,71,000	...	...	28,992
TOTAL	176	414	66,953	162	446	60,300	135	8,70,483	8,70,100	...	...	383
Lines owned by native states and worked by other agencies.													
<i>Standard gauge—</i>													
Bina-Gooná	28	73	1,643	23	74	2,600	35	20,861	27,200	6,339	...	...
Bhopal-Ujjain	80	114	11,462	101	114	10,600	93	98,331	89,700	...	...	8,631
Nágda-Ujjain	53	...	...	...	35	2,300	66	...	29,700	29,700	...	...
The Nizam's guaranteed state	191	333	44,607	134	334	58,300	175	7,45,565	7,55,000	9,435	...	...
The Gaekwar's Petlad	159	13	1,379	106	13	1,300	100	54,769	15,800	...	...	38,969
Rájpura-Bhátinda	159	108	35,251	326	108	9,700	90	2,83,902	1,20,000	...	...	1,63,902
Kolar Gold-fields	330	10	2,066	207	10	3,900	390	31,100	40,600	9,440	...	...
<i>Metre gauge—</i>													
Mysore sec. (Southern Mahratta) (m)	98	362	33,036	91	362	45,100	125	4,16,923	5,07,000	85,077	...	...
The Gaekwar's Mchána	85	93	4,910	53	93	8,900	96	(n) 1,66,231	90,100	...	...	76,131
Kolhápúr	70	29	2,653	91	29	2,500	86	29,966	27,000	...	...	2,966
<i>Special gauges—</i>													
The Gaekwar's Dabhoi	63	72	3,232	45	72	4,100	57	78,112	60,800	...	...	17,312
Cooch Behar	63	...	...	...	...	(h) ...	...	(i) 15,720	(j) 13,800	...	...	1,920
TOTAL	120	1,207	1,40,269	116	1,244	1,49,300	120	19,41,540	17,71,700	...	...	1,69,840
Lines owned & worked by n. states													
<i>Metre gauge—</i>													
Bhánagar-Gondal-Junágarh-Porbandar	108	334	24,723	74	334	33,900	101	5,67,300	4,94,000	...	...	73,300
Jetalsar-Rájkot	81	46	2,779	60	46	3,900	85	47,091	40,800	...	...	291
Jámnagar . . . . .	...	...	...	...	51	2,100	41	...	(o) 24,800	24,800	...	...
Jodhpur-Bickaneer	67	364	25,957	71	364	22,400	62	3,06,415	2,94,000	...	...	12,415
Oodeypore-Chitor (p)	42	60	2,152	36	60	2,100	35	29,690	26,500	...	...	3,190
<i>Special gauge—</i>													
Morvi	78	94	6,063	65	94	7,900	84	1,11,982	95,800	...	...	16,182
TOTAL	82	898	61,674	69	949	72,300	76	10,62,478	9,81,900	...	...	80,578
GRAND TOTAL	239	19,662	42,41,772	216	20,209	46,79,900	232	6,01,73,950	5,74,55,800	...	...	27,18,150

- (a) Although for convenience classed amongst state railways, this line is the property of the Bengal Central Railway Company. The working of this line has been taken over by the Company from the 1st January 1897.
- (b) Includes the Bhopal-Itánsi railway.
- (c) Includes the Godhra-Rutlam-Nágda railway.
- (d) Includes the Guntakal-Mysore frontier section.
- (e) Includes the Tirhoot state railway. Although for convenience classed amongst state railways, the company's section of this line is the property of the Bengal and North-Western Railway Company.
- (f) Transferred for working to the Burma Railways Company with effect from the 1st September 1896.
- (g) Includes the Jammu and Kashmir and the Hyderabad-Shadipalli railways.

- (h) Return not received.
- (i) Total earnings from the 1st April to the 6th June 1896.
- (j) Total earnings from the 1st April to the 5th June 1897.
- (k) Includes the Wardha Coal, the Dhond-Manmád, the Khámgaon, and the Amráoti railways.
- (l) Total earnings from the 1st May to the 19th June 1897.
- (m) Includes the Mysore-Nanjangud and the Yesvantpur-Mysore frontier sections.
- (n) Including Rs. 81,519 recovered from the Bombay, Baroda and Central India and Rajputana-Malwa Railways for terminal charges from the date of opening of the line up to the 30th June 1895.
- (o) Total earnings from the 8th April to the 19th June 1897.
- (p) This line is being worked by the Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway Company as a temporary measure.

G. A. ANDERSON,

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GAZETTE OF INDIA.

NOTICE.

The 13th March, 1897.

From the 3rd April next, till further notice, Parts I, IV, V and VI of the *Gazette of India*, and the Weather and Crop Report will be published at Simla. After the 27th March all Notifications and other matter intended for publication in those Parts should be addressed to the Officiating Publisher at Simla.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

INVENTIONS and DESIGNS.

Calcutta, the 1st July 1897.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1910 P.—**APPLICATIONS** in respect of the undermentioned inventions have been filed, under the provisions of the Inventions and Designs Act of 1888, in the office of the Secretary appointed under that Act, during the week ending 26th June 1897:—

No. 236 of 1897.—Amended application.—*See* No. 175 of 1897.

No. 237 of 1897.—Ardesir Barjorji Godrej, proprietor, the Bombay Manufacturing Co., of Bazar gate, Fort, Bombay, for improvements in oil engines.

No. 238 of 1897.—Auguste Jules Desgoffe and Octave Avedyk, engineers, of 20 Avenue Brugman, Brussels, in the Kingdom of Belgium, for an improved process and apparatus for converting whole grain into baker's dough by a single operation.

No. 239 of 1897.—Francis Alexander Stuart King, civil engineer, Bankipore, for a wash table entitled "the crown wash table."

No. 240 of 1897.—Amended application.—*See* No. 58 of 1897.

No. 241 of 1897.—Amended application.—*See* No. 133 of 1897.

No. 242 of 1897.—Amended application.—*See* No. 23 of 1897.

No. 243 of 1897.—Beda Becker, civil engineer, of 13 Hufengasse, Eupen, in the German Empire, for improvements in extracting precious metals from minerals containing them, and apparatus therefor.

No. 244 of 1897.—Robert Cooke Sayer, engineer, of 11 Clyde road, Redland, Bristol, in the county of Gloucester, for improvements in car couplings.

No. 245 of 1897.—Bernhard Hoffmann, contractor for public works, of 10 rue Sauchat, Paris, for improvements in and relating to telegraphic transmitting and receiving apparatus.

No. 246 of 1897.—John Tremearne, medical practitioner, of Creswick, in the colony of Victoria, for a new or improved desk or stand for supporting a book, paper or other articles, and fittings for attaching same to chair lounge, bed or table.

No. 247 of 1897.—William Corfe, printers' and book binders' engineer, of 12 and 13 Cleveland square, in the city of Liverpool, for a new or improved index cutting and printing machine.

No. 248 of 1897.—Daniel Edward Hipwell, merchant, of 14 Upper Bedford place, Russell square, London, for an improved reversible seat.

No. 249 of 1897.—Paran Chandra Chatterji, depôt storekeeper, East coast railway, Waltair, for perfecting a tri-colour hand signal lamp, to be called "the perfect tri-colour hand signal lamp"

No. 250 of 1897.—Charles William George Aldridge, manufacturing chemist, and William Charles Clark, furniture dealer, both of 27 Martins lane, Cannon street, London, for improvements in and relating to ladders and fire escapes.

No. 1911 P.—**SPECIFICATIONS** of the undermentioned inventions have been filed, under the provisions of the Inventions and Designs Act of 1888, in the office of the Secretary appointed under that Act, and copies have been sent to the Governments of Fort St. George, Bombay, and Burma, and the Director of the department of land records and agriculture, North-Western Provinces and Oudh. These and other specifications are open to public inspection, from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M., at the Secretary's office

(Imperial Secretariat, Government Place, West, Calcutta), on payment of a fee of one rupee, and a certified copy of any one of them will be supplied on payment of the fixed expenses of copying :—

No. 300 of 1896.—David Decimus Coath, civil engineer, Rangoon, for improvements in rack saw benches for cutting timber. (Specification filed 6 May 1897.)

No. 372 of 1896.—Nathan William Horatio Sharpe, engineer, of 26 Perth road, Stroud green, London, and Samuel Robert Baildon, gentleman, of 1 Whitefriars street, London, for improvements in machinery for treating tea leaf for sorting, ball-breaking, separating, cooling, drying and sifting purposes. (Specification filed 7 June 1897.)

No. 122 of 1897.—Harry Heatly, civil engineer, of the firm of Heatly and Gresham, Limited, 7 Hastings street, Calcutta, for improvements in or applicable to hot air engines for actuating punkahs, thermantidotes, and for other purposes. (Specification filed 15 June 1897.)

No. 1912 P.—THE fees prescribed in Schedule 4 of Act V of 1888 have been paid for the continuance of exclusive privilege in respect of the undermentioned inventions for the periods shown against each :—

No. 34 of 1889.—George Ashworth and Elijah Ashworth, engineers, of the firm of Ashworth Brothers, of the Moss Brook works, Colleyhurst, Manchester, for improvements in the method of, and in means for, attaching the clothing to carding engine flats. (From 27 June 1897 to 27 June 1898.)

No. 69 of 1889.—Samuel Cleland Davidson, merchant, of Sirocco works, Belfast, for improvements in stoves or air-heating apparatus. (From 25 July 1897 to 27 July 1898.)

No. 147 of 1889.—George Westinghouse, junior, and Frank Moore, engineers, both of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, United States of America, for improvements in driver's valves for controlling pneumatic brakes in railway trains. (From 7 August 1897 to 7 August 1898.)

No. 24 of 1891.—Samuel Cleland Davidson, merchant, of Sirocco works, Belfast, for improvements in stoves or air-heating apparatus. (From 15 July 1897 to 15 July 1898.)

No. 81 of 1892.—Alister MacNab, merchant, of Cocanada, Madras presidency, for an improvement in the manufacture of bay salt. (From 13 July 1897 to 13 July 1898.)

No. 179 of 1893.—Samuel Cleland Davidson, merchant, of Sirocco works, Belfast, for improvements in the manufacture of bifurcated rivets or two-pronged U-shaped fasteners for leather or other substances, and in apparatus therefor. (From 18 July 1897 to 18 July 1898.)

No. 1913 P.—WHEREAS the inventors of the undermentioned inventions have respectively failed to pay, within the time limited in that behalf by the fourth schedule to the Inventions and Designs Act (V of 1888), the fees hereinafter respectively mentioned, it is hereby notified that under the provisions of section 8, sub-section (2) of the said Act, the exclusive privilege of making, selling, and using the said inventions in British India and of authorizing others so to do has ceased :—

No. 139 of 1892.—Albert Henry Bristow's invention for securely fastening the ordinary handcuff now in use in the jail and police departments. (Specification filed 22 March 1893.)

No. 234 of 1892.—Alfred Duckworth Melson's invention for improvements in handcuffs. (Specification filed 23 March 1893.)

No. 271 of 1892.—Henri Galopin's invention for improvements in and connected with apparatus for using liquid fuel for lighting and heating purposes. (Specification filed 25 March 1893.)

No. 327 of 1892.—Auguste Nieuwenhuys' invention for dioptric appliances for lamps. (Specification filed 25 March 1893.)

No. 57 of 1893.—Rudolf Müller's invention for improvements relating to boilers, and furnaces therefor. (Specification filed 20 March 1893.)

Fee in respect of the continuance of an exclusive privilege—

(4) (a) After the filing of the specification and before the expiration of the fourth year from the date of the filing thereof—

The sum of Rs 50 for each of the said inventions.

No. 236 of 1891.—Axel Fredrik Abrahamson's invention for improvements in reciprocating wing pumps. (Specification filed 25 March 1892.)

No. 257 of 1891.—James Longmore's invention for improvements in or relating to the decortication of rhea, jute, and other fibrous vegetable stems. (Specification filed 25 March 1892.)

No. 260 of 1891.—James Longmore's invention for improvements in or relating to the decortication of rhea, jute, and other fibrous vegetable stems. (Specification filed 25 March 1892.)

No. 13 of 1892.—Hiram Stevens Maxim's invention for improvements relating to the carburetting or enrichment of coal and other gas, and to apparatus therefor. (Specification filed 24 March 1892.)

Fee in respect of the continuance of an exclusive privilege—

(4) (b) After the expiration of the fourth year and before the expiration of the fifth year from the date of the filing of the specification—

The sum of Rs 50 for each of the said inventions.

No. 65 of 1890.—Henry Athelstan Acworth, Dombraïn and Oliver Trumper's invention for apparatus for extracting fatty and other matters from substances by means of volatile solvents. (Specification filed 24 March 1891.)

Fee in respect of the continuance of an exclusive privilege—

(4) (c) After the expiration of the fifth year and before the expiration of the sixth year from the date of the filing of the specification—

The sum of Rs 50 for the said invention.

NOTICES.

All communications relating to Act V (the Inventions and Designs Act) of 1888 should be addressed to the "Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Revenue and Agriculture (PATENTS BRANCH), CALCUTTA."

The office of the Secretary under the Act is open for the transaction of business from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M. on all days except Sundays and gazetted holidays.

The Government of India are advised that as trade marks are not "designs" within the meaning of the Act, they cannot be registered under Part II.

The fees payable under the fourth and sixth schedules are now collected in cash, and applicants are warned that they must be responsible for any delay in cashing cheques.

Copies of the weekly notifications, and of the quarterly lists, of applications and specifications filed in the Secretary's office are now on sale to the public at one anna and eight annas a copy respectively.

Attention is requested to the rules made by the Government on the 10th October, 1895, in regard to the preparation of applications, specifications and drawings.

All applications made under the Inventions and Designs Act, V of 1888, will from this date (December 19th, 1896) lie in the visitors' room of the Patents Office for ten days from the date of the *Gazette of India* in which their filing may have been notified; or, if the tenth day is a holiday, till the evening of the office day next following.

At the time of delivering or sending an application for leave to file a specification, the applicant shall cause a duplicate copy of the application to be delivered or sent therewith to the Secretary.

A. T. PRINGLE,
Offg. Secy. under the Inventions and
Designs Act, 1888.

ADMINISTRATOR GENERAL OF BENGAL.

Notice of death sent to the Administrator General of Bengal under Section 64 of Act II of 1874.

Name of deceased.	Place of death.	Date of death.	By whom death reported and when.	REMARKS.
Mr. Joanna Innes	Not stated	6th June, 1897	The Judge of Moulmein, on 11th June, 1897.	Deceased left a Will which is in the possession of her eldest daughter. No application.
E. E. Tiernan .	Mirzapore	1st June, 1897 .	The District Judge of Mirzapore, on 12th June, 1897.	Deceased was Deputy Collector of Mirzapore. No Will found. No application.
Robert Hamond, of 22 Khyroo's Lane.	Presidency Hospital.	General 1st June, 1897 .	The District Judge, 24-Pergunnahs, Ali-pore, on 16th June, 1897.	No will found. No application.
Mrs. Annie Statham, of 19, Imdad Ali's Lane.	Ditto	ditto . 5th June, 1897 .	Same Judge, on 17th June, 1897.	No Will found. No application.
James Mumford, of 10, Millipara Road.	Ditto	ditto . 6th June, 1897	Ditto ditto .	No Will found. No application.
Mrs. Mary Leopold	Ditto	ditto 6th June, 1897 .	Ditto ditto	Deceased was an inmate of the Aims House. No Will found. No application.
John Egan	Ditto	ditto 8th June, 1897 .	Ditto ditto	Deceased was of the S.S. <i>Wanderer</i> . No Will found. No application.
John Jones	Ditto	ditto 9th June, 1897	Ditto ditto	Deceased was of the S.S. <i>Brankan</i> . No Will found. No application.
John Campbell .	Ditto	ditto 9th June, 1897	Ditto ditto	Deceased was of the S.S. <i>Wanderer</i> . No Will found. No application.
William O'Brien	Ditto	ditto . 9th June, 1897	Ditto ditto	Deceased was of the S.S. <i>Wanderer</i> . No Will found. No application.

L. P. D. BROUGHTON,
Administrator General of Bengal.

7, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET;
Calcutta, the 2nd July, 1897.

BANK OF BENGAL.*Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 29th June, 1897.*

LIABILITIES.				ASSETS.			
	R	a.	p.		R	a.	p.
Capital paid-up	2,00,00,000	0	0	Government Securities	47,15,311	0	0
Reserve Fund	76,00,000	0	0	Other authorised Investments	66,61,053	8	0
Public Deposits at Head Office . 80,79,271	0	1	*	Loans on Government and other authorised Securities	1,93,39,785	1	7
Public Deposits at Branches . 72,80,415	13	1		Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorised Securities	2,15,87,625	4	4
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	4,86,09,906	12	7	Bills discounted and purchased	1,37,55,970	10	6
Bank Post Bills, etc.	2,98,281	6	4	Balances with other Banks	7,16,708	15	7
Sundries	28,95,320	12	7	Bullion	3,076	11	0
	RUPES	9,47,63,195	12 8	Dead Stock	13,48,111	11	9
				Stamps	8,501	9	6
				Sundries	11,32,315	7	3
					6,92,68,459	15	6
				Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office . 1,46,93,025	13	7	
				Cash and Currency Notes at Branches . 1,08,01,709	15	7	
					2,54,94,735	13	2
					RUPES	9,47,63,195	12 8

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 1st July, 1897.E. J. BIRCH,
Offg. Chief Accountant.
Rate for Demand Loans 7 per cent.
Percentage 37·9.By order of the Directors,
W. D. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.**POSTAL NOTICE.***Exchange of parcels between India and New Zealand via Colombo.*

With effect from the 1st July, 1897, parcels will be accepted for transmission to New Zealand via Ceylon at the rates of postage and under the conditions specified below :—

Rates of Postage (Prepayment compulsory).		Limit of weight.	LIMITS OF SIZE.		Limit of value.	Specially prohibited contents (For general prohibitions see the <i>Indian Postal Guide</i> .)	Special rules, observations etc.
			Maximum.	Minimum.			
For the first pound or fraction thereof	R, a 1 5	5	Six feet in girth and length combined or 3½ feet in length.	Three inches in length by 2 inches in width and 2 inches in depth, or 12 cubic inches in all. Note.—A parcel measuring, say, 12 x 2 x 1 inches would not be refused on the ground that it was less than 2 inches in depth as its cubic measurement would be 24 inches, or double the prescribed minimum cubic measurement.	£ 50	Letters, opium, grapevines or vine cuttings, spirits not perfumed or medicinal, tobacco manufactured or unmanufactured.	
For each subsequent pound or fraction of a pound	0 14						

CALCUTTA ;
The 29th June, 1897.A. U. FANSHAWE,
Dir. Genl. of the Post Office of India.

HIGH COURT—ENGLISH DEPARTMENT—CIVIL.**NOTIFICATION.***Calcutta, the 30th June, 1897.*

The Honourable the Chief Justice has, with the approval of His Excellency the Governor General in Council, appointed Mr. T. C. Ledlie, Barrister-at-Law, to officiate as Deputy Registrar on the Appellate Side of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, during the absence on leave of Mr. W. H. Joyce. This appointment takes effect from the forenoon of the 27th May, 1897.

By Order of the High Court,
T. W. RICHARDSON,

*Registrar.***DIRECTOR-GENERAL, INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.****NOTIFICATIONS.***Simla, the 23rd June, 1897.*

No. 41.—First class Assistant Surgeon E. J. Baptist of the Indian Subordinate Medical Department, Madras, is granted two months' privilege leave, with effect from 3rd June, 1897.

The 25th June, 1897.

No. 42.—The services of Lala Mathra Das, Civil Assistant Surgeon of the Imperial Establishment, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Civil Department, Central Provinces, for employment on Famine duty.

No. 43.—The services of the undermentioned Hospital Assistant of the Bengal Military Establishment, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Central Provinces, for temporary employment on Famine duty:—

No. 754, third grade Hospital Assistant
Ajudhya Parshad.

*The 26th June, 1897.***ERRATA.**

No. 44.—In Notification No. 15, dated the 10th May, 1897, for "1st class Assistant Surgeon W. A. Boucher" read "Second class Assistant Surgeon W. A. Boucher."

In Notification No. 17, dated the 10th May, 1897, for "First class Assistant Surgeon W. D. Busher" read "Second class Assistant Surgeon W. D. Busher."

In Notification No. 20, dated the 15th May, 1897, for "No. 153 First grade Hospital Assistant Thakoordeen Gajee" read "No. 153 Second grade Hospital Assistant Thakoordeen Gajee."

JAMES CLEGHORN, M.D.,
Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

INDO-EUROPEAN TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.**NOTIFICATION.***Calcutta, the 2nd July, 1897.*

No. 62.—Mr. W. S. Navarra, Assistant Superintendent, has been granted, by the Director, Persian Telegraph, privilege leave for two months and seventeen days under Article 291 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from 11th June, 1897, subject to confirmation by the Director-in-Chief, Indo-European Telegraph Department.

F. E. GODFREY,
Examiner of Telegraph Accounts.

SURVEY OF INDIA DEPARTMENT.**NOTIFICATIONS.***Simla, the 23rd June, 1897.*

No. 234.—Mr. A. B. Smart, Sub-Assistant Superintendent, 1st grade, is granted one month's privilege leave with effect from the 14th May, 1897, under Article 291 of the Civil Service Regulations.

The 29th June, 1897.

No. 235.—The following temporary promotion is made, with effect from the 1st May 1897, *vice* Mr. H. T. Hanby, Extra Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade, on furlough:—

Mr. J. A. Higgs, Sub-Assistant Superintendent, 1st grade, to officiate as Extra Assistant Superintendent, 6th grade.

CHAS. STRAHAN, *Major-Genl., R.E.,*
Surveyor-General of India.

SURVEY OF INDIA DEPARTMENT. REVENUE BRANCH.**NOTIFICATIONS.***Calcutta, the 25th June, 1897.*

No. 8—R.48-166.—Mr. J. H. Murphy, Sub-Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade, is granted privilege leave for three months, under Article 291 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the forenoon of 16th June, 1897.

The 29th June, 1897.

No. 9—R.48-173.—Mr. C. G. Lee, Sub-Assistant Superintendent, 1st grade, is granted privilege leave for two months, under Article 291 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from 1st August, 1897, or from such date as he may avail himself of it.

J. R. HOBDAY, *Lt.-Colonel,*
Offg. Deputy Surveyor-General,
In charge Revenue Branch.

**AGENT TO THE GOVR.-GENERAL
AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER
IN BALUCHISTAN.**

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 26th June, 1897.

No. 3989.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 of the Scheduled District Act, 1874 (XIV of 1874), and with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, the Chief Commissioner of British Baluchistan is pleased to extend to British Baluchistan the provisions of the Indian Fisheries Act, 1897 (IV of 1897).

By Order,

**F. MACDONALD, Captain,
First Assistant.**

**NORTHERN INDIA SALT REVENUE
DEPARTMENT.**

NOTIFICATIONS.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

Agra, the 16th June, 1897.

No. 99.—Mr. C. A. M. Beatson, candidate, is appointed to officiate as Assistant Superintendent, during the remaining period of the absence on leave of Mr. E. Dampier-Bennett, Assistant Superintendent, with effect from the 21st June, 1897, and is posted to the Warthganj Depôt, Panjab Mines Division.

The 25th June, 1897.

No. 105.—Mr. C. C. L. Chill, candidate, is appointed to officiate as Assistant Superintendent, during the remaining period of the absence on leave of Mr. E. Dampier-Bennett, Assistant Superintendent, Warthganj Depôt, Panjab Mines Division, in succession to Mr. C. A. M. Beatson, appointed to act as Inspector, with effect from the 1st July, 1897.

LEAVE.

The 26th June, 1897.

No. 106.—Mr. R. G. Rose, Superintendent, Pachbhadra Division, is granted privilege leave for fifteen days, under Article 291, section ii, chapter XII, of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of that sanctioned by order No. 23 dated 1st May, 1897.

A. B. PATTERSON,

Commissioner, N. I. Salt Revenue Dept.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 20th September, 1893.

A Registry Office for men of all grades out of employ is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers requiring men are requested to apply to Principal.

**J. CLIBBORN, Major, S.E.,
Principal, Thomason College.**

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 26th June, 1897.

No. 3055.—Mr. Lakshman Balvant Khare, Superintendent of Post Offices, 4th grade, is appointed to act in the 3rd grade, with effect from the 10th April, 1897, until further orders.

A. U. FANSHAWE,

Dir. Genl. of the Post Office of India.

*Unclaimed Letters held in the Calcutta General Post Office
on the 29th June, 1897.*

Badetty, T. B.	Hannay, H. M.,	Rangers, Athletic
Balty & Co.	care of John	Club, Hon'y. Secy.
Barton & Co.	Anderson.	Reynolds, W. G.
Clerici, Miss	James, Charles.	Secretary, European
Erminia.	Kenny & Co.	Civil Service
Cumberlege, Mrs.,	King, Harman & Co.	Association.
care of Carretta	Lewis & Sons, Gun-	Secretary, People's
Cumberlege & Co.	makers.	Association.
Duke, W. Co. &	Neal and Wilkinson.	Sulton, S. E.
Sons (Tobacco	Norman, L. S.	Sutton & Sons.
Merchants).	Oriental Trading Co.	Talford, P. B.
Ford, Walter,	Penny, Craik Wm.	Witaker Co., Water-
Bicycle Importer.	Perkins, Julian.	proofers, etc.
Gresson, F.	Podebrad, Carl.	

Letters marked "Care of Post Office."

Abbott, E. R.	Goodwin, G. A.	Rhode, Capt. J. H.
Adams, James A.	Gosak, J. F.	Robbins, Capt. J. A.
Albruto, C. B.	Goulden, Miss.	Roche, Mr.
Andree, R. M.	Grant, Lewis.	Roman, Major T. E.
Argo, Mr.	Guillain, Ernest.	Schibli, Robert.
Back, Fanny.	Hardie, James.	Scolfield, Robert.
Baxter, Mrs.	Harvey, G. P.	Sett, H.
Bloom Annette, Miss.	Harvey, Mrs. D. P.	Shuhan, G. M. R.
Braham, A.	Hemming, Wm. P.	Sinclair, M. D.
Bride, Mrs. C.	Hendrys, G. V.	Smith, H. J.
Brothers & Co., R.	Hind, Mrs. A.	Smyth, L. G.
Brownlow, E. O.	Hirsch, Rosina.	Smyth, Mrs. J.
Bukson, D. D. (of	Hoyle, Mr.	Soul, C.
Ceylon).	Johnson, Miss.	Spence, T. G., care
Burke, Miss Maude,	Johnson, Mrs. G.	of Capt. Passulul.
care of Mrs.	Jordan, Mrs. H.	Stokes, Miss.
Blane.	Kemp, Charles.	Street, H. A.
Burlington, F.	Kenna, Thos. J.	Swaries, A. M.
Campos, L.	Lacey, E. A.	Swinlorde, Mrs. W.
Cattell, Miss.	Leonard, T. D.	Target, C. A. B.
Collins, R. A.	Leslie, Mrs. K. L.	Tasker, W.
Colostream, W. M.,	Litchfield, E.	Tasselli, Miss
Lt.	Lopez, Eva, Miss.	Gladys.
Craster, Major J. C.	Lyon, Henry.	Taylor, W. J.
Crockwell, J. H.	Macleon, Mrs.	Terry, T. W.
Daly, H.	Mansell, Miss.	Thorley, E. J.
Daly, Mrs. Wm.	Marcus.	Tiefels, Carl.
Davidson, G.	Martin, H. A.	Townsend, Prof.
Davies, D. P.	May, Adolphe.	D. J.
Davis, Miss L.	McGown, Thos. G.	Walker, E. W.
Deavin, H. F.	Meredythy, Miss.	Walker, J. M.
DeLamaugarry,	Miller, W.	Wallnutt, Major
Arthur.	Milne, G. B.	Miller.
Descos, Monsieur.	Morgan, Capt.	Walthal, J.
Dewhurst, Miss A.	W. D.	Wears, R.
Eady, G. B.	Morrison, Miss	Weiss, A.
Edwards, J. T.	Emmie.	William, S. H.
Eisenstark, Leon.	Noble, J. R.	Winter, A. L.
Evans, Arthur.	Norah, Miss.	Winter, Mrs. E. C.
Farquhar, A.	O'Grady, W.	Winter, J.
Fleming, Albert.	O'Mally, A.	Wintersoth, F.
Forde, J.	Pantin, H.	Woloszczuk, Rosalie,
Fracke, Gerard.	Patrick, F. S.	Mrs. (at B. Weiss-
Galbraith, John	Patrick, J.	mann).
M. R.	Pirkins, H.	Workman, E.
Gallagher, W.	Price, Mr.	Young, Miss
Goldgleck, Mrs. L.	Radmore, F.	Zuel, Mr.

Registered Letters and Parcels.

Daly, H.	Noble, H. J.	Somake, Moses &
Fracke, G., Dr.	Ryan, E.	Co.

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Abraham, A.	Green, G. DeBelling.	Power, P.
Austin, May, Miss.	Goldbert, Manseior.	Palmer, T., Miss.
Abel, Fritz.	Holzstein, Bernhard.	Pack, H.
Brown, W. Lindsay.	Hodiwalla, S. H.	Rew, J.
Bayley, C.	Hickie, C. F.	Roodav, James.
Back Fanny, Mrs.	Jackson, H. C., Mrs.	Roberts, C. G.
Bell, H. E.	Jallie, J. H., Dr.	Rhodes, Mrs.
Binley, H.	Johnson, J. S.	Rystrachy, Capt.
Barvell, T.	Jackson, S.	Scott, Hertie.
Cutler, Dr.	Jones, A.	Sanderson, E. C.
Cooke, E., Miss.	Kinsburner, Majorki.	Sammer, Pearl.
Crepps, A. W., Capt.	Luchman, Butler.	Stafford, James.
Corry, C. H.	Lewis, J. W., Capt.	Stanley, Alex.
Cardga, A. H.	Lyon, V.	S. Jamsetji.
Chandler, M. H.,	Leonizina, Jeon	Taylor, John.
Mrs.	Monsieur.	Tate, G. W., Surgn.
Dickson, D. D.	Masters, J.	Capt.
Dixon, L., Miss.	McCulloch, F., Mrs.	Thorold, Major.
Eden, Mrs. (care of	Minchin, C. F.,	Terry, R. A. C. de.
Col. Eden, late	Capt.	Wills, W. G., Mrs.
R. H. A.).	Miller, W.	Wright, W., Barton.
Elo, A., Mrs.	McIntyre, H.	Wilson, C., Sub-
Empy, Dr.	Maltby, A.	Conductor.
Francis, Jas.	Macdonald, A. A.	Wilkinson, C. W. C.
Freeman, J. A.	Monsell, Kittie, Miss	Whitnall, S. E.
Fewalawity, Nuta.	Nairn, G. A.	Weighell, Mrs.
Fitzgerald, P. D.,	O'Connor, T.	Westland, C.
Lt.-Col.	O'Brien, Major.	Wright, Thomas.
Franko, Gerard.	Pombart, J. E.	

Unclaimed Letters held in the Barrackpore Post Office on the 29th June, 1897.

Dickson, J. J. Hart, C.

The 3rd July, 1897.

CALCUTTA POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Mails for	Date of closing at the General Post Office, Calcutta.	Route by which despatched.
	1897.	
Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, Zanzibar, Mozambique, Delagoa Bay, Mauritius, Madagascar, Keunio, etc., Natal, and Cape Colony, and in general all countries served through the United Kingdom.	7th July	Per P. & O. Str. from Bombay.
Parcels for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	6th "	Ditto.
Australasian Colonies . . .	3rd "	Via Tuticorin and Colombo.
Madras, Pondichery, Ceylon, Singapore, China, and Japan.	9th "	Per French Str. Kridan.
Colombo . . .	6th "	Per P. & O. Str. Manilla.
Straits Settlements, China, and Japan.	6th "	Per Steamer Suisang.
Rangoon and Moulmein . . .	8th "	Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s Steamer.
Rangoon, Moulmein, Tavoy, and Mergui.	5th "	Ditto.
Rangoon, Moulmein, Penang, and Singapore.	3rd "	Ditto.
Akyab, Kyaukpau, Sandoway, and Rangoon.	7th "	Ditto.
Port Blair . . .	8th "	Per Steamer Shahjehan.

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JOHN OWENS,

Presidency Postmaster, Calcutta.

REPORT OF DESERTION.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the No. 11 Company, Western Division, Royal Artillery, dated at Karachi, this 28th day of June, 1897.

Number, Rank, and Name,	Place of Enlistment,—
96403, Gunner William Edward Dorton.	London.
Age,—26 years.	Parish and County in which born,—Baw, London.
Height,—5 feet 9 inches.	Date of Desertion or Absence,—24th June, 1897.
Colour of—	Place of Desertion or Absence,—Karachi.
Complexion, fair; hair, brown; eyes, grey.	Marks,—Scar on forehead; moles on breast.
Trade,—Barman.	Under 5 years' service.
Date of Enlistment,—8th March, 1893.	

A. R. PALMER, *Capt., R. A.,*

Comdg. 11th Western Divn., R. A.

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عام آدمیوں کو یہ دوا بوٹانکل گارڈن سے یعنی کمپنی باغ کے سپرنٹنڈنٹ صاحب سے بقیمت نقد حسب نرخ ذیل مل سکتی ہے — یعنی چار اونس والا تین بقیمت تین روپیہ؛ آٹھ اونس والا تین بقیمت چھ روپیہ؛ ایک پونڈ والا تین بقیمت بارہ روپیہ *

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CALCUTTA,

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Stolen.

The Government Promissory Note, No. 023524, of the $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent., of 1854-85, for Rs500, originally standing in the name of the Bank of Bengal, and last endorsed to Hari Pada Set, the proprietor by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor.

EXECUTIVE ENGINEER,
No. 9 Division, A. B. Railway.

Stolen.

The Government Promissory Notes, No. 024223, for Rs1,000, Nos. 047591 and 047592, for Rs500 each, all of the $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. loan of 1865, and No. 043841, for Rs1,000, of the $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. loan of 1842-43, standing in the name of Raj Kristo Chatterji, the proprietor, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and at the Burdwan Treasury, for which they are enfaced, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietor.

ROMA NAUTH BANERJI, for RAJ KRISTO CHATTERJI,
Paper Currency Office, Calcutta, the 1st July, 1897.

Destroyed by fire.

The Government Promissory Note, No. 13839 Bom. of the $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. loan of 1865, for Rs1,000, originally standing in the name of the Accountant General, Bombay, and last endorsed to Girdhurlal Amrutlal Desai, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for accrued interest and for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor after two years from the date of last advertisement.

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Residence—

Tailor's Street in Chungpore in Ahmedabad.

NOTICE.

IN THE COURT OF THE DISTRICT JUDGE,
QUETTA-PISHIN, AT QUETTA.

(INSOLVENCY JURISDICTION.)

Case No. 4 of 1896.

In the matter of the insolvency of T. Simon of Quetta.

Whereas upon inquiry made upon the application of T. Simon, dated the 19th March, 1896, the Court is satisfied that the statements contained in the application are substantially true, and that the said T. Simon, judgment-debtor, has not committed any act of bad faith within the meaning of section 35 of the Code of

Civil Procedure, it is ordered that the said T. Simon, judgment-debtor, be, and he hereby is, declared insolvent.

Dated Quetta, this 7th day of May, 1897.

P. J. MELVILL, *Captain,*
District Judge, Quetta-Pishin.

NOTICE.

IN THE COURT OF THE DISTRICT JUDGE,
QUETTA-PISHIN, AT QUETTA.
(INSOLVENCY JURISDICTION.)

Case No. 5 of 1896.

In the matter of the insolvency of Lekhu Mull, son of Ganga Ram, Arora, resident of Hudda, in the Quetta Tahsil, Quetta-Pishin District.

Whereas upon inquiry made upon the application of Lekhu Mull, presented to this Court on the 5th May, 1896, the Court is satisfied that the statements contained in the application are substantially true, and that the said Lekhu Mull, judgment-debtor, has not committed any act of bad faith within the meaning of section 351 of the Code of Civil Procedure, it is ordered that the said Lekhu Mull, judgment-debtor, be, and he hereby is, declared insolvent.

Dated Quetta, this 13th day of April, 1897.

P. J. MELVILL, *Captain,*
District Judge, Quetta-Pishin.

SERAJGUNGE JUTE COMPANY, LD.

Notice is hereby given that a Meeting of the holders of the Debentures of the Serajgunge Jute Company, Limited, will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 7, Clive Row, Calcutta, on Friday, the 9th July, 1897, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the present financial position of the Company and of the security for the Debentures, and of sanctioning such modifications of the rights of the Debenture holders as the Meeting may determine.

Dated this 29th day of June, 1897.

D. YULE,
Trustee for the Debenture holders
7, Clive Row, Calcutta.

SERAJGUNGE JUTE COMPANY, LD.

Notice is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the holders of the Ordinary shares of the Serajgunge Jute Company, Limited, will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 7, Clive Row, Calcutta, on Friday, the 1st October, 1897, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing a resolution under Article 10 of the Company's Articles of Association, sanctioning an increase of the Capital of the Company by the creation of 6,000 new shares of Rs100 each, to be called Preference A shares, and to confer on the holders thereof the right to a fixed cumulative preferential dividend at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum on the Capital for the time being paid up on such shares, and such preference shares to rank both as regards Capital and dividend in priority to all the present shares of the Company.

Dated this 29th day of June, 1897.

By order of the Board,
ANDREW YULE & Co.,
Managing Agents.

7, Clive Row, Calcutta.

SERAJGUNGE JUTE COMPANY, LD.

Notice is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Serajgunge Jute Company, Limited, will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 7, Clive Row, Calcutta, on Friday, the 1st October, 1897, at 4-15 o'clock in the afternoon, to consider and, if thought fit, to pass with or without modification the subjoined resolutions:—

That the Capital of the Company be increased to Rs16,87,250 by the creation of 6,000 new shares of Rs100 each, to be called Preference A shares, and to confer on the holders thereof the right to a fixed cumulative preferential dividend at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum on the Capital for the time being paid up on such shares, and such Preference A shares to rank both as regards Capital and dividend in priority to all the present shares of the Company.

That the Preference A shares aforesaid shall be issued to such persons, and on such terms and conditions as the Directors may think fit, and Article 46 of the Company's Articles of Association shall, as regards such shares, be deemed to be modified accordingly.

By order of the Board,
ANDREW YULE & Co.,
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7, Clive Row, Calcutta.

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Dated Quetta, this 7th

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
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ACCOUNT.
RAILWAY.

STATISTICS OF STATE RAILWAYS (EXCLUDING THE EAST INDIAN RAILWAY) FOR, AND TO END OF, THE YEAR

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e	f	Traffic Earnings brought to account in 1896.	Working Expenses for 1896.	Net Receipts for 1896.	a	b	c	d	Net charge to the State for 1896.	Net Receipts from com- mencement of opera- tions to end of 1896.	a
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CHARGES FROM COMMENCEMENT OF OPERATIONS TO END OF 1896.				Net charge to the State from com- mencement of operations to end of 1896.
b	c	d	e	
Abatement of land- revenue capitalised.	Leave and pension allowances.	Indirect establish- ment charges.	Total of a, b, c & d.	
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STATE.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

PRINCIPAL PORTS—

		Week ending 26th June 1897.	1st November 1896 to 26th June 1897.
CALCUTTA	Imports	227,062	8,584,224
	Exports	55,425 + 171,637	4,216,722 + 4,367,502
RANGOON	Imports	11,782	286,169
	Exports	288,608 — 276,826	23,834,341 — 23,548,172
MADRAS	Imports	39,200	847,600
	Exports	12,400 + 26,800	204,000 + 643,600
BOMBAY	Imports	218,800	7,386,400
	Exports	41,800 + 177,000	3,893,800 + 3,492,600
KARACHI	Imports	46,700	702,371
	Exports	87,500 — 40,800	2,365,476 — 1,663,105

PROVINCES AND DISTRICTS—

BENGAL—

Patna Division—

			30th January to 26th June 1897.
PATNA	Imports	25,300	727,200
	Exports	21,800 + 3,500	610,100 + 117,100
GAYA	Imports	4,500	135,900
	Exports	100 + 4,400	91,400 + 44,500
SHAHABAD	Imports	4,800	190,200
	Exports	7,500 — 2,700	273,900 — 83,700
SARAN (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	16,600	926,300
	Exports	7,200 + 9,400	126,000 + 800,300
CHAMPARAN	Imports	10,000	401,500
	Exports	400 + 9,600	31,200 + 370,300
MUZAFFARPUR (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	21,400	662,923
	Exports	1,700 + 19,700	39,253 + 623,670
DARBHANGA (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	60,900	880,100
	Exports	6,000 + 54,900	79,400 + 800,700

Bhagalpur Division—

MONGHYR (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	8,500	166,600
	Exports	15,800 — 7,300	874,900 — 708,300

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE —continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 26th June 1897.	30th January to 26th June 1897.
BENGAL—contd.			
Bhágálpur Division—contd.			
BHÁGALPUR (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	4,000	237,530
	Exports	21,300	752,264
		—17,300	—514,725
PUENKA	Imports	923	71,589
	Exports	5,017	127,537
		—4,094	—55,948
MALDA	Imports	...	...
	Exports	200	900
		—200	—900
SANTHAL PARGANAS (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	...	111,600
	Exports	...	381,500
		...	—269,900
Rajshahi Division—			
RAJSHAHI (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	10,800	333,300
	Exports	99	44,598
		+ 10,701	+ 288,702
DINAJPUR (")	Imports	...	26,900
	Exports	200	370,000
		—200	—343,100
JALPAIGURI (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	2,000	224,203
	Exports	...	3,871
		+ 2,000	+ 220,332
DARJEELING (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	1,500	109,400
	Exports	...	3,400
		+ 1,500	+ 106,000
RANGPUR	Imports	1,200	29,300
	Exports	...	29,400
		+ 1,200	—100
BOGRA (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	100	4,300
	Exports	9,500	283,700
		—9,400	—279,400
PABNA (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	1,400	258,700
	Exports	800	20,700
		+ 600	+ 238,000
Dacca Division—			
Dacca (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	300	10,300
	Exports	...	14,400
		+ 300	—4,100
NARAINGANJ	Imports	...	22,000
	Exports	...	159,100
		...	—137,100
MAIMENSINGH (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	263	75,684
	Exports	352	7,339
		—89	+ 68,345
FARIDPUR	Imports	10,500	137,400
	Exports	800	109,600
		+ 9,700	+ 27,800
BACKERGANJ	Imports	...	1,200
	Exports	7,500	34,300
		—7,500	—33,100

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—*continued*.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 26th June 1897.	30th January to 26th June 1897.
BENGAL—<i>contd.</i>			
Chittagong Division—			
TIPPERA	Imports	100	24,004
	Exports . . . . .	...	38,663
		+ 100	- 14,659
NOAKHALI	Imports . . . . .	...	100
	Exports . . . . .	...	5,900
		...	- 5,800
CHITTAGONG	Imports	7,900	385,054
	Exports . . . . .	...	97,220
		+ 7,900	+ 287,834
Burdwan Division—			
BURDWAN	Imports	4,200	113,900
	Exports	32,700	1,349,100
		- 28,500	- 1,235,200
BIRBHUM (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	800	25,100
	Exports	31,200	1,340,500
		- 30,400	- 1,315,400
HOOGHLY (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	2,600	62,100
	Exports	1,100	38,200
		+ 1,500	+ 23,900
MIDNAPUR*	Imports . . . . .	...	40,199
	Exports . . . . .	...	275,470
		...	- 235,271
Presidency Division—			
24-PARGANAS	Imports . . . . .	...	24,500
	Exports	200	24,200
		- 200	+ 300
NADIA	Imports	47,200	621,000
	Exports	12,100	676,000
		+ 35,100	- 55,000
MURSHIDABAD (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	900	19,200
	Exports	5,600	213,700
		- 4,700	- 194,500
JESSORE	Imports	8,800	204,800
	Exports	200	62,000
		+ 8,600	+ 142,200
KHULNA	Imports	3,000	6,700
	Exports . . . . .	...	33,000
		+ 3,000	- 26,300
Chota Nagpur Division—			
HAZARIBAGH (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	5,900	165,800
	Exports	100	1,600
		+ 5,800	+ 164,200
LOHARDAGA	Imports . . . . .	...	4,200
	Exports . . . . .	...	3,700
		...	+ 500
MÁNBHUM (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	2,400	130,900
	Exports	400	6,000
		+ 2,000	+ 124,900
SINGHBHUM (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	100	3,233
	Exports	2,300	43,700
		- 2,200	- 40,467
RANCHI (")	Imports . . . . .	...	2,210
	Exports . . . . .	...	5,734
		...	- 3,524

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 26th June 1897.	30th January to 26th June 1897.
BENGAL—concl'd.			
Orissa Division—			
CUTTACK	Imports . . . . .	...	1,866
	Exports	394	281,110
		—394	—279,244
BALASORE (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	600	13,500
	Exports	30,500	802,500
		—29,900	—789,000
PURI („)	Imports	6	1,022
	Exports	2,761	28,311
		—2,755	—27,289
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES—			
Meerut Division—			
SAHARANPUR	Imports	11,890	213,422
	Exports	7,898	136,208
		+ 3,992	+ 77,214
MUZAFFARNAGAR	Imports	3,900	197,400
	Exports	5,300	338,500
		—1,400	—141,100
MEERUT	Imports	8,700	291,470
	Exports	5,500	377,159
		+ 3,200	—85,419
BULANDSHAHR	Imports . . . . .	...	38,300
	Exports	1,300	402,300
		—1,300	—364,000
ALIGARH	Imports	3,800	129,300
	Exports	16,600	398,800
		—12,800	—269,500
Agra Division—			
MUTTRA	Imports	859	73,673
	Exports	5,266	87,161
		—4,407	—13,488
AGRA	Imports	8,100	417,700
	Exports	300	260,300
		+ 7,800	+ 157,400
FARUKHABAD	Imports	2,800	94,200
	Exports	300	10,600
		+ 2,500	+ 83,600
MAINPURI	Imports	100	17,400
	Exports	600	14,900
		—500	+ 2,500
ETAHWAH	Imports	2,200	56,400
	Exports	1,700	22,300
		+ 500	+ 34,100
ETAH (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	100	16,500
	Exports	4,000	121,200
		—3,900	—104,700

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports —].

		Week ending 26th June 1897.	30th January to 26th June 1897.
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES			
<i>—contd.</i>			
Rohilkhand Division—			
Bijnor (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports Exports	1,600 100 + 1,500	136,900 8,000 + 128,900
MORADABAD (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports Exports	6,200 13,000 —6,800	169,700 317,000 —147,300
SHAHJAHANPUR (")	Imports Exports	2,712 21,205 —18,493	65,917 268,314 —202,397
BUDAUN	Imports Exports	... ... ...	2,300 17,400 —15,100
PILIBIT	Imports Exports	300 1,700 —1,400	48,875 73,550 —24,675
BAREILLY	Imports Exports	1,800 1,500 + 300	108,200 165,700 —57,500
Allahabad Division—			
Cawnpore	Imports Exports	60,600 23,900 + 36,700	1,508,800 365,400 + 1,143,400
FATEHPUR (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports Exports	23,200 ... + 23,200	126,600 2,127 + 124,473
BANDA	Imports Exports	5,100 100 + 5,000	451,600 2,900 + 448,700
HAMIRPUR	Imports Exports	9,600 ... + 9,600	82,100 2,600 + 79,500
ALLAHABAD (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports Exports	33,700 ... + 33,700	948,500 11,800 + 936,700
JHANSI (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports Exports	28,200 400 + 27,800	312,300 11,000 + 301,300
JALAUN	Imports Exports	15,800 1,900 + 13,900	145,800 13,100 + 132,700
Benares Division—			
BENARES	Imports Exports	10,000 100 + 9,900	473,400 38,800 + 434,600
MIRZAPUR	Imports Exports	5,800 400 + 5,400	171,715 10,712 + 161,003
JAUNPUR	Imports Exports	6,600 ... + 6,600	150,400 39,600 + 110,400
GHAZIPUR	Imports Exports	100 4,000 —3,900	101,900 72,400 + 29,500

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—*continued*.

(Indian maunds).

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		Week ending 26th June 1897.	30th January to 26th June 1897.
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES			
— <i>concd.</i>			
Gorakhpur Division—			
BASTI	Imports . .	1,700	24,600
	Exports . .	8,000	216,900
		—6,300	—192,300
BALLIA	Imports . .	5,707	55,656
	Exports . .	4,028	41,341
		+1,679	+14,315
GORAKHPUR	Imports . .	2,700	83,100
	Exports . .	9,400	424,300
		—6,700	—341,200
Kumaun Division—			
GARHWAL	Imports . .	...	5,000
	Exports . .	...	...
		...	+5,000
NAINI TAL (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports . .	500	16,500
	Exports . .	1,500	78,200
		—1,000	—61,700
ODDH—			
Lucknow Division—			
LUCKNOW	Imports . .	14,400	332,300
	Exports . .	400	65,700
		+14,000	+266,600
UNAO (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports . .	800	53,900
	Exports . .	...	500
		+800	+53,400
RAE-BARELI	Imports . .	6,700	189,600
	Exports . .	200	8,500
		+6,500	+181,100
SITAPUR	Imports . .	...	21,898
	Exports . .	3,200	274,300
		—3,200	—252,402
KHERI (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports . .	...	12,700
	Exports . .	6,300	135,600
		—6,300	—122,900
HARDOI (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports . .	3,700	126,300
	Exports . .	...	45,700
		+3,700	+80,600
Fyzabad Division—			
FYZABAD	Imports . .	12,500	198,600
	Exports . .	13,400	265,700
		—900	—67,100
GONDA	Imports . .	5,800	140,500
	Exports . .	3,600	124,700
		+2,200	+15,800
BAHRAICH	Imports . .	10	6,610
	Exports . .	13,000	169,300
		—12,990	—162,690
BARABANKI	Imports . .	1,500	66,900
	Exports . .	2,000	179,900
		—500	—113,000
RAJPUTANA—			
JODHPUR	Imports . .	2,891	8,898
	Exports . .	12,002	64,776
		—9,111	—55,878
BIKANER	Imports . .	15,012	88,715
	Exports . .	...	...
		+15,012	+88,715

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 26th June 1897.	30th January to 26th June 1897.
AJMERE-MERWARA	Imports	13,000	161,300
	Exports	2,700 + 10,300	57,755 + 103,545
PANJAB—			
Delhi Division—			
HISSAR	Imports	39,700	805,600
	Exports	1,900 + 37,800	22,500 + 783,100
ROHTAK	Imports	200	5,000
	Exports	100 + 100	3,800 + 1,200
GURGAON (incomplete)	Imports	500	90,000
	Exports	4,500 —4,000	128,200 —38,200
DELHI	Imports	28,600	682,700
	Exports	28,700 —100	211,800 + 470,900
KARNAL	Imports	200	43,400
	Exports	3,200 —3,000	35,800 + 7,600
AMBALA	Imports	8,800	295,000
	Exports	1,900 + 6,900	49,500 + 245,500
SIMLA (preceding week)	Imports	4,200	53,000
	Exports . . . . .	... + 4,200	200 + 52,800
Jalandhar Division—			
JALANDHAR	Imports	6,600	74,500
	Exports	44,400 —37,800	627,100 —552,600
LUDHIANA	Imports	5,200	90,300
	Exports	28,200 —23,000	477,900 —387,600
FEROZPUR	Imports	19,000	173,400
	Exports	15,100 + 3,900	522,700 —349,300
Lahore Division—			
MULTAN	Imports	2,200	163,300
	Exports	39,600 —37,400	129,100 + 34,200
JHANG	Imports	300	25,000
	Exports	27,500 —27,200	104,700 —79,700
MONTGOMERY	Imports	1,500	90,100
	Exports . . . . .	... + 1,500	9,700 + 80,400
LAHORE	Imports	11,945	352,779
	Exports	22,383 —10,438	238,521 + 114,258
AMRITSAR	Imports	13,700	205,600
	Exports	28,800 —15,100	414,700 —209,100
GURDASPUR	Imports	1,600	44,000
	Exports	17,700 —16,100	317,618 —273,618

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—*continued*.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 26th June 1897.	30th January to 26th June 1897.
PANJAB—<i>contd.</i>			
Rawalpindi Division—			
SIÁLKOT	Imports . .	12,600	86,900
	Exports . .	800	49,500
		+ 11,800	+ 37,400
GUJRÁT	Imports . .	2,200	108,600
	Exports . .	3,000	19,100
		— 800	+ 89,500
GUJRÁNWÁLA	Imports . .	1,500	96,000
	Exports . .	44,800	338,900
		— 43,300	— 242,900
SHAHPUR	Imports . .	3,300	61,400
	Exports . .	6,800	54,400
		— 3,500	+ 7,000
JHELAM	Imports . .	3,707	169,556
	Exports . .	533	20,445
		+ 3,174	+ 149,111
RÁWALPINDI	Imports . .	63,100	649,551
	Exports . .	7,200	63,100
		+ 55,900	+ 586,451
Pesháwar Division—			
PESHÁWAR	Imports . .	6,700	206,600
	Exports . .	16,200	170,400
		— 9,500	+ 36,200
Derajat Division—			
BANNU	Imports . .	100	4,470
	Exports . .	5,100	89,757
		— 5,000	— 85,287
DERA ISMAIL KHAN	Imports . .	500	12,400
	Exports . .	9,600	118,600
		— 9,100	— 106,200
MUZAFFARGARH	Imports . .	200	6,656
	Exports . .	10,300	91,900
		— 10,100	— 85,244
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY—			
Guzerat Division—			
AHMADABAD	Imports . .	22,400	423,300
	Exports . .	15,500	248,100
		+ 6,900	+ 175,200
KAIRA	Imports . .	2,200	148,300
	Exports . .	1,700	181,600
		+ 500	— 33,300
PANCH MAHÁLS (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports . .	300	13,663
	Exports . .	18,075	567,453
		— 17,775	— 553,790

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports —].

		Week ending 26th June 1897.	30th January to 26th June 1897.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY—contd.			
Guzerat Division—contd.			
BROACH	Imports	2,300	322,731
	Exports	2,500	232,366
		— 200	+ 90,365
SURAT (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	17,900	495,400
	Exports	5,600	153,500
		+ 12,300	+ 341,900
BHAVNAGAR	Imports . . . . .	...	70,874
	Exports . . . . .	...	761
		...	+ 70,113
KÁTHIAWÁR (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	3,898	169,924
	Exports	33	1,558
		+ 3,865	+ 168,366
Deccan—			
KHANDESH (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	22,700	572,900
	Exports . . . . .	...	1,700
		+ 22,700	+ 571,200
NÁSÍK	Imports	10,900	355,300
	Exports	700	72,300
		+ 10,200	+ 283,000
AHMADNAGAR	Imports	4,500	122,000
	Exports	700	64,800
		+ 3,800	+ 57,200
POONA	Imports	36,000	642,021
	Exports	500	15,100
		+ 35,500	+ 626,921
SHOLAPUR	Imports	6,000	110,200
	Exports	4,900	136,000
		— 1,100	— 25,800
SATARA	Imports . . . . .	...	286,942
	Exports . . . . .	...	8,882
		...	+ 278,060
Karnátak—			
BELGAUM (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	27,200	348,900
	Exports	1,800	159,900
		+ 25,400	+ 189,000
BIJÁPUR (")	Imports	2,100	250,500
	Exports . . . . .	...	9,000
		+ 2,100	+ 241,500
DHARWAR	Imports	4,500	72,233
	Exports	13,100	329,621
		— 8,600	— 257,388
TANNA	Imports	400	139,100
	Exports	800	261,100
		— 400	— 122,000
KOLÁBA (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	900	105,067
	Exports	800	124,420
		+ 100	— 19,353
KOLHAPUR	Imports	30,025	507,546
	Exports	1,125	50,045
		+ 28,900	+ 457,501
KANARA	Imports . . . . .	...	26,300
	Exports . . . . .	...	124,200
		...	— 97,900
RATNAGIRI (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	2,800	663,609
	Exports . . . . .	...	18,906
		+ 2,800	+ 644,700

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 26th June 1897.	30th January to 26th June 1897.
SIND AND BALUCHISTAN—			
SHIKARPUR	Imports	3,977	114,462
	Exports	65,475	1,125,350
		—61,498	—1,010,888
THAR-PARKAR	Imports	9,900	228,100
	Exports	14,500	263,000
		—4,600	—34,900
UPPER SIND FRONTIER	Imports	2,200	15,000
	Exports	10,600	211,000
		—8,400	—196,000
HYDERABAD (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	9,600	128,600
	Exports	3,800	156,000
		+5,800	—27,400
CENTRAL PROVINCES—			
Jubbulpore Division—			
SAUGOR	Imports	46,600	190,000
	Exports	300	19,500
		+46,300	+170,500
JUBBULPORE	Imports	12,500	343,500
	Exports	100	241,800
		+12,400	+101,700
Nerbudda Division—			
NARSINGHPUR	Imports	7,500	107,900
	Exports	200	84,500
		+7,300	+23,400
HOSHANGABAD (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	3,300	171,000
	Exports . . . . .	...	33,400
		+3,300	+137,600
NIMAR	Imports	5,100	153,200
	Exports	500	29,900
		+4,600	+123,300
Nagpur Division—			
WARDHA (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	1,300	57,500
	Exports	800	13,000
		+500	+44,500
NAGPUR (")	Imports . . . . .	...	374,600
	Exports	100	70,900
		—100	+297,700
CHANDA	Imports	100	10,700
	Exports	2,800	54,500
		—2,700	—43,800
BHANDARA	Imports	32,400	281,600
	Exports	2,000	71,200
		+30,400	+210,400
Chhattisgarh Division—			
RAIPUR	Imports	7,100	78,200
	Exports	9,000	439,500
		—1,900	—361,300
BILASPUR (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	9,700	120,750
	Exports	100	56,598
		+9,600	+64,161
SAMBALPUR	Imports	100	12,500
	Exports	1,800	443,200
		—1,700	—430,700

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 26th June 1897.	30th January to 26th June 1897.
BERAR—			
East—			
AMRĀOTI	Imports . .	6,500	192,200
	Exports . .	1,800	19,800
		+ 4,700	+ 172,400
West—			
AKOLA	Imports . .	6,400	113,900
	Exports . .	5,100	94,200
		+ 1,300	+ 19,700
BULDĀNA	Imports . .	4,300	32,300
	Exports . .	400	2,700
		+ 3,900	+ 29,600
MADRAS—			
GANJAM	Imports . .	6,800	42,300
	Exports . .	2,200	117,300
		+ 4,600	—75,000
VIZAGAPATAM	Imports . .	7,700	289,200
	Exports . .	...	22,600
		+ 7,700	+ 266,600
GODĀVARI	Imports . .	500	105,200
	Exports . .	33,500	906,200
		—33,000	—801,000
KISTNA	Imports . .	600	37,274
	Exports . .	10,300	710,607
		—9,700	—673,333
NELLORE	Imports . .	43	19,563
	Exports . .	3,200	42,404
		—3,157	—22,841
KARNŪL (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports . .	1,900	71,000
	Exports . .	1,000	25,400
		+ 900	+ 45,600
BELLARY	Imports . .	12,000	235,000
	Exports . .	8,100	75,500
		+ 3,900	+ 159,500
ANANTAPUR (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports . .	1,400	59,200
	Exports . .	5,100	99,900
		—3,700	—40,700
CUDDAPAH	Imports . .	900	93,400
	Exports . .	6,200	67,600
		—5,300	+ 25,800
NORTH ARCOT	Imports . .	12,600	169,600
	Exports . .	25,700	337,800
		—13,100	—168,200
CHINGLEPUT	Imports . .	800	17,300
	Exports . .	9,000	156,100
		—8,200	—138,800
SOUTH ARCOT	Imports . .	1,000	89,300
	Exports . .	48,300	606,100
		—47,300	—516,800

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—concluded.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +]

[Net exports -]

		Week ending 26th June 1897.	30th January to 26th June 1897.
MADRAS—contd.			
SALEM (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports . . .	3,500	26,200
	Exports . . .	13,000 —9,500	214,900 —188,700
COIMBATORE	Imports . . .	16,700	206,500
	Exports . . .	18,000 —1,300	602,900 —396,400
TRICHINOPOLY	Imports . . .	1,048	34,962
	Exports . . .	5,522 —4,474	143,380 —108,418
TANJORE (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports . . .	2,500	85,600
	Exports . . .	94,500 —92,000	2,521,100 —2,435,500
MADURA	Imports . . .	3,000	65,100
	Exports . . .	13,500 —10,500	349,200 —284,100
TINNEVELLY	Imports . . .	28,700	515,900
	Exports . . .	4,100 + 24,600	458,600 + 57,300
MALABAR	Imports . . .	23,900	1,395,500
	Exports . . .	1,300 + 22,600	328,900 + 1,066,600
SOUTH CANARA	Imports . . .	400	110,920
	Exports + 400	624,200 —513,370

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
RAILWAY STATISTICS.

RETURNS OF ACCIDENTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS
ENDING WITH THE 31ST DECEMBER 1896.

No. 263 R. Stat., dated Simla, the 17th June, 1897.

RESOLUTION,—By the Government of India, Public Works Department.

Read again—

Government of India resolution No. 402 R. Stat., dated the 9th October, 1896.

Read also—

Note by the Director General of Railways, No. 250 Stat., dated the 7th June, 1897, with abstract returns of accidents to trains, etc., on the open lines of railway in India for the twelve months ending with the 31st December, 1896.

OBSERVATIONS—

1.—*Accidents to trains, rolling-stock, permanent-way, etc.*

Accidents to trains, rolling-stock, permanent-way, etc., during the twelve months ending with the 31st December 1896, as shown under abstract No. 4, on pages 1676 and 1677 of the accompanying returns, caused the death of 39 and injury to 152 persons. The number of persons (both killed and injured) was considerably above the figure reported during the corresponding period of the previous year, while the number of accidents also showed a heavy increase, as will be seen from the following table, which compares the total number of accidents and the casualties resulting therefrom with the corresponding period of the previous year under the heads "Standard gauge," "Metre gauge" and "Special gauges." The increase under the number of persons killed was mainly due to 11 passengers having been burnt in the accident on the East Indian railway on the 27th April and 13 persons killed in the collision at Delhi on the Rajputana-Malwa railway on the 24th July 1896; and in the number injured, to 32 passengers having been injured in the accident on the Eastern Bengal State railway, standard gauge, on the 8th February 1896, to 22 persons in the collision at Delhi mentioned above and to 14 persons in the collision at Kadium on the East Coast State railway, on the 8th April 1896:—

	NUMBER.			NUMBER OF PASSENGERS AND OTHERS.		NUMBER OF SERVANTS.		TOTAL ALL CLASSES.	
	Accidents reported to Local Governments under section 83 of the Indian Railways Act (IX of 1890).	Other accidents.	Total.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.
<i>Standard gauge.</i>									
Twelve months ending with the 31st December 1896	103	2,337	2,440	(a) 17	(b) 75	2	36	19	111
Corresponding period of 1895	86	2,274	2,360	(c) 11	(d) 41	5	19	16	60
<i>Metre gauge.</i>									
Twelve months ending with the 31st December 1896	113	1,992	2,105	(e) 15	(c) 30	4	9	20	39
Corresponding period of 1895	72	1,903	1,975	(f) 2	(a) 9	6	8	8	17
<i>Special gauges.</i>									
Twelve months ending with the 31st December 1896	21	49	70	...	...	...	2	...	2
Corresponding period of 1895	3	68	71	...	(f) 1	...	3	...	4
Total all gauges for the twelve months ending with the 31st December 1896	237	4,378	4,615	(b) 33	(g) 105	6	47	39	152
Corresponding period of 1895	161	4,245	4,406	(a) 13	(h) 51	11	30	24	81

(a) Of these, five were not passengers.
(b) Of these, nine were not passengers.
(c) Of these, three were not passengers.
(d) Of these, eight were not passengers.

(e) Of these, four were not passengers.
(f) Not (a) passenger(s).
(g) Of these, twelve were not passengers.
(h) Of these, fourteen were not passengers.

2. It will be seen from the table below that with an increase of 3·27 per cent. in the mean mileage worked and a decrease of 0·72 per cent. in the train mileage run during the twelve months ending with the 31st December, 1896, the number of accidents increased by 209 or 4·74 per cent. as compared with the corresponding period of the previous year :—

	INCREASE OR DECREASE, AS COMPARED WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF THE PREVIOUS YEAR.					
	ACCIDENTS.		MEAN MILEAGE.		TRAIN-MILEAGE.	
	No.	Per cent.	Miles.	Per cent.	Miles.	Per cent.
Standard	+80	+3·39	+374	+3·37	—625,811	—1·39
Metre	+130	+6·58	+250	+3·22	+114,026	+0·56
Special	—1	—1·41	...	...	+38,000	+0·09
TOTAL	+209	+4·74	+624	+3·27	—473,785	—0·72

3. Although the general total showed an increase, there were large variations on the standard and metre-gauge railways in the number of accidents of different classes, as compared with the corresponding period of the previous year, as will be seen from the following statement which exhibits them under the different classes :

GAUGE AND CLASSIFICATION.	INCREASE OR DECREASE.			Percentage of increase or decrease.
	Serious.	Minor.	Total.	
<i>Standard gauge.</i>				
Collisions between goods trains or parts of goods trains . .	—1	—53	—54	—65·06
Goods trains or parts of goods trains, engines, etc., leaving the rails	—13	—55	—68	—42·25
Trains or engines travelling in the wrong direction through points	+6	+57	+63	+103·28
Trains running over cattle on the line	+3	+83	+86	+8·95
Trains running over obstructions on the line . . . . .	...	—37	—37	—32·74
The bursting of tubes, etc., of engines	—1	—45	—46	—37·40
The failure of machinery, springs, etc., of engines	+1	+45	+46	+15·33
The flooding of portions of permanent-way	—10	+24	+14	+35·90
Slips in cuttings or embankments	+1	+9	+10	+71·43
Fire in trains . . . . .	...	+32	+32	+39·51
Fire at stations, or involving injury to bridges or viaducts	+1	+12	+13	+52·00
Under the head "Other accidents"	+4	+22	+26	+19·26
<i>Metre gauge.</i>				
Collisions between goods trains or parts of goods trains . .	—3	—16	—19	—73·08
Passenger trains or parts of passenger trains leaving the rails	+5	—20	—15	—27·27
Trains or engines travelling in the wrong direction through points	+8	+10	+18	+36·00
Trains running over cattle on the line	+11	+138	+149	+14·79
The failure of machinery, springs, etc., of engines	+1	+20	+21	+14·09
The failure of couplings	+4	—25	—21	—16·93
Broken rails . . . . .	...	+13	+13	+50·00
The flooding of portions of permanent-way	+2	—20	—18	—42·86
Fire in trains . . . . .	...	—18	—18	—26·09
Fire at stations, or involving injury to bridges or viaducts	—3	+7	+10	+90·91
Under the head "Other accidents" . . . . .	...	+11	+11	+13·41

It will be observed from the foregoing, that the principal increases on the standard gauge lines occurred under "Trains or engines travelling in the wrong direction through points," 63 accidents or 103.28 per cent., partly due to more accurate classification; under "Trains running over cattle on the line," 86 accidents or 8.95 per cent., partly due, it is stated, to the drought and consequent scarcity of fodder, villagers having in many cases driven their cattle on to the railway line to graze; under "The failure of machinery, springs, etc., of engines," 46 accidents or 15.33 per cent.; under "Fire in trains," 32 accidents or 39.51 per cent.; and under the head "Other accidents," 26 accidents or 19.26 per cent.; and on the metre gauge railways under "Trains or engines travelling in the wrong direction through points," 18 accidents or 36.00 per cent., "Trains running over cattle on the line," 149 accidents or 14.79 per cent., possibly due to the cause noted above and partly also to the opening of new lines; and under "The failure of machinery, springs, etc., of engines," 21 accidents or 14.09 per cent.

4. The number of cattle accidents was largest on the South Indian railway, *viz.*, 343; next to that line comes the Southern Mahratta railway with 313, then the North Western State railway with 222, the East Indian railway with 199, the Rajputana-Malwa railway with 167, the Eastern Bengal State railway (standard gauge section) with 147, the Madras railway with 111, the Eastern Bengal State railway (metre gauge section) with 86, and the Nizam's Guaranteed State railway with 80.

In relation to the train-mileage run, the highest proportion was on the Dibru-Sadiya railway, which gave an average of 1 accident in 6,514 train-miles run; the Oodeypore-Chittore railway coming next with an average of 1 in 7,887; then the Jodhpore-Bikaner, the Assam-Bengal, the Bengal Dooars, and the Nizam's Guaranteed State railways with average of 1 in 8,970, 1 in 9,133, 1 in 9,277, and 1 in 9,723, respectively. The lowest proportion was on the Darjeeling-Himalayan railway, *viz.*, 1 in 178,616 train-miles run, the Great Indian Peninsula railway coming next with 1 in 150,016, then the Bombay, Baroda and Central India railway with 1 in 85,920, the Gaekwar's Dabhoi railway with 1 in 83,989, the Bengal Nagpur railway with 1 in 68,349, and the East Indian railway with 1 in 60,340.

5. Under the head "Trains or engines travelling in the wrong direction through points," the largest number, *viz.*, 50, occurred on the Great Indian Peninsula railway, next to it comes the Eastern Bengal State railway, standard gauge, with 33 accidents; under "The failure of machinery, springs, etc., of engines," the largest number, *viz.*, 88, occurred on the Bombay, Baroda and Central India railway, next to that line come the Great Indian Peninsula and the North-Western State railways with 83 and 74 accidents on each, respectively; under "Fire in trains," the largest number occurred on the Great Indian Peninsula railway, *viz.*, 41 accidents, next to that line comes the Madras railway with 29 accidents; and under the head "Other accidents," the largest number, *viz.*, 51, occurred on the Great Indian Peninsula railway, next to that line come the Bombay, Baroda and Central India and the North Western State railways with 34 and 25 accidents on each, respectively; under the heads "Trains or engines travelling in the wrong direction through points" and "Failure of machinery, springs, etc., of engines," although, as noticed above, the largest numbers of accidents, *viz.*, 50, under the former head and 88 under the latter occurred on the Great Indian Peninsula and the Bombay, Baroda and Central India (standard gauge) railways, respectively, the increase under these two heads also occurred on the metre-gauge lines, the largest numbers on these railways, *viz.*, 21, under the former head and 45 under the latter head occurred on the Rajputana-Malwa and Southern Mahratta railways, respectively.

In relation to the train-mileage run, the proportion of accidents was highest on the Jorhát State railway, which gave an average of 1 accident in 2,012 train-miles; next to that line comes the Dibru-Sadiya railway, with an average of 1 in 2,820 train-miles; then the Cooch Behar, the Assam-Bengal, the Bengal Dooars, and the Rohilkund and Kumaon (including the Lucknow-Bareilly section) railways with averages of 1 in 3,516, 1 in 4,272, 1 in 5,798, and 1 in 5,842, respectively. The lowest proportion was on the Bengal-Nagpur railway, *viz.*, 1 in 29,661 train-miles, the East Indian railway

coming next with 1 in 28,320, then the Oudh and Rohilkhand State railway with 1 in 25,949, the Great Indian Peninsula railway with 1 in 21,079, the North Western State railway with 1 in 17,738, and the Indian Midland railway with 1 in 16,714.

11.—Accidents from other causes not involving accidents to trains, etc.

6. In addition to those included in Division I, the casualties to passengers, servants in the employ of railways or of contractors, and to others, from causes not involving accidents to trains (which are detailed in Abstract No. 2) are compared separately, for each gauge, with the corresponding period of the previous year in the table below :

GAUGES.	TWELVE MONTHS ENDING WITH THE 31ST DECEMBER 1896.								CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF THE PREVIOUS YEAR.							
	PASSENGERS.		SERVANTS.		OTHERS.		TOTAL.		PASSENGERS.		SERVANTS.		OTHERS.		TOTAL.	
	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.
Standard .	40	133	117	198	357	86	514	417	59	120	112	272	316	76	487	468
Metre .	19	58	36	71	155	57	210	186	16	53	40	81	124	59	180	193
Special .	...	...	...	4	...	2	...	6	...	1	...	7	2	1	2	9
TOTAL .	59	191	153	273	512	145	724	609	75	174	152	360	442	136	669	670

Taking into consideration the additional mileage due to the opening of new lines, it will be seen from the foregoing table that, except under "Others—killed," the number of persons killed and injured compares favourably with that reported during the corresponding period of the previous year. The increase under "Others—killed" mainly occurred under "Suicides."

III.—Statistical results.

7. The following table gives certain statistical results for the period under review, comparing the number of passengers killed and injured by accidents to trains and from all causes with the number carried and the number of passenger-units carried one mile. Comparative results for the previous year are also given:

PARTICULARS.	TWELVE MONTHS ENDING WITH THE 31ST DECEMBER 1896.				CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF THE PREVIOUS YEAR.			
	Standard.	Metre.	Special.	TOTAL.	Standard.	Metre.	Special.	TOTAL.
Mean mileage worked . . . Miles.	11,447	8,003	266	19,716	11,073	7,753	266	19,092
Train-mileage run . . . Miles.	44,264,682	20,537,802	476,365	65,278,849	44,890,493	20,423,776	438,365	65,752,634
Number of passengers carried . . . No.	102,164,839	55,989,618	1,008,132	159,162,589	90,439,150	54,367,913	916,918	151,723,981
Number of passenger-units carried one mile . . . No.	4,301,967,166	2,092,994,943	26,856,102	6,421,818,211	4,083,131,730	2,055,811,500	24,770,696	6,163,713,926
Number of accidents . . . No.	2,440	2,105	70	4,615	2,360	1,975	71	4,406
Do. do. per 100,000 train-miles run . . . No.	5.51	10.25	14.69	7.07	5.26	9.67	16.20	6.70
Number of passengers killed by accidents to trains . . . No.	12	12	...	24	8	...	...	8
Proportion of above to number carried . . . No.	1 in 8,513,737	1 in 4,665,801	...	1 in 6,631,775	1 in 12,054,894	...	...	1 in 18,965,498
Number of passengers injured by accidents to trains . . . No.	6	27	...	93	33	4	...	37
Proportion of above to number carried . . . No.	1 in 1,547,952	1 in 2,073,689	...	1 in 1,711,426	1 in 2,922,398	1 in 13,591,978	...	1 in 4,100,648
Number of passengers killed from all causes . . . No.	57	31	...	83	67	16	...	83
Proportion of above to number carried . . . No.	1 in 1,964,708	1 in 1,806,117	...	1 in 1,917,622	1 in 1,439,390	1 in 3,397,994	...	1 in 1,828,000
Number of passengers injured from all causes . . . No.	199	85	...	284	153	57	1	211
Proportion of above to number carried . . . No.	1 in 513,39	1 in 658,701	...	1 in 560,432	1 in 630,321	1 in 983,823	1 in 916,918	1 in 719,071
Number of passengers killed and injured from all causes . . . No.	251	116	...	367	220	73	1	294
Proportion of above to number carried . . . No.	1 in 407,031	1 in 482,669	...	1 in 433,586	1 in 438,360	1 in 744,766	1 in 916,918	1 in 516,068
Proportion of passengers killed and injured from all causes to number of passenger-units carried one mile . . . No.	1 in 17,139,311	1 in 18,043,060	...	1 in 17,498,142	1 in 18,559,690	1 in 28,161,801	1 in 24,770,696	1 in 20,965,013

It will be seen that the comparison is generally unfavourable for the reasons explained in paragraph I (1) *ante*.

8. From abstract No. 5 it appears that during the year 1896, the proportion of passengers killed and injured from causes beyond their own control was generally higher than in the ten preceding years. The cause of the high proportion is given in paragraph 1 (1) *ante*.

IV.—Number of persons killed and injured by accidents to trains, rolling stock, etc., during the fourth quarter of 1896.

9. The following table gives the number of accidents, as classified in abstract No. 4 of the returns, which resulted in loss of, or injury to, life and limb, and shows the railways on which they occurred :

RAILWAY.	Number of accidents reported during the 4th quarter of 1896.	PASSENGERS AND OTHERS		SERVANTS		TOTAL	
		Killed.	Injured	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.
<i>Standard gauge.</i>							
East Indian	2	...	1	...	1	...	2
Indian Midland	1	...	1	...	...	...	1
North Western	2	...	3	...	1	...	4
Great Indian Peninsula	2	1	8	...	1	1	9
Bombay, Baroda and Central India	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
<i>Metre gauge.</i>							
Southern Mahratta	1	...	...	1	...	1	...
Assam-Bengal	1	...	...	1	1	1	1
Burma	1	1	1	...	...	1	1
TOTAL	11	2	14	2	5	4	19
CORRESPONDING QUARTER OF 1895	9	...	5	1	4	1	9

The increase in the total number of persons injured during the fourth quarter of 1896, as compared with the corresponding quarter of the previous year, was mainly due to the accidents at the Victoria Terminus station on the 21st November 1896, and between Khápri and Nágpur on the 16th December 1896, on the Great Indian Peninsula railway. Particulars of these accidents are briefly given in paragraph 10.

10. A brief description of accidents which resulted in loss of, or injury to, life and limb, is given below :

East Indian railway—On the 9th December 1896, a down passenger train ran into a hackney carriage at the level-crossing gate at mile 6, near Bally Khal station. The driver of the carriage was injured.

On the 11th December 1896, the outgoing engine of an express train collided with the incoming engine of the same train in the Mokameh station yard, due to shunting at an excessive speed. A railway servant was injured.

Indian Midland railway.—On the 31st December 1896, a down mail train ran into two transport carts at the level-crossing gate at mileage 302-17, between Morar and Bánmor stations. A cartman was injured.

North Western State railway.—On the 20th October 1896, a trolly occupied by the Officer Commanding the detachment of 25th Bombay Rifles and others on outpost inspection duty in connection with the Mári raids, was run into by an up goods train at mile 489, between Dálujal and Spintangi stations, owing to the absence of necessary precautions when passing a curve. Two of the occupants and a trollyman were injured.

On the 15th December 1896, when passing over the Sutlej bridge, some of the trucks of the down ferry train were found on fire supposed to have originated from sparks from the engine. The train was stopped and backed into the Phillour station. Seven of the trucks were considerably damaged and a cartman was also badly burnt.

Great Indian Peninsula railway.—On the 21st November 1896, while a road-van was being shunted to be attached to a down local train at the Victoria Terminus station, three passengers were slightly injured, owing to the driver backing too quickly and not keeping a proper look out.

On the 16th December 1896, at mileage 518½, between Khápri and Nágpur stations, four loaded wagons, a brake-van and six carriages on a down mixed train were derailed, owing to the breakage of an axle of a wagon, the metal of which was badly flawed. Six passengers and a railway servant were injured. One passenger of those injured subsequently died.

Bombay, Baroda and Central India railway.—On the 27th October 1896, a lorry ran over a dog near the Tapti bridge between Amroli and Surat stations and was derailed. A railway servant was injured.

Southern Mahratta railway.—On the 28th October 1896, an up goods train had come to a stand at Alandi station, the five rear vehicles being on a falling grade of 1 in 100. While the engine was detaching a water truck, the remainder of the train escaped and ran back to Phursangi station, colliding with a down special train standing on the main line at that station. A railway servant was killed.

Assam-Bengal railway.—On the 16th December 1896, a truck on a ballast train caught fire at mile 95.25, the coolies in the truck, who were smoking, having dropped some fire. In attempting to jump out, one coolie was killed and another injured.

Burma railway.—On the 22nd October 1896, a ballast train while entering Othégón station, was admitted on to the siding and collided with some trucks standing there. The trucks were forced back a short distance and ran over two children, one of whom was killed and the other seriously injured.

RESOLUTION.—The Government of India notices that, with an increase of 624 miles or 3.27 per cent. in the mean mileage worked and a decrease of 473,785 miles or 0.72 per cent. in the train-mileage run, the number of accidents to trains, rolling-stock, permanent-way, etc., on Indian railways during 1896, shows an increase of 209 accidents or 4.74 per cent, as compared with the previous year.

2. The number of passengers killed and injured by accidents to trains, etc., were 24 and 93, respectively, against 8 and 37 during the previous year; while the number of passengers killed and injured from causes other than accidents to trains, etc., were 59 and 191, respectively, against 75 and 174.

3. Out of a total of 159,162,589 passengers travelling, there were 83 killed and 284 injured, or an average of 1 killed in 1,917,622 and 1 injured in 560,432.

The proportion of passengers killed and injured by train accidents from causes beyond their own control, as compared with the numbers travelling, was 1 killed out of 6,631,775 and 1 injured out of 1,711,426.

4. The casualties to servants in the employ of railways or of contractors from accidents to trains, etc., were 6 killed and 47 injured, against 11 and 30, respectively, during the previous year. From causes other than accidents to trains etc., the casualties were 153 killed and 273 injured, against 152 killed and 360 injured.

5. With an increase of 3·27 per cent. in the mean mileage worked and a decrease of 0·72 per cent. in the train-mileage run, it is observed that the total number of casualties from all causes over the whole of the Indian railway system, as compared with the previous year, increased under killed from 693 to 763 or by 10·10 per cent. and under injured from 751 to 761 or by 1·33 per cent.

ORDER.—Ordered, that this resolution, with the abstract returns, be commu-

The Governments of Madras, Bombay, Bengal, the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, the Punjab, and Burma.

The Chief Commissioners of the Central Provinces, Assam, and Coorg.

The Resident at Hyderabad.

The Resident in Mysore.

The Agents to the Governor General for Rajputana, Central India, and Baluchistan.

The Director General of Railways.

The Consulting Engineers to the Government of India for Railways, Calcutta, Lucknow, and Assam.

nicated, for information, to the Local Governments and Administrations, and to the Officers noted in the margin.

Ordered, also, that copies be forwarded for the information of Her Majesty's Government.

Ordered, further, that this Resolution, with the abstract returns, be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*.

G. A. ANDERSON,
Under Secretary.

Documents accompanying.

Abstract returns of accidents for the twelve months ending with the 31st December 1896.

**Enclosure to Government of India Order No. 263R. Stat., dated the 17th
June 1897.**

ABSTRACT No.-1.

GENERAL TOTAL.

NUMBER of PERSONS reported, during the TWELVE MONTHS ending with the 31st December 1896, as KILLED OR INJURED ON ALL RAILWAYS open for TRAFFIC in INDIA, distinguishing between PASSENGERS, RAILWAY SERVANTS, and OTHER PERSONS; and distinguishing also, in the case of the two former classes, between ACCIDENTS caused by ACCIDENTS to TRAINS, ROLLING STOCK, PERMANENT-WAY, etc., and ACCIDENTS happening otherwise.

	STANDARD GAUGE LINES.		METRE GAUGE LINES.		SPECIAL GAUGE LINES.		TOTAL ALL GAUGES.	
	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.
PASSENGERS :—								
From accidents to trains, rolling stock, permanent-way, etc.	12	66	12	27	...	...	24	93
By accidents from other causes, including accidents from their own want of caution or misconduct	40	133	19	58	...	...	59	191
SERVANTS :—								
From accidents to trains, rolling stock, permanent-way, etc.	2	36	4	9	...	2	6	47
By accidents from other causes, including accidents from their own want of caution or misconduct	117	198	36	71	...	4	153	273
OTHER PERSONS :—								
Whilst passing over railways at level-crossings	13	4	13	9	...	...	26	13
Trespassers	226	76	114	48	...	1	340	127
Suicides	118	3	28	1	...	...	146	4
Miscellaneous, not included in either of the above	5	10	4	2	...	1	9	13
TOTAL	533	528	230	225	...	8	763	761

NUMBER of PERSONS reported, during the TWELVE MONTHS ending with the 31st December 1896, as KILLED or INJURED in PASSENGERS, RAILWAY SERVANTS, and OTHER PERSONS, and classifying, as far as practicable,

(a) Including the Delhi-Umballa-Kalka and the Tarkowar railways.
 (b) " the Bhopal-Irtal, the Bina-Goonna and the Bhopal-Ujjain railways.
 (c) " the Hyderabad-Shadipalli, the Rajpura-Bhatinda and the Jammu and Kashmir railways.
 (d) " the Bengal Central railway.
 (e) " the Wardha Coal, the Dhond-Manmad, the Khamgaon, and the Amravati railways.

(f) Including the Godhra-Batlam-Nagda, Nagda-Ujjain and the Gackwar's Petlad railways.
 (g) " the Kolar Gold-fields railway and the Madras-Ennur section of the Berwada-Madras railway.

* These were injured during the second quarter of 1906, but were omitted by the line from the returns for that period.

No. 2.

INDIA by the TRAVELLING of TRAINS or the MOVEMENT of VEHICLES used exclusively upon RAILWAYS, distinguishing between the nature and causes of the ACCIDENTS occasioning the DEATH or INJURY.

VANTS.

ACCIDENTS TO TRAINS, ETC.

7.—Whiles moving vehicles by captains, tumbables, props, etc., during shunting.		8.—By other accidents during shunting operations not included in the preceding.		9.—From falling of engines, etc., during the travelling of trains.		10.—By coming in contact with over-bridges, or erections on the sides of the line during the travelling of trains.		11.—When getting on or off engines, vans, etc., during the travelling of trains.		12.—Whiles attending to or by the failure of machinery, etc., of engines in steam.		13.—Whiles working on the permanent-way, sidings, etc.		14.—Whiles attending to gates at level-crossings.		15.—Whiles walking, crossing, or standing on the line on duty.		16.—From being caught between vehicles.		17.—From falling or being caught between trains and platforms, walls, etc.		18.—Whiles walking, etc., on the line on the way home or to work.		19.—Miscellaneous.		TOTAL.		TOTAL SERVICES.		Whiles passing over the railway level-crossings.		Trespassers.		Suicides.		Miscellaneous.		TOTAL OTHERS.		TOTAL ALL CLASSES.		Classification Number.
Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.			
...	...	1	4	1	4	...	1	1	9	...	2	2	...	2	...	18	...	4	3	1	...	8	3	4	6	43	34	43	38	3	...	86	12	50	139	12	209	98	I.	
...	1	1	2	1	2	3	3	4	12	6	3	15	6	19	16	III.		
...	...	1	...	1	1	3	2	2	8	2	8	2	1	1	11	3	5	17	4	26	7	IV.		
...	...	3	1	1	1	...	1	1	4	1	...	4	13	1	1	...	1	2	...	3	3	20	43	20	55	1	2	32	14	6	4	39	20	68	103	XI.		
...	...	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	2	4	11	4	13	2	1	12	9	28	3	...	2	42	15	47	42	XIII.		
1	2	1	2	3	...	6	1	1	...	4	1	2	2	1	9	26	10	26	25	5	2	...	1	...	28	5	38	69	XIV.		
...	1	1	1	4	...	8	2	...	9	6	1	1	12	7	12	29	XVI.	
...	...	1	2	3	4	...	1	4	...	2	...	3	...	6	3	1	3	16	28	17	37	4	...	27	11	20	...	3	3	54	14	81	76	XVIII.		
...	...	1	3	4	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	3	11	19	11	23	...	...	7	5	...	...	...	7	5	20	42	XIX.	
...	...	1	5	...	2	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	22	2	22	...	...	4	3	3	...	1	...	8	3	10	33	XX.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	6	1	6	...	...	1	4	...	...	...	1	4	3	13	XXXII.	
1	11	17	10	13	...	2	3	25	...	8	3	14	7	2	33	26	6	6	1	2	14	6	14	23	117	198	119	234	13	4	226	78	118	3	5	10	362	95	533	528		
1	7	62	5	21	4	3	10	22	...	5	4	5	3	3	38	23	5	9	4	3	8	4	10	42	112	272	117	291	9	9	222	65	81	4	7	6	319	84	503	528		
...	...	4	1	1	1	3	3	10	3	10	...	3	21	12	15	1	36	16	42	29	XXXVIII.		
...	1	1	...	4	...	1	3	1	1	2	1	3	2	13	17	14	18	2	3	20	5	4	...	1	...	27	8	50	62	XL.		
...	...	1	1	6	...	1	...	1	1	5	4	15	5	19	3	...	7	5	2	...	1	...	13	5	19	28	XLII.		
...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	1	3	1	6	3	6	4	2	...	...	...	14	7	19	22	XLV.	
...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	3	...	...	9	1	...	...	...	...	9	1	11	7	XLVII.	
...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	1	1	4	6	11	6	13	1	...	19	8	...	1	2	21	10	29	34	XLVIII.	
...	1	6	2	12	1	1	2	6	1	1	3	...	2	3	1	2	2	4	14	39	56	32	64	12	9	82	35	23	1	8	2	120	47	179	182		

(A) Including the East Coast (State) railway, Howada Extension.

(B) " the Palampur-Deesa and the Gaskwar's Mahratta railways.

(C) " the Guntakal-Mysore frontier, the Southern Mahratta (Mysore section), the Kolhapur, the Yessantpur-Mysore frontier, and the Mysore-Nanjangud railways.

(D) " the Mayasaram-Mutah railway.

(E) The working of this line has been transferred to a company from the 1st September 1906.

ACCIDENTS TO TRAINS, RAILWAYS, AND OTHERS, AND OF RAILWAY SERVANTS KILLED OR INJURED IN EACH CLASS OF ACCIDENT.

STANDARD GAUGE.

	EAST INDIA, (a)					BENGAL-NAGPUR.					INDIAN MIDLAND, (b)					NORTH WESTERN (c).					Number of headings.
	Number.	Number of passengers and others.		Number of servants.		Total all classes.	Number.	Number of passengers and others.		Number of servants.		Total all classes.	Number.	Number of passengers and others.		Number of servants.		Total all classes.			
		Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.			Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.			Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.		Killed.	Injured.	
1. Collisions between passenger trains or parts of passenger trains.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Collisions between passenger trains and goods or mineral trains, engines and vehicles standing foul of the line.	4	2	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Collisions between goods trains or parts of goods trains.	5	5	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. Collisions between light engines.	1	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Passenger trains or parts of passenger trains leaving the rails.	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6. Goods trains or parts of goods trains, engines, etc., leaving the rails.	...	12	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7. Trains or engines travelling in the wrong direction through points.	2	17	19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8. Trains running into stations or sidings at too high a speed.	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9. Trains running over cattle on the line.	...	198	199	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10. Ditto over obstructions on the line.	1	11	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11. Trains running through gates at level-crossings.	...	6	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12. The bursting of boilers of engines.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12(e). Ditto of tubes, etc., of engines.	...	5	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
13. The failure of machinery, springs, etc., of engines.	...	70	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14. The failure of tyres.	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15. Ditto of wheels.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
16. Ditto of axles.	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17. Ditto of brake apparatus.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18. Ditto of couplings.	...	18	18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19. Ditto of tunnels, bridges, viaducts, culverts, etc.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
20. Broken rails.	...	6	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21. The flooding of portions of permanent-way.	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22. Slips in cuttings or embankments.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23. Fire in trains.	2	24	26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
24. Fire at stations, or involving injury to bridges or viaducts.	...	7	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
25. Other accidents.	4	15	19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL ALL CLASSES.	21	408	424	11	11	9	8	45	53	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

(a) Including the Delhi-Umber-Kaithi and the Tuglaque railways.

(b) Including the Bhagalpuri, the Bina-Guna and the Bhopal-Ujjain railways.

(c) Including the Hyderabad-Solapur, the Rajputana and the Jaipur and Kanpur railways.

(d) Of these one was not a passenger.

(e) Of these four were not passengers.

STANDARD GAUGE—contd.

1. Collisions between passenger trains or parts of passenger trains	EASTERN DISTRICT. (c)										EAST COAST.										GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA. (d)									
	Number.		Number of passengers and others.		Number of servants.		Total all classes.		Number.		Number of passengers and others.		Number of servants.		Total all classes.		Number.		Number of passengers and others.		Number.		Number of passengers and others.		Number of servants.		Total all classes.			
2. Collisions between passenger trains and goods or mineral trains, engines and vehicles standing foul of the line	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Collisions between goods trains or parts of goods trains	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. Collisions between light engines	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Passenger trains or parts of passenger trains leaving the rails	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6. Goods trains or parts of goods trains, engines, etc., leaving the rails	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7. Trains or engines travelling in the wrong direction through points	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8. Trains running into stations or sidings at too high a speed	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9. Trains running over cattle on the line	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10. Ditto over obstructions on the line	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11. Trains running through gates at level-crossings	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12. The bursting of boilers of engines	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12(c). Ditto of tubes, etc., of engines	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
13. The failure of machinery, springs, etc., of engines	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14. The failure of tyres	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15. Ditto of wheels	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
16. Ditto of axles	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17. Ditto of brake apparatus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18. Ditto of couplings	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19. Ditto of tunnels, bridges, viaducts, culverts, etc.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
20. Broken rails	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21. The derailing of portions of permanent-way	13	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22. Slips in cuttings or embankments	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23. Fire in trains	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
24. Fire at stations, or involving injury to bridges or viaducts	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
25. Other accidents	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL ALL CLASSES	5	89	94	(c)1	(c)3	...	2	1	5	...	15	255	270	...	33	1	...	1	33	...	2	66	68	(c)1	11	...	4	1	15	

(c) Included the Ranee Central railway

(c) Including the Godhra-Bhatia-Nagda, the Nagda-Ujjain and the Godwari's Feild railways.
(c) Including the Barwadi extension, East Coast railway.
(c) Including the Barwadi extension, East Coast railway.

(c) Including the Godhra-Banerm-Nagda, the Nagda-Ujjain and the Godwar's Petlied railways.
(c) Including the Beawada extension, East Coast railway.

for TRAFFIC IN INDIA, distinguishing the different CLASSES OF ACCIDENTS and the number of PASSENGERS and OTHERS and of RAILWAY SERVANTS KILLED or INJURED in each class of accident—contd.

	RAJPUTANA-DELHI. (a)				SOUTHERN MANDLA. (b)				SOUTH INDIA. (c)				AMAR-BARWAL.				
	Number.	Number of passengers and others.		Total all classes.	Number.	Number of passengers and others.		Total all classes.	Number.	Number of passengers and others.		Total all classes.	Number.	Number of passengers and others.		Total all classes.	
		Killed.	Injured.			Killed.	Injured.			Killed.	Injured.			Killed.	Injured.		Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.
	Accidents reported to Local Government under section 83 of the Indian Railways Act, No. IX of 1900.	Total.	Killed.	Injured.	Accidents reported to Local Government under section 83 of the Indian Railways Act, No. IX of 1900.	Total.	Killed.	Injured.	Accidents reported to Local Government under section 83 of the Indian Railways Act, No. IX of 1900.	Total.	Killed.	Injured.	Accidents reported to Local Government under section 83 of the Indian Railways Act, No. IX of 1900.	Total.	Killed.	Injured.	
1. Collisions between passenger trains or parts of passenger trains.	
2. Collisions between passenger trains and goods or mineral trains, engines and vehicles standing foul of the line.	1	1	2	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Collisions between goods trains or parts of goods trains.	
4. Collisions between light engines.	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Passenger trains or parts of passenger trains leaving the rails.	...	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6. Goods trains or parts of goods trains, engines, etc., leaving the rails.	...	2	...	...	...	10	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7. Trains or engines travelling in the wrong direction through points.	...	10	10	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8. Trains running into stations or sidings at too high a speed.	2	19	21	12	21	3	4	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9. Trains running over cattle on the line.	...	3	3	...	...	5	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10. Ditto over obstructions on the line.	2	165	167	...	...	6	307	313	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11. Trains running through gates at level-crossings.	...	2	14	(d)1	...	1	3	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12. The bursting of boilers of engines.	...	2	2	...	...	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
13. Ditto of tubes, etc., of engines.	...	20	20	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14. The failure of machinery, springs, etc., of engines.	...	25	25	...	...	45	45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15. The failure of tyres.	...	4	4	...	...	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
16. Ditto of wheels.	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17. Ditto of axles.	...	2	2	...	...	3	13	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18. Ditto of brake apparatus.	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19. Ditto of couplings.	...	28	28	...	...	37	37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
20. Ditto of tunnels, bridges, viaducts, culverts, etc.	
21. Broken rails.	...	18	18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22. The flooding of portions of permanent-way.	...	2	2	...	...	1	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23. Slips in cuttings or embankments.	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
24. Fire in trains.	...	1	1	...	...	12	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
25. Fire at stations, or involving injury to bridges or viaducts.	...	2	2	...	...	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
26. Other accidents.	1	28	29	...	...	1	3	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL ALL CLASSES.	10	347	357	(c)13	22	1	14	23	31	478	509	1	4	1	4

(a) Including the Palanpur-Dass and the Jaikar's Michiana railways.
(b) Including the Gourahk-Mysore frontier, the Southern Mauritius (Mysore section), the Kolhapur, the Yerranipour-Mysore frontier, and the Mysore-Mangalwad railways.
(c) Including the Mysore-Murpet railway.
(d) Not a passenger.
(e) Of these, one was not a passenger.

for TRAFFIC in INDIA, distinguishing the different classes of ACCIDENTS and the number of PASSENGERS and OTHERS and of RAILWAY SERVANTS KILLED or INJURED in each class of accident—contd.

	METRE GAUGE—contd.										FOOT GAUGE—contd.										NORTH-EASTERN RAILWAY (Cont'd Sec.) (c)																
	BUREAU (a).					EASTERN RAILWAY (b).					DOONDA.					ROHILKHAND AND KANAI (Cont'd Sec.) (c)					Number.					Number of head ngt.											
	Number.	Total.	Killed.	Injured.	Total all classes.	Number.	Total.	Killed.	Injured.	Total all classes.	Number.	Total.	Killed.	Injured.	Total all classes.	Number.	Total.	Killed.	Injured.	Total all classes.	Number.	Total.	Killed.	Injured.	Total all classes.	Number.	Total.	Killed.	Injured.	Total all classes.	Number.	Total.	Killed.	Injured.	Total all classes.		
1. Collisions between passenger trains or parts of passenger trains	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
2. Collisions between passenger trains and goods or mineral trains, engines and vehicles standing foul of the line	..	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
3. Collisions between goods trains or parts of goods trains	1	2	(d)1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
4. Collisions between light engines	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	3	..	..	..	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
5. Passenger trains or parts of passenger trains leaving the rails	..	6	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
6. Goods trains or parts of goods trains, engines, etc., leaving the rails	..	27	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
7. Trains or engines travelling in the wrong direction through points	3	13	..	..	..	..	5	10	15	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
8. Trains running into stations or sidings at too high a speed	..	55	..	..	..	..	1	85	86	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
9. Trains running over cattle on the line	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
10. Ditto over obstructions on the line	1	5	6	(d)1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
11. Trains running through gates at level-crossings	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
12. The bursting of boilers of engines.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
12(c). Ditto of tubes, etc., of engines	..	3	3	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
13. The failure of machinery, springs, etc., of engines	..	29	1	8	9	(d)1	1	1	1	2
14. The failure of tyres	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
15. Ditto of wheels	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
16. Ditto of axles	..	4	6	..	..	..	4	4	..	..	..	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
17. Ditto of brake apparatus	..	6	6	..	..	..	4	4	..	..	..	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
18. Ditto of couplings	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
19. Ditto of tunnels, bridges, viaducts, culverts, etc.	..	7	7	..	..	..	4	4	..	..	..	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
20. Broken rails	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
21. The flooding of portions of permanent-way	1	3	4	..	..	..	3	3	..	..	..	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
22. Slips in cuttings or embankments	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
23. Fire in trains	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
24. Fire at stations, or involving injury to bridges or viaducts	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	9	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
25. Other accidents	..	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
TOTAL ALL CLASSES	19	190	209	(d)2	(d)1	..	10	143	153	(c)5	1	1	1	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

(a) The workings of this line have been transferred to a company from the 1st September 1906. (b) Including the Kamla-Dharila (2' 6" gauge) branch. (c) Including the (Kamla-Dharila section). (d) Not a passenger (e). (f) Of these, one was not a passenger.

open for traffic in India, distinguishing the different classes of accidents and the number of passengers and others and of railway servants killed or injured in each class of accident—*contd.*

METRE GAUGE—contd.	BETWEE DOORS.				DIBBO-SADITY.				JODHPUR-BICKALPUR (JODHPUR & BICKALPUR SECTIONS).				CODDIPUR-JETPUR.				of heading.
	Number.	Number of passengers and others.	Number of servants.	Total all classes.	Number.	Number of passengers and others.	Number of servants.	Total all classes.	Number.	Number of passengers and others.	Number of servants.	Total all classes.	Number.	Number of passengers and others.	Number of servants.	Total all classes.	
Local Government under section 23 of the Indian Railways Act, No. IX of 1900.	Other accidents.	Total.	Killed.	Injured.	Local Government under section 23 of the Indian Railways Act, No. IX of 1900.	Other accidents.	Total.	Killed.	Injured.	Local Government under section 23 of the Indian Railways Act, No. IX of 1900.	Other accidents.	Total.	Killed.	Injured.	Local Government under section 23 of the Indian Railways Act, No. IX of 1900.	Other accidents.	Total.
1. Collisions between passenger trains or parts of passenger trains
2. Collisions between passenger trains and goods or mineral trains, engines and vehicles standing foul of the line
3. Collisions between goods trains or parts of goods trains
4. Collisions between light engines
5. Passenger trains or parts of passenger trains leaving the rails	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6. Goods trains or parts of goods trains, engines, etc., leaving the rails
7. Trains or engines travelling in the wrong direction through points	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8. Trains running into stations or sidings at too high a speed
9. Trains running over cattle on the line	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10. Ditto over obstructions on the line
11. Trains running through gates at level-crossings
12. The bursting of boilers of engines
13(a). Ditto of tubes, etc., of engines
13. The failure of machinery, springs, etc., of engines	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14. The failure of tyres
15. Ditto of wheels
16. Ditto of axles
17. Ditto of brake apparatus
18. Ditto of couplings
19. Ditto of tunnels, bridges, viaducts, culverts, etc.
20. Broken rails
21. The flooding of portions of permanent-way
22. Slips in cuttings or embankments
23. Fire in trains
24. Fire at stations, or involving injury to bridges or viaducts
25. Other accidents
TOTAL ALL CAUSES	1	7	8	67	2	65	67	33	53	8	8	25	...	...	...	...	...

	METRE GAUGE—contd.										SPECIAL GAUGES.									
	Bhadravati-Gondal-Jyoti-Ban-Porbandar. (a)					Jorhat (2° 0').					Darbhanga-Himalayan (2° 0').									
	Number.	Number of passengers and others.		Number of servants.	Total all classes.	Number.	Number of passengers and others.		Number of servants.	Total all classes.	Number.	Number of passengers and others.		Number of servants.	Total all classes.	Number.	Number of passengers and others.		Number of servants.	Total all classes.
		Killed.	Injured.				Killed.	Injured.				Killed.	Injured.				Killed.	Injured.		
	Accidents reported to the Indian Railways under section 83 of the Indian Railways Act, No. IX of 1900.	Total.				Accidents reported to the Indian Railways under section 83 of the Indian Railways Act, No. IX of 1900.	Total.				Accidents reported to the Indian Railways under section 83 of the Indian Railways Act, No. IX of 1900.	Total.				Accidents reported to the Indian Railways under section 83 of the Indian Railways Act, No. IX of 1900.	Total.			
1. Collisions between passenger trains or parts of passenger trains
2. Ditto ditto and goods or mineral trains, engines and vehicles standing foul of the line
3. Collisions between goods trains or parts of goods trains
4. Ditto light engines
5. Passenger trains or parts of passenger trains leaving the rails
6. Goods trains or parts of goods trains, engines, etc., leaving the rails
7. Trains or engines travelling in the wrong direction through points
8. Trains running into stations or sidings at too high a speed
9. Ditto over cattle on the line
10. Ditto over obstructions on the line
11. Ditto through gates at level-crossings
12. The bursting of boilers of engines
12(c). Ditto of tubes, etc., of engines
13. The failure of machinery, springs, etc., of engines
14. Ditto of tyres
15. Ditto of wheels
16. Ditto of axles
17. Ditto of brake apparatus
18. Ditto of couplings
19. Ditto of tunnels, bridges, viaducts, culverts, etc.
20. Broken rails
21. The flooding of portions of permanent-way
22. Slips in cuttings or embankments
23. Fire in trains
24. Fire at stations, or involving injury to bridges or viaducts
25. Other accidents
TOTAL ALL CLASSES	...	43	48	...	...	...	11	4	15	...	...	7	13	20	...	...	2	...	...	3

(a) including the Jorhat-Katol railway

ABSTRACT

ACCIDENTS TO TRAINS, ROLLING STOCK, PERMANENT-WAY, etc., reported during the TWELVE MONTHS ending 31st DECEMBER 1896, distinguishing the different CLASSES of ACCIDENTS and the number of PASSENGERS and OTHERS.

	STANDARD GAUGE LINES.												METRE GAUGE LINES.											
	Corresponding period of 1895.			TWELVE MONTHS ENDING WITH THE 31st DECEMBER 1896.												Corresponding period of 1895.			TWELVE MONTHS ENDING WITH THE 31st DECEMBER 1896.					
				Number.			Number of passengers and others.			Number of servants.			Total all classes.							Number.			Number of passengers and others.	
	Accidents reported to Local Governments under section 83 of the Indian Railways Act, No. IX of 1880.	Other accidents.	Total.	Accidents reported to Local Governments under section 83 of the Indian Railways Act, No. IX of 1880.	Other accidents.	Total.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Accidents reported to Local Governments under section 83 of the Indian Railways Act, No. IX of 1880.	Other accidents.	Total.	Accidents reported to Local Governments under section 83 of the Indian Railways Act, No. IX of 1880.	Other accidents.	Total.	Accidents reported to Local Governments under section 83 of the Indian Railways Act, No. IX of 1880.	Other accidents.	Total.	Killed.	Injured.	
Collisions between passenger trains or parts of passenger trains	1	5	6	3	1	4	...	15	...	7	...	22	2	1	3	4	3	7	...	...	...	...	...	...
Collisions between passenger trains and goods or mineral trains, engines, and vehicles standing foul of the line	7	12	19	13	8	21	...	2	...	7	...	9	5	12	17	8	8	16	...	...	...	...	...	...
Collisions between goods trains or parts of goods trains	8	75	83	7	22	29	...	...	...	3	...	3	4	22	26	1	6	7	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)
Collisions between light engines	...	18	18	2	9	11	...	...	1	1	1	1	...	3	3	...	7	7	...	...	...	...	...	...
Passenger trains or parts of passenger trains leaving the rails	8	26	34	13	15	28	...	1	...	...	...	1	15	40	55	20	20	40	...	...	...	...	...	...
Goods trains or parts of goods trains, engines, etc., leaving the rails	15	146	161	2	91	93	...	...	1	...	1	1	2	85	87	3	76	79	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trains or engines travelling in the wrong directions through points	3	58	61	9	115	124	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	43	50	15	53	68	12	2	2	2	2	2
Trains running into stations or sidings at too high a speed	1	12	13	8	10	18	...	32	...	1	...	33	...	9	9	1	10	11	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trains running over cattle on the line	...	961	961	3	1,044	1,047	(a)	...	...	...	1	...	5	1,002	1,007	16	1,140	1,156	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)
Trains running over obstructions on the line	11	102	113	11	65	76	(a)	3	6	...	4	3	11	62	73	13	51	64	3	3	3	3	3	3
Trains running through gates at level-crossings	1	32	33	6	23	29	...	...	...	1	...	1	4	15	19	...	15	16	...	...	...	...	...	...
The bursting of boilers of engines	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
(a) The bursting of tubes, etc., of engines	1	122	123	...	77	77	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	62	62	...	69	69	...	...	...	...	...	...
The failure of machinery, springs, etc., of engines	...	300	300	1	315	346	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	149	149	1	169	170	...	...	...	...	...	...
The failure of tyres	2	5	7	...	7	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	10	...	10	10	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ditto of wheels	...	2	2	...	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ditto of axles	...	8	8	2	13	15	1	5	...	2	1	7	2	37	39	6	39	45	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ditto of brake apparatus	...	3	3	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ditto of couplings	2	76	78	...	79	79	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	124	124	4	99	103	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ditto of tunnels, bridges, viaducts, culverts, etc.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Broken rails	...	42	42	1	41	42	...	3	...	...	...	3	...	26	26	...	39	39	...	...	...	...	...	...
The flooding of portions of permanent-way	17	22	39	7	48	53	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	41	42	3	21	24	...	...	...	...	...	...
Slips in cuttings or embankments	1	13	14	2	22	24	...	...	1	2	1	2	1	5	6	3	4	7	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fire in trains	3	78	81	3	110	113	11	(b)	5	...	11	6	1	68	69	1	50	51	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fire at stations, or involving injury to bridges or viaducts	1	24	25	2	36	38	(a)	2	...	...	...	2	...	11	11	3	18	21	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other accidents	4	131	135	8	153	161	(a)	1	4	...	6	1	10	71	...	11	82	93	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL { 1896	...	...	...	103	2,337	2,440	(c)	(d)	17	75	2	36	19	111	...	...	113	1,982	2,105	(e)	(e)	(e)	(e)	(e)
1895	...	...	...	86	2,274	2,360	(f)	(h)	11	41	5	19	16	60	...	...	72	1,903	1,975	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)

in mileage worked
 number of servants employed
 in-mileage of all descriptions
 number of passengers carried
 passenger-mileage
 mile open—
 train-mileage of all descriptions
 number of passengers carried
 passenger-mileage
 all passengers—
 killed per million of passengers
 injured per million of passengers
 killed per million of passenger-miles
 injured per million of passenger-miles

11,447
 130,675
 41,264,682
 102,164,839
 4,301,987,166

3,847
 8,125
 375,816

0.117
 0.648
 0.003
 0.015

8,008
 58,998
 20,537,802
 55,989,618
 2,092,994,943

2,566
 6,936
 261,626

0.214
 0.483
 0.006
 0.018

(a) Not (a) passenger(s).

(b) Of these, one was not a passenger.

(c) Of these, five were not passengers.

(d) Of these, nine were not passengers.

ABSTRACT No. 5.

PROPORTION of PASSENGERS KILLED and INJURED on the SEVERAL RAILWAYS open for TRAFFIC in INDIA from causes beyond their own control in passenger journeys for the years 1886 to 1896.

YEAR.	NUMBER OF PASSENGERS KILLED AND INJURED FROM CAUSES BEYOND THEIR OWN CONTROL, FROM ACCIDENTS TO TRAINS.		Number of passenger journeys (inclusive of journeys by season ticket-holders).	PROPORTION RETURNED AS KILLED AND INJURED (FROM CAUSES BEYOND THEIR OWN CONTROL) TO NUMBER CARRIED.	
	Killed.	Injured.		Killed.	Injured.
1886 . . .	3	43	88,436,318	1 in 29,478,773	1 in 2,056,659
1887 . . .	4	62	95,411,779	1 in 23,852,945	1 in 1,538,900
1888 . . .	2	26	103,156,013	1 in 51,578,006	1 in 3,967,539
1889 . . .	27	155	110,402,383	1 in 4,088,977	1 in 712,273
1890 . . .	1	24	113,828,810	1 in 113,828,810	1 in 4,743,700
1891 . . .	56	135	122,611,345	1 in 2,189,488	1 in 908,232
1892 . . .	8	42	127,230,914	1 in 15,903,864	1 in 3,029,307
1893 . . .	51	84	135,262,950	1 in 2,652,215	1 in 1,610,261
1894 . . .	1	85	145,462,546	1 in 145,462,546	1 in 1,711,324
1895 . . .	8	37	151,723,981	1 in 18,965,498	1 in 4,100,648
1896 . . .	24	93	159,162,589	1 in 6,631,775	1 in 1,711,426



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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

PUBLIC.

Simla, the 8th July, 1897.

RULES TO REGULATE THE TRANSPORT AND IMPORTATION OF EXPLOSIVES.

No. 1393.—In supersession of the Notification by the Government of India, Home Department, No. 1417 (Public), dated the 24th June 1887, and in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 5 and 7 of the Indian Explosives Act (IV of 1884), the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following rules to regulate the transport and importation of explosives.

These Rules extend to the whole of British India, but the rules relating to the transport of explosives shall cease to apply to any port as defined in the Indian Ports Act (X of 1889) for which special rules made by the Local Government are for the time being in force, in so far as they are expressly superseded by, or are inconsistent with, such special rules.

Nothing in these Rules shall apply to the manufacture, possession, use, sale, transport, or importation of any explosive—

(a) by order of the Government, or

(b) by any person employed under the Government in the execution of the Indian Explosives Act (IV of 1884), or as a keeper of a magazine, artizan,

soldier, sailor, policeman, or otherwise, or enrolled as a volunteer under the Indian Volunteers Act (XX of 1869), in the course of his employment or duty as such.

PRELIMINARY.

1. For the purposes of these rules, explosives shall be classified as follows, namely :

Class 1	Gunpowder.
Class 2	Nitrate-mixture.
Class 3	Nitro-compound.
Class 4	Chlorate-mixture.
Class 5	Fulminate.
Class 6	Ammunition.
Class 7	Firework.

And when an explosive falls within the description of more than one class, it shall be deemed to belong exclusively to the latest of the classes within the description of which it falls.

CLASS 1.—*Gunpowder Class.*

The term "gunpowder" means exclusively gunpowder ordinarily so called.

CLASS 2.—*Nitrate-mixture Class.*

The term "nitrate-mixture" means any preparation, other than gunpowder ordinarily so called, formed by the mechanical mixture of a nitrate with any form of carbon or with any carbonaceous substance not possessed of explosive properties, whether sulphur be or be not added to such preparation, and whether such preparation be or be not mechanically mixed with any other non-explosive substance.

The nitrate-mixture class comprises such explosives as—

Pyrolithe,
Pudrolithe,
Poudre saxifragine,

and any preparation coming within the above definition.

CLASS 3.—*Nitro-compound Class.*

The term "nitro-compound" means any chemical compound possessed of explosive properties, or capable of combining with metals to form an explosive compound, which is produced by the chemical action of nitric acid (whether mixed or not with sulphuric acid) or of a nitrate mixed with sulphuric acid upon any carbonaceous substance, whether such compound is mechanically mixed with other substances or not.

The nitro-compound class has two divisions.

Division 1 comprises such explosives as—

Nitro-glycerine,	Dualine,
Dynamite,	Glyoxiline,
Lithofracteur,	Methylic nitrate,

and any chemical compound or mechanically mixed preparation which consists, either wholly or partly, of nitro-glycerine or some other liquid nitro-compound. Division 2 comprises such explosives as—

Gun-cotton ordinarily so called.	Cotton gunpowder,
Gun-paper,	Schultz's powder,
Xyloidine,	Nitro-mannite,
Gun sawdust,	Picrates,
Nitrated Gun-cotton,	Picric powder,

Tonite (or cotton powder),

and any nitro-compound as before defined which is not comprised in the first division.

CLASS 4.—*Chlorate-mixture Class.*

The term "chlorate-mixture" means any explosive containing a chlorate.

The chlorate-mixture class has two divisions.

Division 1 comprises such explosives as—

Horsley's blasting powder,
Brain's blasting powder,

and any chlorate preparation which consists partly of nitro-glycerine or of some other liquid nitro-compound.

Division 2 comprises such explosives as—

Horsley's original blasting powder,	Hochstadter's blasting charges,
Erhardt's powder,	Reichen's blasting charges,
Reverley's powder,	Teutonite,

Chlorated gun-cotton,

and any chlorate-mixture as before defined which is not comprised in the first division.

CLASS 5.—*Fulminate Class.*

The term "fulminate" means any chemical compound or mechanical mixture, whether included in the foregoing classes or not, which, from its great susceptibility to detonation, is suitable for employment in percussion-caps or any other appliances for developing detonation, or which, from its extreme sensibility to explosion and from its great instability (that is to say, readiness to undergo decomposition from very slight exciting causes), is especially dangerous.

The fulminate class has two divisions.

Division 1 comprises such compounds as the fulminates of silver and of mercury and preparations of these substances, such as are used in percussion-caps, and any preparation consisting of a mixture of a chlorate with phosphorus, or certain descriptions of phosphorus compounds, with or without the addition of carbonaceous matter, and any preparation consisting of a mixture of a chlorate with sulphur, or with a sulphurate, with or without carbonaceous matter.

Division 2 comprises such substances as the chloride and the iodide of nitrogen, fulminating gold and silver, diazobenzol, and the nitrate of diazobenzol.

CLASS 6.—*Ammunition Class.*

The term "ammunition" means an explosive of any of the foregoing classes when enclosed in any case or contrivance, or otherwise adapted or prepared so as to form a cartridge or charge for small-arms, cannon, or any other weapon, or for blasting, or to form any safety or other fuze for blasting or for shells, or to form any tube for firing explosives, or to form a percussion-cap, a detonator, a fog-signal, a shell, a torpedo, a war-rocket, or other contrivance other than a firework.

The term "percussion-cap" does not include a detonator.

The term "detonator" means a capsule or case which is of such strength and construction, and contains an explosive of the fulminate-explosive class in such quantity that the explosion of one capsule or case will communicate the explosion to other like capsules or cases.

The term "safety fuze" means a fuze for blasting which burns and does not explode, and which does not contain its own means of ignition, and which is of such strength and construction, and contains an explosive in such quantity, that the burning of such fuze will not communicate laterally with other like fuzes.

The expression "safety cartridges" means cartridges for small-arms of which the case can be extracted from the small-arm after firing, and which are so closed as to prevent any explosion in one cartridge being communicated to other cartridges. The term also includes rifle-calibre machine-gun cartridges if they are of the above description, whether they are for use with machine-guns having chambers identical with those of rifles or with machine-guns which have special chambers.

The maximum gauge at which a small-arm cartridge can be accepted as "safety" is one inch. The following are the gauges of the machine-gun cartridges which may be accepted as "safety":—

.303-inch cordite.

Martini-Henry rifle, solid case.

.45-inch Gardner, Gatling and Nordenfeldt, except Martini-Henry chambered guns.

.4-inch.

Cartridges of larger gauge are not safety cartridges.

The ammunition class has three divisions.

Division 1 comprises exclusively—

Safety cartridges,

Safety fuzes for blasting,

Fuzes for shells, and tubes friction for guns, provided there be no more than five fuzes or 25 tubes in one package, and that the package be a hermetically sealed metal cylinder.

Railway fog-signals,

Percussion-caps.

Division 2 comprises any ammunition, as before defined, which does not contain its own means of ignition and is not included in division 1, such as—

Cartridges for small-arms, which are not safety cartridges,
 Cartridges and charges for cannon, shells, mines, blasting, or other like purposes,
 Shells and torpedoes containing any explosive,
 Fuzes for blasting, which are not safety fuzes,
 Fuzes for shells,
 Tubes for firing explosives,
 War-rockets,

which do not contain their own means of ignition.

Division 3 comprises any ammunition, as before defined, which contains its own means of ignition and is not included in division 1, such as—

Detonators,
 Cartridges for small-arms, which are not safety cartridges,
 Fuzes for blasting, which are not safety fuzes,
 Fuzes for shells,
 Tubes for firing explosives,

which do contain their own means of ignition.

By ammunition containing its own means of ignition is meant ammunition having an arrangement, whether attached to it or forming part of it, which is adapted to explode or fire the same by friction or percussion.

CLASS 7.—*Firework Class.*

The firework class has two divisions.

Division 1 comprises firework compositions, that is to say, any chemical compound or mechanically mixed preparation of an explosive or inflammable nature, which is used for the purpose of making manufactured fireworks, and is not included in the former classes of explosives, and also any star and any coloured fire composition, subject to the proviso hereinafter set forth.

Division 2 comprises manufactured fireworks, that is to say, any explosive of any of the foregoing classes and any firework composition, when such explosive or composition is enclosed in any case or contrivance, or is otherwise manufactured so as to form a squib, cracker, toy cap or amorce, serpent, rocket (other than a war-rocket), maroon, lance, wheel, Chinese fire, Roman candle, or other article specially adapted for the production of pyrotechnic effects or pyrotechnic signals or sound signals:

Provided that a substantially constructed and hermetically closed metal case containing not more than 1 lb. of coloured fire composition of such a nature as not to be liable to spontaneous ignition shall be deemed to be a "manufactured firework."

TRANSPORT.

(a) *Packing.*

2. The following general rules shall be observed with respect to the packing of explosives for conveyance:—

I.—Each class of explosive shall be separately packed.

II.—An explosive, not being an explosive of the 5th (fulminate) class, or of the 2nd and 3rd divisions of the 6th (ammunition) class, or of the 1st division of the 7th (firework) class, shall, if not exceeding 5 lbs. in quantity, be contained in a substantial case, bag, canister, or other receptacle made and closed so as to prevent the explosive from escaping.

III.—In every other case the explosive shall be contained in a double package. The inner package shall be a substantial case, bag, canister, or other receptacle made and closed so as to prevent the explosive from escaping, and the outer package shall be a box, barrel, or case of wood or metal or other solid material, and shall be of such strength, construction, and character that it will not be broken or accidentally opened, or become defective or insecure whilst being conveyed, and will not allow the explosive to escape :

Provided as follows :—

- (a) If the explosive is of the 1st (or gunpowder) class or of the 2nd (nitrate-mixture) class, or is gun-cotton or another explosive of the 2nd division of the 3rd (nitro-compound) class, the quantity of the explosive in any one outer package shall not, in the case of explosives of the first two classes, exceed 100 lbs., and in other cases 50 lbs.

If the explosive is picric acid, the inner package must be of such a nature as to effectually prevent any picric acid from coming into contact with any basic metallic oxide.*

- (b) If the explosive belongs to the 1st division of the 3rd (nitro-compound) class or to the 4th (chlorate-mixture) class, the inner package shall be without any metal in its construction, and the inner or outer package, or both, shall be thoroughly waterproof.† No one of the inner packages shall contain more than 10 lbs., and the aggregate quantity of the explosive in any one outer package shall not exceed 50 lbs.

- (c)—1. If the explosive belongs to the 5th (fulminate) class, and is of such character that it cannot be packed mixed with water, or that danger would arise from such mode of packing, it shall be packed in such manner as shall be specially directed by the Governor General in Council.

2. Any other explosive of the fulminate class shall be packed as follows : It shall be packed in bags or coverings of calico, canvas, or other material permeable to water, and containing each not more than 25 lbs. of fulminate, and so made and closed as to prevent any explosive from escaping. Such bags or coverings shall be packed in a case containing sufficient water to ensure the explosive being kept constantly wet, and such case (hereinafter called the inner case) shall be packed in an outer case containing sufficient water constantly to surround the inner case ; and the inner case and the outer case shall each be of such strength, construction, and character that it will not be broken or accidentally opened or become defective or insecure whilst being conveyed, and will not allow any fulminate or water to escape ; and the amount of the explosive in any one outer case shall not exceed 200 lbs., except with the consent of, and under conditions approved by, an Inspector of Explosives.
3. Every package when actually used for the packing of one fulminate shall not be used for the packing of any other fulminate or for any other purpose.
4. On the outer case there shall be affixed in conspicuous characters by means of a brand or securely attached label or other mark the word " Explosive," with the name of the explosive followed by the words " Fulminate, Division 1 " (or 2 as the case may be) and the name and address of the owner or sender.

* *Note*.—This rule is intended to prevent picric acid being packed in a case lined with certain metals, such as zinc or lead, which would result in danger arising from the formation of a picrate. Waterproof bags inside powder-barrels are suggested as a simple and safe method of packing picric acid for transport or storage.

† *Note*.—From the requisition that the package should be waterproof are excepted—

(1) All explosives falling in the 2nd division of the 4th (chlorate-mixture) class.

(2) Those explosives, included in the 1st division of the 3rd (nitro-compound) class which do not yield up their nitro-glycerine in contact with water, such as blasting gelatine, gelatine dynamite, cordite and ballistite and gelignite : provided that any other substance than those named has been certified to be of this character by a Chief Inspector of Explosives.

(d)—1. If an explosive belongs to the 1st division of the 6th (ammunition) class, it shall be contained in a box, barrel, or case of wood, metal, or other solid material, and of such strength, construction, and character that it will not be broken or accidentally opened, or become defective or insecure whilst being conveyed, and will not allow any explosive to escape.

2. If the explosive belongs to the 2nd division of the 6th (ammunition) class, the following rules shall apply, *viz.* :—

(i) A shell or torpedo containing any explosive material, whether such shell or torpedo be separate or form part of a rocket or other appliance, shall be packed in such manner as may be specially directed by the Governor General in Council with reference to such explosive.

(ii) Any explosive material when made up into a cartridge or charge for cannon, shells, mines, blasting, or other like purposes, shall be packed in the manner required for the same explosive material when not so made up :

Provided that where a double package is required, the enclosing case of such cartridge or charge, if it satisfies the conditions required for the inner package, may be held to be such inner package.

(iii) Any other explosive of the 2nd division shall be packed in a box, barrel, or case of wood, metal, or other solid material, and of such strength, construction, and character that it will not be broken or accidentally opened, or become defective or insecure whilst being conveyed, and will not allow any explosive to escape : and any one such package shall not contain more than 100 lbs. of ammunition.

(e) If the explosive belongs to the 3rd division of the 6th (ammunition) class, it shall be packed in a double package. The inner package shall not contain more than 2 lbs. of such explosive and no more than 50 lbs. shall be contained in the outer package.

(f) If the explosive belongs to the 1st division of the 7th (firework) class, it shall be contained in a double package. The inner package shall be a substantial canister, case, or other receptacle hermetically closed, and containing no more than 1 lb. of explosive, and no more than 20 lbs. shall be contained in the outer package ; and,

(g) If the explosive belongs to the 2nd division of the 7th (firework) class, it shall be contained in a box, barrel, or case of wood, metal, or other solid material, and of such strength, construction, and character that it will not be broken or accidentally opened, or become defective or insecure whilst being conveyed, and will not allow any explosive to escape, and the quantity of explosive in any one package shall not exceed 100 lbs.

IV.—Whatever be the amount of the explosive, and to whatever class or division of a class it belongs, the following conditions shall be observed :—

(a) the interior of every package, whether single or double, shall be kept free from grit and otherwise clean ;

(b) every package, whether single or double, when actually used for the packing of the explosive, shall not be used for the packing of any other explosive of the same or any other class or for any other purpose, except with the consent of, and under conditions approved by, an Inspector of Explosives ;

(c) there shall be any iron or steel in the construction of any such single package or inner or outer package unless the same is effectually covered with tin, zinc, or other suitable material ;

(d) on the outermost package there shall be affixed, in conspicuous characters, by means of a brand or securely attached label or mark, the word " Explosive " followed by the name of the explosive or other description of the contents and the name and address of the owners or senders ; and

- (c) the amount of the explosive in any single package or, if there is a double package, in any one outer package, shall not exceed the amount specified in the foregoing rules, except with the consent of, and under conditions to be approved by, an Inspector of Explosives or other officer appointed by the Local Government in this behalf.

3. Whoever commits a breach of any of the foregoing rules relating to the packing of explosives for conveyance shall be punishable with fine which may extend to Rs. 1,000.*

(b) Mode of conveyance.

4. The following general rules shall be observed with respect to the conveyance of explosives:—

I.—No explosive shall be conveyed from place to place unless packed in the manner provided for in the foregoing rules.

II.—There shall not be conveyed in any carriage or vessel which is being used for the conveyance of an explosive, any explosive of a different class and division, of whatsoever nature, which contains its own means of ignition, unless it is sufficiently separated therefrom to prevent any fire or explosion which may take place in one such explosive being communicated to another.

III.—Except in the case of small consignments carried by railway, which may be unloaded at any time, explosives shall be loaded or unloaded only between sunrise and sunset. For the purposes of this rule no consignment of more than half a wagon-load booked to one station shall be deemed to be a small consignment.

IV.—Whilst the explosive is being loaded on or unloaded out of any carriage or vessel, no fire or artificial light, nor any article which is liable to cause or communicate fire or explosion [such as charcoal, lucifer-matches, articles for striking a light, petroleum to which the Petroleum Act (XII of 1886) or any other Act for the time being in force regarding the importation, possession, and transport of petroleum, applies, or any spirit or oil or substance that gives forth an inflammable vapour at a temperature below 100° Fahrenheit] shall be, or shall be allowed to be, brought, had or used dangerously near to such carriage, ship, or boat, and no smoking shall be allowed in, on or dangerously near to, the same:

Provided that when the use of a light for the purposes of such loading or unloading is unavoidable, a lamp of such construction, position, or character as not to cause any danger from fire or explosion may be used; and no person, while handling any explosive (except an explosive of division 1, class 6, or an explosive of class 7, if packed in accordance with the packing rules), shall wear boots or shoes with iron or steel nails, heels or tips.

V.—In the loading or unloading of any explosive, the casks and packages containing the same shall be passed from hand to hand and not rolled upon the ground; they shall not be thrown or dropped down, but shall be carefully deposited and stowed.

VI.—The explosive shall not be conveyed except in the interior of a carriage so enclosed on all sides with wood or metal, or in the hold of a ship or boat having a close deck so closed, as effectually to protect the explosive against accident by fire from without. If the explosive cannot be so secured, it shall be completely covered with painted cloth, tarpaulin, or other suitable material so as to effectually protect it against communication of fire.

VII.—There shall not be any iron or steel in the interior of the portion of the carriage or vessel with which the case containing the explosive is in contact, unless the same is effectually covered with leather, wood, cloth, or other suitable material.

VIII.—In the stowing of the explosive, due precautions shall be taken by means of a partition or otherwise and by careful stowing to secure such explosive from being brought into contact with, or endangered by, any other article or substance conveyed

* Rules regarding search for, and detention of, explosives contravening regulations have been issued by the Local Governments.

in such carriage or vessel which is liable to cause fire or explosion ; and if the explosive is dangerously affected by water, due precautions shall be taken to exclude water from coming into contact with such explosive.

IX.—The amount of the explosives conveyed in any one carriage or vessel at any one time shall not exceed 2,000 lbs. unless the carriage be so enclosed on all sides with wood or metal, or the vessel have a close deck so closed, as effectually to protect the explosive against accident by fire from without, in which case the amount of the explosives conveyed shall not exceed the following :—

	Tons.
In any one carriage on a railway	10
In any one other carriage	2
In any one vessel	20

NOTE.—This rule shall, in the case of dynamite conveyed by railway, be read subject to paragraph XII of Rule 6.

X.—Nothing in the foregoing rules (except Rule I) shall apply to any explosive of the 1st division of the 6th (ammunition) class :

Provided that all due precautions are taken for the prevention of accidents.

5. The following rules shall be observed with respect to the conveyance of explosives otherwise than by railway :—

I.—No explosive shall be conveyed in a carriage or boat whilst carrying or plying for public passengers, unless the quantity is less than 5 lbs. and notice has been given beforehand to the person in charge of such carriage or boat :

Provided that there shall not be conveyed in any such carriage or boat any explosive of the 5th (fulminate) class or any explosive of the 3rd division of the 6th (ammunition) class, or of the 1st division of the 3rd (nitro-compound) class, except—

(i) dynamite which may be carried in the form of cartridges up to the limit of 5 lbs. :

Provided that no detonators are carried in the same compartment ; and

(ii) detonators to the number of 200 :

Provided that the amount of explosive of the 5th (fulminate) class in the detonators shall in no case exceed in the aggregate 3 oz. (a certificate to this effect being given by the Agent of the Company by whom the detonators are tendered for transport) :

Provided also that no dynamite is carried in the same compartment.

II.—With respect to the conveyance by carriage or vessel of explosives of the 5th (fulminate) class, or of the 3rd division of the 6th (ammunition) class, or of the 1st division of the 7th (firework) class, or of larger quantities than 5 lbs. of any other explosive, the following regulations shall be observed :—

(1) The person in charge of the carriage or vessel shall not drive or conduct the same in a dangerous or reckless manner, and shall take all due precautions to avoid fire and explosion, and no person shall do any act or thing in relation to the explosive which tends to cause fire or explosion, and is not reasonably necessary for the conveyance of the explosive or for work immediately connected with such conveyance ; and a person who is intoxicated shall not have charge of any carriage or vessel conveying explosive, and shall not be permitted to be in, or on, or attending the same.

(2) A person shall not forward to any warehouseman or carrier a consignment of explosive, unless he has given notice to such warehouseman or carrier beforehand, stating the name and quantity of the explosive proposed to be conveyed, and the name and address of the proposed consignee, and has had an intimation that the warehouseman or carrier is prepared to receive the consignment ; and a warehouseman or carrier shall not make such an intimation, nor receive such consignment, unless he is prepared to receive it, and forthwith to despatch the same, or to deposit it in a magazine or at a place at which a person is licensed to possess the same.

- (3) The carriage or vessel conveying the explosive shall be in charge of, and constantly attended by, some competent person, or by a sufficient number of competent persons, and such persons shall not, if the amount of the explosive conveyed exceed 100 lbs., stop or delay for a longer time than may be reasonably necessary, or stop unnecessarily at any place where such stopping would be attended with special public danger.

6. The following rules shall be observed with respect to the conveyance of explosives by public railway :—

I.—No person shall send for carriage upon any railway any consignment of an explosive, unless he has given to the officer in charge of the railway station previous notice in writing which, at the option of the Railway Administration, may extend to 48 hours, of his intention to send such consignment, and stating the true name, description, quantity, and mode of packing of the explosive proposed to be conveyed, and his own name and address, and also the name and address of the proposed consignee, and unless he has had an intimation in writing from an authorised officer of the railway that such consignment will be received.

II.—No explosive which a Railway Administration shall, by any notice or regulation for the time being in force, notify that they will not receive, shall be brought, sent, or forwarded to, or upon, any railway of the said Railway Administration.

III.—Consignments of explosives shall be sent to the forwarding station and shall be received by the railway servants only at such times, between sunrise and sunset, as the Railway Administration may appoint; and every package containing any explosive proposed to be conveyed on any railway shall immediately on arrival at the station be unloaded and placed in a safe place under the special direction of the officer in charge of the station.

All gunpowder under despatch or receipt by a Government arsenal, dépôt, or factory, shall be loaded or unloaded in the railway vans by Government servants employed in such arsenal, dépôt, or factory. In each van used by the railway for the transport of gunpowder the packages of gunpowder shall be secured in such a way as to prevent concussion when the train is in motion.

IV.—An explosive shall be removed by the consignee from the receiving station during the twelve hours of daylight after arrival: if this condition is not strictly complied with, the Railway Administration may return the consignment to the consignor at his risk and expense. And such packages shall in the meanwhile be kept as far away from the station buildings as possible, in the wagon they were conveyed in, or, if unloaded, shall be completely covered with tarpaulins or other suitable material, and, if necessary, shall be protected by a police guard.

V.—The Railway Administration may refuse to receive any packages which they suspect to contain any explosive packed or sent in contravention of these regulations. And in case any package, which the Railway Administration suspect, shall be upon any railway, the Railway Administration may open, or require to be opened, such package, to ascertain the fact, at the risk and expense of the consignor, and may return the explosive contained in the package to the consignor at his risk and expense, keeping the packages, pending such return, in the manner prescribed in the preceding rule.

VI.—Subject to the exception provided for in clause (e), no explosive shall be conveyed by passenger-train except of the kinds and in the manner hereinafter specified in this rule :—

(a) Safety cartridges and percussion-caps and safety-fuze (for blasting), also fog-signals for railway use which may be conveyed in ordinary wagons or carriages.

(b) Dynamite which may be carried in the form of cartridges up to the limit of 5 lbs. :

Provided that no detonators are carried in the same compartment.

(c) Detonators which may be carried to the number of 200 :

Provided that in no case the amount of fulminate of mercury in the package or packages containing the detonators exceeds in the aggregate 3 oz. (a certificate to this effect being given by the Company, firm, or person tendering the detonators for transport or by its or his agent) :

Provided also that no dynamite is carried in the same compartment.

(d) Sporting gunpowder or non-safety cartridges packed in double cases as before provided, so long as the gunpowder is contained in one-pound tin canisters packed in a stout wooden case with an outer covering of tin or zinc completely spark-proof, or in metal-lined cases of a pattern approved by the Railway Administration. But no outer case shall contain more than 25 lbs. of gunpowder, and the total consignment of gunpowder or non-safety cartridges by one train shall not exceed 80 lbs.

(e) Explosives may be carried by mixed trains on any line on which goods-trains are not running, subject to the conditions that not more than one vehicle containing explosives is forwarded at any one time by a mixed train ; that the precautions prescribed for conveyance by goods trains are observed ; and that directly a wagon containing explosives arrives at a section on which goods trains are running, it is detached from the mixed trains.

VII.—Not more than five carriages containing explosives shall be loaded or unloaded at any railway station, or be conveyed by any one train at any one time ; and the quantity of explosive to be contained in any one carriage shall not exceed two-thirds of the normal load, unless the carriages shall be specially built and approved of by the Government of India for the conveyance of explosives. But nothing in this clause shall be held to apply to separate consignments of small-arms ammunition.

VIII.—There shall not be conveyed in the same carriage with any explosive any lucifer or other matches, fuzes, pipelights, acids, naphtha, paraffine, petroleum to which the Petroleum Act (XII of 1886), or any other Act for the time being in force regarding the importation, possession, and transport of petroleum, applies, or any other volatile spirit or substance liable to give off an inflammable vapour or liable to spontaneous ignition, or to cause or communicate fire or explosion.

IX.—The consignor shall attach to the consignment note a certificate or (provided the original is produced for verification) copy of a certificate, signed by an officer authorised by the Local Government in this behalf that the explosive, if it is an explosive of class 3 or 4, is of the standard purity ; and further, in the case of dynamite, and all nitro-glycerine compounds, that there are no signs of exuded nitro-glycerine or of liquefaction. The consignor shall also certify that the explosive has been packed in accordance with the packing rules in force in England or in British India.

X.—In the case of explosives under classes 3 and 4 the outer packages shall be marked with the date of the manufacture of the explosives. The abovementioned certificate shall contain sufficient information to admit of all packages being easily recognised.

XI.—The certificate referred to in Rule IX shall be valid for six months after date, if the examination has been made between the 15th October and 31st March ; but any Railway Administration which accepts dynamite for transport may demand a fresh certificate for dynamite presented for conveyance between 1st April and 15th October (both inclusive).

XII.—Packages containing dynamite shall be stowed in one layer only and secured so as to prevent movement during transit, and the gross load in any one wagon shall not exceed 3 tons :

Provided that, if the packages of dynamite are in rectangular form and are properly secured so as to prevent movement during transit, they may be stowed in any number of layers not exceeding five, and the gross load in any one wagon shall not exceed 5 tons.

XIII.—No explosive belonging to the 5th (fulminate) class or to class VI, division 3, shall be carried in the same train with dynamite, or with any other explosive belonging to class III, division 1.

XIV.—Wagons used for the carriage of explosives shall be examined to see that they are spark-proof, and have been cleaned out before they are loaded. Hair, cloth, hides, or other suitable materials shall be spread on the floor of the wagon and between each layer of packages, except when the packages are covered with gunny or felt, or contain small-arms ammunition packed in tin-lined service-pattern boxes.

XV.—Wagons containing explosives shall be loaded and unloaded on sidings distant as far as possible from the station buildings.

XVI.—Five layers of packages in rectangular form and of uniform size (provided they are double packages, and are so secured as to prevent movement during transit) may be packed one above another. Otherwise not more than three layers of packages containing explosives shall be packed one above another. But in the case of small-arms ammunition packed in tin-lined service-pattern boxes, there is no restriction. Subject to the provisions of Rule 4 (III), the loading and unloading of explosives when once begun shall be diligently proceeded with until the same is completed.

XVII.—When the train is being marshalled, wagons loaded with explosives may be shunted by a locomotive, if they are separated from the engine by not less than three wagons containing no explosive nor easily inflammable substance. This precaution is not necessary with wagons specially constructed for the carriage of explosives. The speed of these movements shall be restricted to 5 miles an hour; they shall be superintended by a duly authorised officer, who shall be held responsible for the observance of these orders. Flying shunts are strictly prohibited.

XVIII.—Wagons containing explosives shall be placed at the end of the train away from the locomotive, and shall be close coupled to one another, as well as to the adjoining wagons, and preceded and followed by three wagons not loaded with explosives or other traffic of an inflammable nature.

XIX.—If the wagons employed in the transport of explosives are provided with brakes; the brakes thereon shall on no account be worked while the wagons are running with a train, nor shall brakes, other than iron brakes, on vehicles immediately adjoining such wagons, be worked while such wagons are so running.

XX.—Wagons shall in every case be locked when loaded with explosives.

XXI.—All operations connected with the transshipment of explosives at junction stations shall take place during daylight.

7. Whoever commits a breach of any of the foregoing rules relating to the mode of conveyance of explosives shall be punishable with a fine which may extend to Rs. 100.

IMPORTATION.

8. An explosive shall not be imported by sea into British India, except under, and in accordance with, the conditions of a license to import the explosive granted under these rules :

Provided that any explosive other than an explosive specified in Rule 11 may, previous to the grant of an importation license, if certified to be of British manufacture or, if not of British manufacture, if imported from the United Kingdom and covered by the certificate granted by one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Explosives in England, be landed in accordance with such regulations as the Local Government may prescribe in this behalf, and be stored in a place set apart by the Local Government for this purpose. The Governor General in Council may extend this privilege to any such explosive not of British manufacture regarding which he is satisfied that it has been manufactured under adequate official supervision.

Before any explosive is landed under the proviso to this rule, the consignee shall give to the Chief Customs Officer of the Port such undertaking, with or without security, as the said officer thinks sufficient, to obey, in the event of the explosive failing to satisfy the prescribed tests, such directions as to its disposal as the Local Government may see fit to prescribe.

If samples are taken by an officer deputed by the Chief Customs Officer on board the ship on its arrival the procedure shall be that prescribed in Rule 15.

9. Whoever imports an explosive in contravention of Rule 8 shall be punishable with fine which may extend to three thousand rupees.

10. An explosive shall not be imported by sea except at the ports of Calcutta, Madras, Bombay, Rangoon, Calicut, Karachi, and Aden; but a license to import an explosive by sea from Rangoon into the ports of Akyab, Moulmein, Sandoway, Kyouk-Phyoo, Tavoy, and Mergui may be granted by the Magistrate of the Districts in which these ports are respectively situated. The fee payable in respect of each such license shall be one rupee, and the license shall be in Form A in the Schedule hereto annexed.

11. If the explosive is gunpowder or an explosive of the 1st division of the 6th (ammunition) class or an explosive of the 7th (firework) class, the license to import the same may be granted at the ports of Calcutta, Madras, and Bombay by the Commissioner of Police, and at the ports of Rangoon, Calicut, Karachi, and Aden by the District Magistrate.

12. The fee payable in respect of each such license shall be Rs. 10; but, if any explosive imported under a license into a British port is exported thence to another British port named in Rule 10, the necessary license for such re-import may be granted on payment of a fee of one rupee instead of Rs. 10.

13. Licenses for the importation by sea of any explosives other than those specified in Rule 11 shall be granted by the Local Government or by some officer specially authorised by the Local Government in this behalf.

14. No license shall be granted for the importation of any explosive of the description referred to in Rule 13, if it be an explosive for which a test or examination has been prescribed by or under the orders of the Government of India, unless samples of the explosive taken as hereinafter provided are certified by the Chemical Examiner or some other officer appointed by the Local Government in this behalf to have passed the test or examination from time to time prescribed.

15. On the arrival in any port at which the importation of explosives is lawful, of a ship having on board an explosive other than an explosive of the description referred to in Rule 11, such officer as the Chief Customs Officer authorises in this behalf shall, as soon as may be, proceed on board and shall, if testing or examination is requisite under the last preceding rule, obtain samples of the explosive.

All explosives of which samples are taken for examination shall be forthwith deposited in a duly licensed place or places of storage, and shall not be distributed for use until the importer has received from the licensing authority notice that it may be so distributed.

The master of the ship shall give to the said officer, without charge, such samples as he may require. The said officer shall affix to each such sample the name of the ship and of the consignee and such other distinguishing marks as he may think necessary, and shall forward the same to the Chemical Examiner or officer, as aforesaid, for report.

The Chemical Examiner or officer as aforesaid, after testing the said samples, shall without delay forward to the licensing authority, through the Chief Customs Officer, a report under his signature certifying whether the explosive has satisfied the prescribed test.

15-A. Explosives, other than those referred to in Rule 11, which have already undergone the test prescribed by Rules 14 and 15 at the ports of Calcutta, Madras, Bombay, Rangoon, Calicut, Karachi, or Aden, may be re-imported by sea into any other of those ports under a license granted under Rule 13, without re-testing, but subject, in the case of such explosives as are mentioned in Rule 6, Clause IX, to the production of the certificate prescribed in that clause.

Such certificate shall be valid for six months after date, if the examination has been made between the 15th October and 31st March; but in the case of dynamite, a fresh certificate may be demanded if the consignment is imported between the 1st April and 15th October (both inclusive).

16. The period for which a license to import an explosive, granted under Rule 13, shall continue in force shall not exceed such period as may seem necessary to the authority granting the license.

17. The fee payable on a license granted under Rule 13 shall be Rs. 10, but, if any explosive imported under a license into a British port is exported thence to another British port named in Rule 10, the necessary license for such re-import may be granted on payment of a fee of one rupee instead of Rs. 10.

18. Every license granted under Rules 11 and 13 shall be in Form A in the Schedule hereto annexed, and shall be subject to the conditions therein prescribed, and also to such additional conditions with respect to the time and place of unloading, landing, delivery and conveyance of the explosive, and such other conditions as may in each case be thought by the licensing officer to be necessary for the public safety or in the interests of the State.

19. Whoever commits a breach of any condition subject to which a license under Rules 11 and 13 is granted, shall be punishable with fine which may extend to three thousand rupees.

GENERAL.

20. Every license granted under these rules shall be liable to be forfeited on breach of any of the conditions subject to which it is granted.

21. If a person licensed to import an explosive dies or becomes bankrupt or becomes mentally incapable or otherwise disabled, the person carrying on the business of such licensee shall not be liable to any penalty or forfeiture under the Indian Explosives Act (IV of 1884) or the rules thereunder for acting under the license during such reasonable time as may be necessary to allow him to make an application to the authority granting the license for a new license in his own name during the currency of the unexpired portion of the original license. Such new license shall be granted on payment of one rupee.

22. The fees leviable under these rules shall be taken in the shape of impressed stamps. Ordinarily the applications for licenses or renewals of licenses shall, if not otherwise provided, be written on impressed stamps of value equal to the amount of fee leviable in respect of such licenses or renewals, the licenses themselves being issued on plain paper. But when the licenses themselves are written or printed on impressed stamps, the application may be on plain paper. When an application for license is written on an impressed stamp, and the license is refused, the value of the stamp will, on application, be refunded to the applicant.

23. When a license granted in accordance with these rules is lost, or accidentally destroyed, a duplicate may be granted to the licensee on payment of a fee of 8 annas.

24. Any person holding a license, or acting under a license granted in accordance with these rules, shall be bound to produce the same when called upon to do so by any Magistrate, or by any Police officer in charge of a Police station, or by any Police officer of higher rank.

25. All Magistrates or other authorities acting under these rules shall perform their duties subject to the control of their executive superiors and of the Local Government.

26. Any authority empowered to grant a license under the foregoing rules may, if he thinks fit, direct by any order written on the license that it shall have the effect of a like license under the Indian Arms Act (XI of 1878).

27. Any persons lawfully entitled under the Indian Arms Act (XI of 1878), or the rules thereunder, to possess any explosive coming under the head of ammunition, as defined in that Act, may possess or import without license under these rules any such explosive in reasonable quantities for his own private use: but when an explosive is so imported, the Collector of Customs or any other officer empowered by the Local Government in this behalf by name or by virtue of his office may at any time detain such explosive until he receives the orders of the Local Government thereon.

FORM A.

(See Rules 11, 13 and 18).

FEE TEN RUPEES IN STAMPS

License to import Explosives into the Port of _____

Name, etc., and address of license-holder.	Number of packages.	EXPLOSIVE.			Purpose for which required.	Destination.	Period for which the license is valid.
		Description.	Weight.	Number.			
							From the _____ th of _____ to the _____ _____ th of _____ _____ 189 .

 The _____ of _____
 _____ 189 .

Seal.

(Signature)

_____ of _____

Conditions.

1. This license is given subject to the provisions of the Indian Explosives Act (IV of 1884) and the rules thereunder. Certain general rules are quoted separately below.
2. This license shall become void after expiry of the period named thereon.
3. This license is valid for importation only: if the articles named herein are to be transported to any place outside the Presidency Town, they must be protected by a transport license, to be issued in accordance with the rules under the Indian Arms Act (XI of 1878).
4. On the outside of each package there shall be affixed in conspicuous characters by means of a brand or securely attached label or mark the word "Explosive," followed by the name of the explosive or other description of the contents and the name and address of the owners or senders.

GENERAL RULES.

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Rule for Testing Explosives.

No. 1394.—With reference to Rule 14 of the Rules to regulate the transport and importation of explosives, published with Home Department Notification No. 1393, dated the 8th July 1897, the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following Rule on the subject of the tests which explosives should be required to pass before their importation is permitted :

RULE.

Class 1.—Gunpowder class. Gunpowder is not required to pass a test.

Class 2.—Nitrate-mixture class. Nitrate-mixture explosives are not ordinarily required to pass a test. The Local Government, however, or the authorized officer granting the import license under Rule 13 of the Rules to regulate the transport and importation of explosives published with Home Department Notification No. 1393, dated the 8th July 1897, may in any particular case or class of cases require that a sample of the explosive which is to be imported be sent first to the Chemical Examiner for an analysis of its constituent parts.

Class 3.—Nitro-compound class. It is for explosives of this class that testing is chiefly required, in respect to the purity of their composition and their liability to liquefaction or exudation. The tests prescribed for nitro-compound explosives are contained in Schedule A attached to this rule.

Class 4.—Chlorate-mixture class. See Schedule A for remarks regarding the testing of this class^(a).

Class 5.—Fulminate class. No test has been laid down for explosives of the Fulminate class^(a).

Class 6.—Ammunition class. No test is required for explosives of the 1st Division of this class. If the substances of which explosives of the 2nd and 3rd Divisions are composed have to be tested under the preceding rules, they will be equally liable to be tested when enclosed in any case or contrivance and thus falling under the Ammunition class.

Class 7.—Firework class. Explosives of this class are not required to pass a test.

SCHEDULE A.

Heat Test as applied to Explosives of the Nitro-compound Class.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS.

Apparatus required.

1. A water bath, consisting of a spherical glass or copper vessel [(a) Fig. 1] of about 8 inches diameter, and with an aperture of about 5 inches; the bath is filled with water to within a quarter of an inch of the edge. It has a loose cover of sheet copper about 6 inches in diameter (b), and rests on a tripod stand about 14 inches high (c), which is covered with coarse iron wire gauze (e), and is surrounded

(a) Licenses are not at present given for the importation into British India of any explosives of these classes.

with a screen of thin sheet tin or copper (*d*). Within the latter is placed an Argand burner (*f*), with glass chimney. The cover (*b*) has four holes arranged as seen in Fig. II, No. 4 to receive the regulator, No. 3 the thermometer, Nos. 1 and 2 the test-tubes containing the gun-cotton or other materials to be tested. Around holes 1 and 2 on the under side of the cover are soldered three pieces of brass wire with points slightly converging (Fig. III); these act as springs and allow the test-tubes to be easily placed in position and removed.

Fig. I.

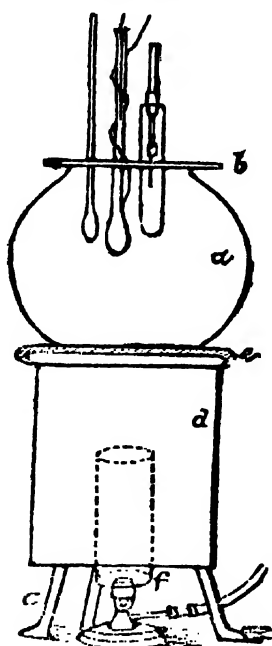


Fig. II.

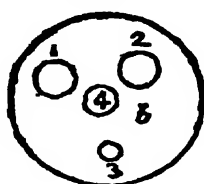


Fig. IV.



Fig. III.



* 2. Scheibler's or Page's temperature regulator.

* 3. Two cells of Le Clanché's battery No. 1 } if Scheibler's regulator is used.

* 4. A few yards of insulated copper wire

5. Test tubes from $5\frac{1}{4}$ to $5\frac{1}{2}$ inches long, and of such diameter that they will hold from 20 to 22 cubic centimeters of water when filled to a height of 5 inches.

6. India-rubber stoppers, fitting the test-tubes and carrying an arrangement for holding the test-paper, *viz.*, a narrow glass tube passing through the centre of the stopper, drawn out so as to form a hook, or terminating in a platinum wire hook (Fig. IV).

7. A thermometer, with range not less than from 30° to 212° Fahrenheit.

8. A minute clock.

Materials required.

(a) *Test-paper.*—The test-paper is prepared as follows :—45 grains of white maize starch (cornflour), previously washed with cold water, are added to $8\frac{1}{2}$ ounces of distilled water, the mixture is stirred, heated to boiling, and kept gently boiling for 10 minutes; 15 grains of pure potassium iodide (*i.e.*, which has been re-crystallized from alcohol) are dissolved in $8\frac{1}{2}$ ounces of distilled water. The two solutions are thoroughly mixed and allowed to get cold. Strips, or sheets, of white English filter paper previously washed with water and re-dried are dipped into the solution thus prepared, and allowed to remain in it for not less than 10 seconds; they are then allowed to drain and dry in a place free from laboratory fumes and dust. The upper and lower margins of the strips, or sheets, are cut off, and the paper is preserved in well-stoppered or cork bottles, and in the dark.† The dimensions of the pieces of test-paper used are about $\frac{1}{10}$ inch by $\frac{2}{10}$ inch (10 mm. by 20 mm.).

* This is not absolutely required, as the temperature of the bath can be kept constant by proper attention to the heating flame.

† When a paper is freshly prepared, and as long as it remains in good condition, a drop of dilute acetic acid put on the paper with a glass rod, produces no coloration. In process of time, however, the stronger the light to which the paper is exposed, the sooner a drop of the acid produces a brown or bluish coloration (a single hour of direct sunlight produces a marked effect), and whenever this is the case, the paper should be rejected. On this account it is advisable not to prepare too much of the test-paper at one time, but to prepare it fresh every month or so.

(b). *Standard tint paper*.—A solution of caramel in water is made of such concentration that when diluted one hundred times (10 cc. made up to 1 litre) the tint of this diluted solution equals the tint produced by the Nessler test in 100 cc. water containing 0.000075 grm. of ammonia or 0.00023505 grm. of chloride of ammonium. With this caramel solution lines are drawn on strips of white filter paper* by means of a clean quill pen. When the marks thus produced are dry the paper is cut into pieces of the same size as the test-paper previously described, in such a way that each piece has a brown line across it near the middle of its length, and only such strips are preserved in which the brown line has a breadth varying from $\frac{1}{2}$ mm. to 1 mm. ($\frac{1}{50}$ of an inch to $\frac{1}{25}$ of an inch).

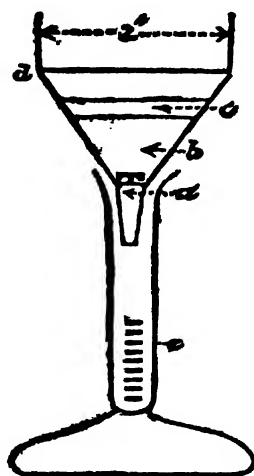
I.—Testing Dynamite, Blasting Gelatine, and other Explosives of the First Division of the Nitro-compound class.

A.—DYNAMITE, ETC., ETC.

Nitro-glycerine preparations, from which the nitro-glycerine can be extracted in the manner described below, *must* satisfy the following test, otherwise they will not be considered as manufactured with “thoroughly purified nitro-glycerine” within the terms of the license.†

Apparatus required.

A funnel 2 inches across (d), a cylindrical measure divided into grains (e). (See sketch.)



Mode of operation.

About 300 to 400 grains of dynamite (b) finely divided are placed into the funnel, which has previously been loosely plugged by some freshly-ignited asbestos (a).

The surface is smoothed by means of a flat-headed glass rod or stopper, and some clean washed and dried Kieselguhr (c) is spread over it to the depth of about $\frac{1}{8}$ inch.

Water is next carefully dropped from a wash bottle upon this Kieselguhr, and when the first portion has been soaked up, more is added; this is repeated until sufficient nitro-glycerine has been collected in the graduated measure (e) below.

If any water should have passed through with the nitro-glycerine, it should be removed with a piece of blotting paper, and the nitro-glycerine, if necessary, filtered through a dry paper filter.

* This paper must be carefully washed with distilled water, in the first instance, to remove any traces of bleaching matter, and dried.

† This test, though at present looked upon as the most important, as far as testing the purity of the nitro-glycerine is concerned, is in England only one of several which any given sample of nitro-glycerine preparation has to satisfy in order to establish its compliance with the definition in the license.

Application of the Test.

The thermometer is fixed so as to be inserted through the lid of the water bath described under I, page 2, into the water (which is to be steadily maintained at a temperature of 160° Fahr.) to a depth of $2\frac{3}{4}$ inches. Fifty grains of nitro-glycerine, to be tested, are weighed into a test-tube in such a way as not to soil the sides of the tube. A test-paper is fixed on the hook of the glass rod so that when inserted into the tube it will be in a vertical position. A sufficient amount of a mixture of half distilled water and half glycerine to moisten the upper half of the paper is now applied to the upper edge of the test-paper, by means of a camel's-hair pencil, the cork carrying the rod and paper is fixed into the test tube and the position of the paper adjusted so that its lower edge is about half-way down the tube; the latter is then inserted through one of the perforations of the cover to such a depth that the lower margin of the moistened part of the paper is about five-eighths of an inch above the surface of the cover. The test is complete when the faint brown line which after a time makes its appearance at the line of boundary between the dry and moist part of the paper equals in tint the brown line of the standard tint paper.

The nitro-glycerine under examination will not be considered as "thoroughly purified" within the terms of the license unless the time necessary to produce the standard tint as above described is at least 15 minutes.

B.—BLASTING GELATINE, GELATINE DYNAMITE, AND ANALOGOUS PREPARATIONS.

Fifty (50) grains of blasting gelatine are to be intimately incorporated with one hundred (100) grains of French chalk.* The mixture is to be gradually introduced into a test-tube of the dimensions prescribed above for the dynamite heat test, with the aid of gentle tapping upon the table, between the introduction of successive portions of the mixture into the tube, so that when the tube contains all the mixture it shall be filled to the extent of $1\frac{3}{4}$ inches (one inch and three-quarters) of its height. The test-paper is then to be inserted and the heat is to be applied in the manner prescribed above for the dynamite heat test, and the sample tested is to withstand exposure to 160° Fahr. for a period of ten (10) minutes, before producing a discoloration of the test-papers corresponding in tint to the standard colour test which is employed for governing the results of the dynamite heat test.

(For Exudation and Liquefaction tests for Blasting Gelatine, etc., etc., see Appendix, p. 7.)

N.B.—Non-gelatinized nitro-glycerine preparations, from which the nitro-glycerine cannot be expelled by water, are tested without any previous separation of the ingredients, the temperature being as above (160° Fahr.) and the time being seven (7) minutes.

C.—CORDITE AND BALLISTITE.

1. *Apparatus required.*

The apparatus necessary for the application of the heat test to cordite is identical with that described above (see page 2) for explosives of the nitro-compound class generally† with the addition of a mill and a nest of sieves similar to those used at Waltham Abbey for preparing the cordite for testing (see instructions below).

* This can be readily effected by carefully working the two materials together with a wooden pestle in a wooden mortar.

The French chalk should be of good commercial quality, and after being carefully washed with distilled water and dried in a water oven, it should be exposed under a bell jar to moist air until it has taken up about 0.5 per cent. of moisture. It should then be bottled for use; and with ordinary care the limits of 0.5 per cent. can be maintained in keeping.

† In the Waltham Abbey apparatus the cover (Fig. II) has all the holes around the circumference, instead of having one in the centre and three around the circumference.

2. Preparation of the sample to be tested.

Pieces half an inch long are cut from one end of every stick selected for the test; in the case of the thicker cordites, each piece so cut is further subdivided into about four portions. These cut pieces are then passed two or three times through the mill, the first portion of material which passes through being rejected on account of the possible presence of foreign matter from the mill. The ground material is put on the top sieve of the nest of sieves and sifted. That portion which has passed through the top sieve and been stopped by the second is taken for the test. After each sample has been ground, the mill must be taken to pieces and carefully cleaned.

3. Application of the Test.

The thermometer is fixed so as to be inserted through the lid of the water bath, described under I, page 2, so as to be immersed in the water to a depth of $2\frac{3}{4}$ inches. The water is maintained at a constant temperature of 180° Fahr. When this temperature is reached, 25 grains of the sifted cordite are put into one of the test-tubes, and collected at the bottom by gentle tapping. A test-paper is fixed on to the hook of the glass rod, so that when inserted into the tube it will be in a vertical position. A mixture of equal parts of distilled water and pure glycerine (Price's) is now applied to the upper edge of the test-paper by means of a camel's-hair pencil, in sufficient amount to moisten the upper half; the stopper carrying the rod and paper is fixed into the test-tube and the position of the paper adjusted so that its lower edge is about half-way down the tube; the latter is then inserted through one of the perforations of the cover to the same depth as the thermometer. The lower margin of the moistened part of the paper should then be about five-eighths of an inch above the surface of the cover. The test is completed when the faint brown line, which after a time makes its appearance at the margin between the wet and dry portions of the test-paper, equals in depth of tint the brown line drawn on the standard tint paper.

4. The time which elapses between the insertion of the test-tube and the completion of the test must not be less than 15 minutes.

N.B.—In the case of ballistite the treatment is the same, except that when it is in a very finely granulated condition it need not be cut up.

II.—Testing Gun-cotton, Schultze Gunpowder, E. C. Powder, and other Explosives of the 2nd Division of the Nitro-compound Class.

A.—GUN-COTTON, TONITE, ETC., ETC.

Sufficient material to serve for two or more tests is removed from the centre of the cartridge by gentle scraping, and, if necessary, further reduced by rubbing between the fingers.

The fine powder thus produced is spread out in a thin layer upon a paper tray 6 inches by $4\frac{1}{2}$ inches, which is then placed inside a water oven, kept, as nearly as possible, at 120° Fahr.

The wire gauze shelves in the oven should be about 3 inches apart. The sample is allowed to remain at rest for 15 minutes in the oven, the door of which is left wide open.

After the lapse of 15 minutes the tray is removed and exposed to the air of the room for two hours, the sample being at some point within that time rubbed upon the tray with the hand, in order to reduce it to a fine and uniform state of division.

Application of the Test.

The cover of the water bath is fitted with the gas regulator which is inserted through the centre hole (No. 4). The thermometer is fixed into hole No. 3. The water in the bath is then heated to 170° Fahr., and the regulator set to maintain that

temperature. Twenty grains of the sample to be tested are weighed out, placed in the test-tube, and gently pressed down until the specimen occupies a space of as nearly as possible $1\frac{5}{16}$ inches in a test-tube of the dimensions specified. A test-paper is affixed to the hook of the glass rod or tube, and moistened by touching the upper edge with a drop of distilled water containing 50 per cent. of Price's glycerine. The quantity of liquid used must be only sufficient to moisten about half of the paper. The cork carrying the rod and test-paper is then fixed into the test-tube, and the latter inserted into the bath to a depth of $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches, measured from the cover, the regulator and thermometer being inserted to the same depth. The test-paper is to be kept near the top of the test-tube, but clear of the cork until the tube has been immersed for about five minutes. A ring of moisture will about this time be deposited upon the sides of the test-tube a little above the cover of the bath; the glass rod must then be lowered until the lower margin of the moistened part of the paper is on a level with the bottom of the ring of moisture in the tube; the paper is now closely watched. The test is complete when a very faint brown coloration makes its appearance at the line of boundary between the dry and moist parts of the paper.

The interval of time between the first insertion of the tube containing the sample of gun-cotton in the water at 170° and the first appearance of discoloration on the paper constitutes the test, and this interval of time must be not less than 10 minutes, or the sample will not be accepted as properly purified.

B.—GELATINIZED GUN-COTTON PREPARATIONS.*

Twenty-five grains introduced into test-tube of the dimensions prescribed for the dynamite heat test, then proceed as for Blasting Gelatine, etc., taking the temperature at 180° Fahr., and the time as 15 minutes.

C.—SCHULTZE POWDER, E. C. POWDER, COLLODION COTTON, ETC., ETC.

Sufficient of the sample, without further mechanical division, is dried in the oven as above, and then exposed for two hours to the air. The test as directed above for Compressed Gun-cotton, etc., is then applied, the minimum duration of test being the same, *viz.*, 10 minutes.

D.—PICRIC ACID.

(1) The material shall contain not more than 0.3 part of mineral or non-combustible matter in 100 parts by weight of the material dried at 160° Fahr.

(2) One hundred parts of the dry material shall not contain more than 0.3 part of total (free and combined) sulphuric acid, of which not more than 0.1 part shall be free sulphuric acid.

(3) Twenty grains of the material shall stand the heat test as laid down for dynamite (*see ante*, p. 3) for not less than 15 minutes.

E.—AMMONITE, BELLITE, ROBURITE, AND EXPLOSIVES OF SIMILAR COMPOSITION.

These are required to stand the same heat test as gun-cotton (*see ante*, p. 5).

III.—Testing Chlorate Mixtures.

No tests have yet been laid down, as at present there are no authorized explosives of this class, but in the event of any being authorized, it would be

* If in a compressed form it should be broken up in the same manner as cordite and ballistite.

necessary to require that they should satisfy the heat test laid down for Gun-cotton, and from time to time the degree of sensitiveness to percussion or friction (especially a glancing blow) should be observed.

APPENDIX.

Exudation and Liquefaction Test for blasting Gelatine, Gelatine Dynamite, and Analogous Preparations.

TEST FOR LIQUEFACTION.

A cylinder of blasting gelatine is to be cut from the cartridge to be tested, the length of the cylinder to be about equal to its diameter and the ends being cut flat.

The cylinder is to be placed on end on a flat surface without any wrapper, and secured by a pin passing vertically through its centre.

In this condition the cylinder is to be exposed for one hundred and forty-four (144) consecutive hours (six days and nights) to a temperature ranging from 85° to 90° Fahr. (inclusive), and during such exposure the cylinder shall not diminish in height by more than one-fourth of its original height, and the upper cut surface shall retain its flatness and the sharpness of its edge.

N.B.—If the blasting gelatine and the gelatine dynamite to be tested be not made up in a cylindrical form, the above test is to be applied with the necessary modifications.

TEST FOR LIABILITY TO EXUDATION.

There shall be no separation from the general mass of the blasting gelatine or gelatine dynamite of a substance of less consistency than the bulk of the remaining portion of the materials under any conditions of storage, transport, or use, or when the material is subjected three times in succession to alternate freezing and thawing, or when subjected to the liquefaction test hereinbefore described.

The 9th July, 1897.

No. 1415.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct as follows:

(a) For clause (2), paragraph I, of the Notification by the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 518, dated the 6th March 1879, the following shall be substituted, namely,—

“(2) all Members and ex-Members of the Legislative Councils of the Governor General, the Governors of Madras and Bombay, and the Lieutenant-Governors of Bengal, the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, the Punjab and Burma:”

and

(b) In clauses 18 and 19 of the same paragraph of the same Notification, for the words “Chief Commissioner of Burma,” and in the Notification of the Government of India in the same Department, No. 321, dated the 10th March 1893, for the words “Chief Commissioner,” the words “Government of Burma” shall be substituted.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 8th July, 1897.

No. 529.—The services of Mr. E. Galbraith, of the Indian Civil Service, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh.

No. 531.—The services of the undermentioned officers are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Assam :

Mr. S. G. Hart, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Dacca.

Mr. T. C. Hodson, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Backergunge.

Mr. A. J. Chotzner, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Tippera.

The 9th July, 1897.

No. 536.—The services of Mr. J. B. Brunyate, of the Indian Civil Service, Under Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, are placed at the disposal of the Finance and Commerce Department.

MEDICAL.

The 5th July, 1897.

No. 699.—The services of Surgeon-Captain F. M. Mangin, A.M.S., are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the date on which he made over charge of his duties under the Government of the Punjab.

No. 702.—The services of the undermentioned officers are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the dates on which they respectively made over charge of their duties under the Government of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh :

Surgeon-Captain C. Dalton, A.M.S.

Surgeon-Captain J. F. M. Kelly, M.B., A.M.S.

The 8th July, 1897.

No. 712.—Surgeon-Captain D. G. Marshall, M.B., C.M., I.M.S. (Bengal), is appointed to be Professor of Materia Medica and Pathology in the Lahore Medical College, substantive *pro tempore*, with effect from the 12th February 1897.

No. 714.—The services of Surgeon-Captain D. G. Marshall, M.B., C.M., I.M.S. (Bengal), are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the 15th May 1897.

No. 717.—Surgeon-Captain J. Murray, M.B., I.M.S. (Bengal), is re-appointed to be Professor of Materia Medica and Pathology in the Lahore Medical College, with effect from the 15th May 1897.

SANITARY.

The 9th July, 1897.

No. 1795.—The following draft of a Notification which it is proposed to issue in exercise of the powers conferred by section 58 of the Pilgrim Ships Act, 1895 (XIV of 1895), is published for the information of all persons likely to be affected thereby, and notice is hereby given that the said draft will be taken into consideration by the Governor General in Council on or after the 10th August 1897.

2. Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person, with respect to the draft before the date aforesaid, will be considered by the Governor General in Council :

Draft Notification.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 58 of the Pilgrim Ships Act, 1895 (XIV of 1895), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following clause shall be inserted after clause (3) of Rule 67 of the rules published in the Notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 262, dated the 5th October 1896 :

(4) If the owner or agent neglects or refuses, on presentation, as provided by clause (3), of the cancelled ticket, to refund to the pilgrim the passage money paid by him, such owner or agent shall be punishable with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees, and with a further fine which may extend to twenty rupees for each day after the day on which the ticket was presented, during which the refund remains unpaid.

No. 1806.—The following telegram regarding the quarantine and trade restrictions imposed in Switzerland in consequence of the existence of bubonic plague in India is published for general information :

Telegram, dated the 2nd July 1897.

From—The Secretary of State, London,
To—The Viceroy, Simla.

Switzerland.—Prohibition mentioned in my telegram of 16th* February last has been cancelled.

* Published in the *Gazette of India* under Home Department Notification No. 583, dated the 19th February 1897.

No. 1807.—The following telegram regarding the grant of Bills of Health to Sailing Vessels and sambuks sailing from Aden to the Red Sea Ports is published for general information :

Dated the 5th July 1897.

From—The Secretary of State, London,
To—The Viceroy, Simla.

Following telegram sent to Aden, 5th July. Plague. Constantinople Board of Health desire Bills of Health given to every Sailing Vessel and sambuk from Aden to the Red Sea Ports, stating destination, number of crew and passengers, and nature of cargo.

J. P. HEWETT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATION.

FAMINE.

Simla, the 6th July, 1897.

No. 2431—105-45-F.—The services of Lieutenant H. H. Moore, 14th Regiment of Madras Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces, for famine duty.

DENZIL IBBETSON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 5th July, 1897.

No. 2556-I. A.—With reference to the notification of the Home Department, No. 398 (Medical), dated the 30th April, 1897, the services of Surgeon-Captain W. E. Hardy, A.M.S., are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the date of his relief by pensioned 1st Grade Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Surgeon-Captain J. Hamilton.

The 7th July, 1897.

No. 1050-G.—The services of Surgeon-Captain H. Burden, Indian Medical Service (Bengal), are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of his duties as Agent Surgeon in Gilgit.

The 8th July, 1897.

No. 1060-G.—The undermentioned officer was granted leave out of India, on medical certificate, under the leave rules for the Staff Corps ; the specified period to count from the 29th January, 1897, the date of his departure from Basrah :

Surgeon-Captain W. Henvey, Indian Medical Service (Bengal), officiating Residency Surgeon and *ex-officio* Assistant to the Political Resident in Turkish Arabia for six months.

Pension service—sixth year, commenced 28th July, 1896.

The 9th July, 1897.

No. 2617-I.-B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 3631-I., dated the 21st September, 1892, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the transfer of the following Civil appeal and applications pending before the Resident at Hyderabad by virtue of his jurisdiction over the Cantonment of Secunderabad, to the Court of

the Judicial Commissioner of the Hyderabad Assigned Districts:

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| | { Ferosha Dorabji
of Secunder-
abad, | { Appel-
lant. |
| | <i>versus</i> | |
| (1) Second Appeal
No. 4 of 1897. | { Ookarji Fakirji,
Pleader and
others of
Hyderabad. | { Respon-
dents. |
| | <i>versus</i> | |
| (2) Application No.
4 of 1897, under
section 622 of the
Civil Procedure
Code. | { Narasampally Ra-
mannah and
others of Bolarum,
<i>versus</i>
N. Abbiah Tailor
and 3 others of
Bolarum. | { Appel-
lant. |
| | <i>versus</i> | |
| | { The Firm of Bans-
helal Abir-
chand, repre-
sented by
owner Rai
Bahadur Kas-
turchand at
present resid-
ing at Bikaner,
the business
whereof is con-
ducted in Re-
sidency Bazars,
Hyderabad,
through his
Munim Shiolalji, | { Respon-
dents. |
| | <i>versus</i> | |
| (3) Application No. 5
of 1897 under sec-
tion 622 of the
Civil Procedure
Code. | { Hormasji Dorabji,
Proprietor of
the firm of
Hormasji and
Co., Coach-
builders carry-
ing on business
at Sappers
Lines, Secun-
derabad. | { Appel-
lant. |

No. 2618-I.-B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 3633-I., dated the 21st September, 1892, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the transfer of the following Civil application pending before the Resident at Hyderabad: by virtue of his jurisdiction over the Hyderabad Residency Bazars, to the Court of the Judicial Commissioner of the Hyderabad Assigned Districts:

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| | { Chandoobai, widow
of Shedoobhai,
and 2 others of
Hyderabad | { Appel-
lant. |
| | <i>versus</i> | |
| (1) Application No.
3 of 1897, under
section 622 of the
Civil Procedure
Code. | { Amonji, son of Da-
dooji, butcher
of Issa Miya
Bazar, Hyder-
abad. | { Respon-
dent. |

W. J. CUNINGHAM,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Simla, the 8th July, 1897.

No. 2970-Gl—The services of Mr. W. S. Meyer, Officiating Deputy Secretary to the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department, are replaced at the disposal of the Home Department, with effect from the 5th July 1897.

The 9th July, 1897.

No. 3057-Gl—Mr. A. H. Anthony, Assistant Comptroller General in charge of the Paper Currency Office, Calcutta, is granted privilege leave for three months, with effect from the 1st August 1897.

Mr. J. P. Bedford, Assistant Accountant General, Bengal, is posted as Assistant Comptroller General in charge of the Paper Currency Office, Calcutta, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. Anthony, or until further orders.

Mr. M. A. N. A. Hydari, Assistant Accountant General, Bombay, is posted as Assistant Accountant General, Bengal, *vice* Mr. Bedford.

J. F. FINLAY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 9th July, 1897.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 739.—The undermentioned officer is appointed to the staff of the Malakand Brigade, with effect from the date specified:

To be Provost Marshal.

Lieutenant H. E. Cotterill, Royal West Surrey Regiment, Assistant Superintendent, Army Signalling, Malakand Brigade, *vice* Captain J. C. Sutherland, who has vacated. Dated 19th June 1897.

ARMY STAFF.

No. 740.—Colonel A. A. Saunders, Royal Artillery, to be Colonel on the Staff, Royal Artillery, Head-Quarters, Madras Command, with the temporary rank of Brigadier-General, while so employed, *vice* Major-General R. Alexander, Royal Artillery, who has vacated. Dated 14th June 1897.

No. 741.—Captain G. S. F. Napier, Oxfordshire Light Infantry, officiating Staff Captain, to be Staff Captain, Intelligence Branch, Quartermaster-General's Department, *vice* Captain J. A. Douglas, appointed Deputy Assistant Quartermaster General. Dated 5th June 1897.

COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

No. 742.—Lieutenant H. W. Berthon, Indian Staff Corps, 5th Regiment of Bombay (Light) Infantry, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 2nd class, on probation, with effect from the 4th May 1897. [Joined his appointment on the 23rd June 1897.]

DISTRICT STAFF.

No. 743.—Colonel A. McC Bruce, General List Infantry, Bengal, Colonel on the Staff, Ferozepore, to officiate in command of a second class district in India, with the temporary rank of Brigadier-General, while so employed, *vice* Brigadier-General D. J. S. McLeod, D.S.O., General List Cavalry, Madras, commanding the Bangalore district, appointed to officiate in command of a district of the 1st class. Dated 19th June 1897.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 744.—Brigade Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel M. D. O'Connell, M.D., Army Medical Staff, to officiate on the Administrative Medical Staff of the Army, with the temporary rank of Surgeon-Colonel, *vice* Surgeon-Colonel R. H. Carew, D.S.O., appointed Principal Medical Officer, Tochi Field Force. Dated 23rd June 1897.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 745.—Lieutenant William Frank Cambridge, Scottish Rifles, wing officer, 1st Regiment of Sikh Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 21st May 1895, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

NATIVE ARMY.

No. 746.—*2nd Regiment of Bombay Lancers*—

Risaldar Mitt Singh, appointed on probation in G. G. O. No. 1158 of 1896, is confirmed in that rank, with effect from the 17th December 1896.

No. 747.—The following direct appointment is made, with effect from the date of joining:

8th Regiment of Bengal Infantry.

Ajudhya Parshad Singh to be Jemadar, on probation, to fill an existing vacancy.

FIELD OPERATIONS.

TOCHI

No. 748.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 697 of 1897, the following appointments are sanctioned during the operations of the Tochi Field Force, with effect from the dates on which the officers assume their duties:

Colonel W. J. Vousden, V.C., Indian Staff Corps, Commandant, 5th Regiment of Punjab Cavalry, and officiating Colonel on the Staff, Sialkote, to be Colonel on the Staff and Base Commandant at Edwardesabad.

Captain C. P. Scudamore, D.S.O., Royal Scots Fusiliers, to be Station Staff officer, 1st class, at Edwardesabad.

No. 749.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 697 of 1897, Lieutenant E. M. J. Molyneux, Indian Staff Corps, 12th Regiment of Bengal Cavalry, to be Transport Officer, Advanced Depot, Tochi Field Force.

JUDICIAL.

No. 750.—The following draft of certain rules, which it is proposed to make for all cantonments in British India in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 26 and 27 of the Cantonments Act, 1889 (XIII of 1889), in supersession of the rules published in G. G. O. No. 460, dated 3rd May 1895, is, as required by section 27 of that Act, hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby, and notice is given that the draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 10th day of August 1897.

Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the draft before the date fixed as aforesaid, will be taken into consideration by the Governor-General in Council.

DRAFT RULES.

Definitions.

1. In these rules,—

- (a) the expression "bazar" means any land set apart for occupation by natives of India, except the lines of native troops;
- (b) the expression "regimental bazar" means any bazar under the management of regimental authorities;
- (c) the expression "infectious or contagious disorder" includes cholera, leprosy, enteric fever, venereal disease and every infectious or contagious disorder;
- (d) the expression "owner" includes the person for the time being receiving the rent of lands and buildings, or either of them, whether on his own account or as agent or trustee for any person or society or for any religious or charitable purpose, or who would so receive the same if the land or building were let to a tenant; and
- (e) the expression "street" includes any way, road, lane, square, court, alley, passage or open space, whether a thoroughfare or not and whether built upon or not, over which the public have a right of way, and also the roadway and footway over any public bridge or causeway.

Information to be given of existence of infectious or contagious disorder.

2. Whoever,—

- (a) being a medical practitioner, in the course of practice becomes cognizant of the existence of any infectious or contagious disorder in any dwelling, other than a public hospital or dispensary, in the cantonment, or, in default of such medical practitioner,

(b) being the owner or occupier of such dwelling, is cognizant of the existence of any infectious or contagious disorder therein, or, in default of such owner or occupier,

(c) being the person in charge of, or in attendance on, any person suffering from any infectious or contagious disorder in such dwelling, is cognizant of the existence of such disorder therein,

shall be bound to give information to the Cantonment Authority respecting the existence of such disorder:

Provided that a person not required to give information in the first instance, but only in default of some other person, shall not be held to be bound to give information under this rule if it is shown that he had reasonable cause to suppose that the information had been, or would be, duly given.

3. (1) So far as the funds at its disposal permit, the Cantonment Authority may—
Hospitals or dispensaries.

(a) provide and maintain, either within or without the cantonment, as many hospitals or dispensaries as may be necessary; or

(b) make upon such terms as it thinks fit to impose, a grant-in-aid to any hospital or dispensary, whether within or without the cantonment, not maintained by it.

(2) Every hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under this rule shall have attached to it a ward or wards for the treatment of persons suffering from infectious or contagious disorders.

4. A medical officer to be appointed in such manner as the Local Government may direct, shall be in charge of every hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under rule 3.
Medical officer to be in charge of hospital or dispensary.

5. Subject to the control over the Cantonment Fund which is vested in the Local Government by section 23 of the Cantonments Act, 1889, there shall be appointed, for every hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under rule 3, such subordinate establishment as may be necessary.
Subordinate establishments for hospitals or dispensaries.

6. So far as the funds at its disposal permit, the Cantonment Authority shall cause every hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under rule 3 to be provided with—
Medical supplies, appliances, etc.

(a) all necessary drugs, instruments, apparatus, furniture and appliances;

(b) sufficient cots, bedding and clothing for in-patients; and

(c) such further requisites as may be necessary.

7. Every hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under rule 3 shall be maintained in accordance with the rules made generally or specially by the Governor General in
Application of civil hospital rules.

Council, or the Local Government for the conduct of hospitals and dispensaries, or in accordance with the said rules modified in such manner as the Governor General in Council or the Local Government may think proper.

8. At every hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under rule 3, the sick poor of the cantonment, persons in the cantonment suffering from infectious or contagious disorders and, with the sanction of the Cantonment Authority, any other sick persons may receive medical treatment free of cost and, if treated as in-patients, shall be either dieted gratuitously or, should the medical officer in charge so direct, granted subsistence allowance on a scale to be determined by the Cantonment Authority:
Free patients.

Provided that the subsistence allowance granted as aforesaid shall not be less than the lowest allowance for the time being fixed for the subsistence of judgment-debtors by the Local Government under section 338 of the Code of XIV of 1882 Civil Procedure.

9. Any sick person who is ineligible under the last foregoing rule to receive medical treatment free of cost in any hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under rule 3, may, upon such terms as the Cantonment Authority thinks fit to impose, be admitted to treatment in such hospital or dispensary.
Paying patients.

10. If the medical officer in charge of a hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under rule 3 has *prima facie* grounds for believing that any person living in the cantonment is suffering from an infectious or contagious disorder, he may, by notice in writing in the form set forth in the schedule or in any similar form, call upon such person to attend at the hospital or dispensary at a time to be specified in the notice and not to quit it without the permission of the medical officer in charge unless and until such medical officer is satisfied, by examination if necessary, that such person is not in fact suffering, or is no longer suffering, from such disorder:
Power to call upon person suffering from infectious or contagious disorder to attend and remain in the hospital or dispensary.

Provided that, if, having regard to the nature of the disorder, or the condition of the person suffering therefrom, or the general environment and circumstances of such person, the medical officer considers the attendance of such person at the hospital or dispensary inexpedient, he may dispense with such attendance and take such measures or give such directions as to him seem fit and proper.

11. If the medical officer in charge of a hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under rule 3 reports in writing to the Commanding Officer of the cantonment that any person having received a notice as provided in rule 10 has refused or omitted to attend at the hospital or dispensary, or that such person having attended at the hospital or dispensary, has quitted it without the permission of such medical officer, the Commanding Officer may, if he thinks it expedient, by order in writing direct such person to remove from the cantonment within twenty-four hours and prohibit such
Power to exclude from cantonment.

person from remaining longer in, or re-entering, it without his written permission.

Removal of brothels or prostitutes.

12. The Cantonment Authority may, by notice in writing, prohibit—

- (a) the keeping of a brothel, or
- (b) the residence of a public prostitute, in any specified part of the cantonment.

13. No public prostitute shall be permitted to

Exclusion of public prostitutes from regimental bazars.

reside within the limits of any regimental bazar situate in the cantonment.

14. No person shall, in any street or public

Loitering or importuning for sexual immorality prohibited.

place within the limits of the cantonment loiter for the purpose of prostitution or importune any person to the commission of sexual immorality:

Provided that no person shall be charged with a breach of this rule except on the complaint of the person importuned or of a member of the British military police-force employed in the cantonment and specially authorized in this behalf by the Commanding Officer of the cantonment, or of an officer as defined in the Cantonments Act, 1889.

XIII of 1889.

Penalties.

15. (1) Whoever, being bound by rule 2 to give information to the Cantonment Authority respecting the existence of an infectious or contagious disorder, fails to give information or gives false information, shall be punishable with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

(2) Whoever,—

(a) having, under rule 11, been prohibited from remaining in, or re-entering, the cantonment, remains in, or re-enters, it without the written permission of the Commanding Officer; or

(b) fails to comply with a notice under rule 12; or

(c) commits a breach of rule 14;

shall be punishable with fine, which may extend to fifty rupees, or with imprisonment for a term which may extend to eight days.

16. Any member of the police-force employed in the cantonment may arrest without a warrant, any person committing, or charged with having committed, an offence punishable under clause (2) (a) or clause (2) (c) of the last foregoing rule:

Provided as follows:—

(i) no person shall be so arrested whose name and address are known to either the complainant or the arresting officer;

(ii) no person shall be so arrested who consents to give his or her name and address, unless there is reasonable ground for doubting the accuracy of the name or address so given, the burden of proof of which shall be on the arresting officer:

(iii) no person so arrested shall be detained after his or her name and address have been ascertained;

(iv) no person so arrested shall, except under the order of a Magistrate, be detained longer than may be necessary for bringing him or her before a Magistrate; and

(v) no person shall be so arrested for a breach of rule 14 except—

(a) at the request of the person importuned or of an officer as defined in the Cantonments Act, 1889, in whose presence the breach was committed; or

(b) by, or at the request of, a member of the British military police-force employed in the cantonment and specially authorised in this behalf by the Commanding Officer of the cantonment, in whose presence the breach was committed.

SCHEDULE.

(See Rule 10.)

To _____

Take notice that under rule 10 of the Rules under the Cantonments Act, 1889 (XIII of 1889), published in the *Gazette of India*, 1897, Part I, page— you are hereby called upon to attend at the _____

on _____ day, the _____

_____, 189____, at _____ o'clock _____ M., and not to quit the said ^{hospital} _{dispensary} without the permission of the medical officer in charge unless and until such officer is satisfied that you are not in fact suffering, or are no longer suffering from an infectious or contagious disorder, that is to say from _____

Medical Officer in charge of the

Dated _____, the _____, 189____

PROMOTIONS.

No. 751.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

To be Major.

Captain Kenneth Mackenzie Foss,—3rd July 1897.

No. 752.—Subject to Her Majesty's approval, the undermentioned officer is granted the temporary rank of Major, whilst serving as regimental second-in-command, Indian Army:

Captain Edmund Charles Thwaytes. Dated 9th May 1897.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Bengal.

No. 753.—Sub-Conductor Bertram Charles Taylor, Overseer, Small Arms Ammunition Factory, Dum Dum, to be Conductor, *seconded*;

Sub-Conductor William Edmund Bowder to be Conductor,—

with effect from the 6th June 1897, *vice* Conductor George Howard Briggs, deceased.

No. 754.—Sub-Conductor James Riley, on probation, Assistant Overseer, Harness and Saddlery Factory, Cawnpore, *seconded*, is confirmed in his present grade, with effect from the 14th December 1896.

No. 755.—Store Sergeant John Thomas Davis to be Sub-Conductor, with effect from the 17th June 1897, *vice* Sub-Conductor S. R. Allwright, *seconded*.

Bombay Command.

No. 756.—Sub-Conductor John Quinn, on probation, 2nd class clerk, Office of Inspector-General of Ordnance, Bombay Command, *seconded*, is confirmed in his present grade, with effect from the 22nd December 1896.

NATIVE ARMY.

No. 757.—*7th (The Duke of Connaught's Own) Regiment of Bengal Infantry*—

Jemadar Bakht Bali Singh to be Subadar and Havildar Dalip Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Mahabal Singh, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 1st April 1897.

No. 758.—*33rd (Punjab) Regiment of Bengal Infantry (Pioneers)*—

Jemadar Tilok Singh, 14th (The Ferozepore Sikh) Regiment of Bengal Infantry, to be Subadar, *vice* Baga Singh, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the date of transfer.

No. 759.—*2nd Battalion, 3rd Gurkha (Rifle) Regiment*—

Havildar Bhadrabir Thapa to be Jemadar, *vice* Pahl Sing Thapa, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 6th April 1897.

No. 760.—*6th Regiment of Madras Infantry*—

In G. G. O. No. 612 of 1897, for "Mand Ram Singh" read "Nand Ram Singh."

No. 761.—*24th Regiment of Madras Infantry*—

Havildar Narayan Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Virasami, transferred to the 19th Regiment of Madras Infantry, with effect from the 1st February 1897.

No. 762.—*5th Regiment of Bombay (Light) Infantry*—

Jemadar Shaikh Budhan to be Subadar and Color-Havildar Boolan Khan to be Jemadar, *vice* Kristnajorao Erundkar, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 18th May 1897.

No. 763.—*12th Regiment of Bombay Infantry*—

Color-Havildar Handu Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Ganu Sakunde, transferred to the 10th Regiment of Bombay (Light) Infantry, with effect from the 27th March 1897.

No. 764.—*22nd Regiment of Bombay Infantry*—

Color-Havildar Nabi Husain to be Jemadar, *vice* Subadar Sarfraz Khan, deceased, with effect from the 25th March 1897.

PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE.

No. 765.—*3rd Regiment of Sikh Infantry*—

Havildar Pála Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Bishn Singh, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 1st June 1897.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

MEDALS.

No. 766.—His Excellency the Governor-General of India has been pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon the under-mentioned officers of the Indian Volunteer Force, who have been duly recommended for the same under the Royal Warrant, dated 24th May 1894 (India Army Circulars, 1894, clause 101):

1st Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

Captain William Young O'Sullivan.

Honorary Captain and Paymaster Horace Boulton Spooner.

Hyderabad Volunteer Rifles.

Honorary Chaplain the Reverend William Forest Archibald.

Volume I, Part II; the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :

Lieutenant S. D. Vale, Royal Indian Marine, for six months.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

No. 44.—The undermentioned officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Secretary of State for India :

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

Engineer E. J. Ellery, Royal Indian Marine, (m. c.) for three months.

No. 43.—The undermentioned officer is permitted to proceed on leave out of India on private affairs under the leave rules contained in paragraph 131, Marine Regulations, India,

P. J. MAITLAND, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.**NOTIFICATION.**

Simla, the 9th July, 1897.

Statement of Deposits on account of Estates between the 26th June and the 9th July 1897.

On whose account.	Rank.	Corps.	Date of decease.	Testate	Total unclaimed amount deposited.	Amount paid in India.	Date to which claims will be received.
					<i>Rs. a. p.</i>		
Dugald Blair Brown	Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel.	Army Medical Staff.	27th January 1896.	Testate	2,586 4 6		
Francis Ferdinand (a)	Assistant-Surgeon	Indian Sub-ordinate Medical Department (Bengal).	1st December 1896.	No will found.	475 7 8		8th September 1897.

(a) *Next-of-kin*—Brother—Patrick Ferdinand.

Address—Lance Nauck, 20th Madras Infantry, Vizianagram.

P. J. MAITLAND, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.**NOTIFICATIONS.**

Simla, the 3rd July, 1897.

No. 258.—Mr. W. E. S. McGregor in Class III, Grade 1, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, Traffic Department, is promoted to Class II, Grade 4 of that Establishment, with effect from the 1st April 1897.

The 6th July, 1897.

No. 259.—Mr. T. E. Ivens, Superintending Engineer, 1st Class, Punjab, is permitted to retire from the service, with effect from the afternoon of the 11th July 1897, under Article 712 (c) of the Civil Service Regulations.

The 8th July, 1897.

No. 261.—The Governor General in Council is pleased, under section 16 (i) of the Indian Railways Act (IX of 1890), to sanction the use of locomotive engines and of rolling stock to be drawn or propelled thereby on the colliery railways at Dandot and Bhaganwala.

No. 262.—Mr. W. E. Curry, Examiner of Accounts, is appointed Government Examiner of Accounts, Burma Railways.

No. 263.—Mr. A. Grant, Examiner of Accounts, is, on return from furlough, reappointed Examiner of Accounts, Bezwada-Madras Railway.

No. 264.—Rai Sahib Gyan Chunder Roy, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, Rajputana and Central India, was permitted to retire from the service of Government, with effect from the afternoon of the 28th June 1897, under Article 719 of the Civil Service Regulations.

The 9th July, 1897.

No. 265.—Mr. F. A. Higman, District Traffic Superintendent in Class II, Grade 2 of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is permitted to retire from the service of Government, with effect from the afternoon of the 3rd July 1897.

The 8th July, 1897.

No. 260.—The following is published for general information :

No. 532 R. T., dated Simla, the 3rd July, 1897.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Public Works Department.

General Rules for working railways open for traffic.

Read—

Section 47 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890.

Government of India, Public Works Department, notification No. 267, dated the 11th June 1890, appointing the Director General of Railways as the officer who, under section 47 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890, is to make General Rules for railways administered by the Government.

Letter from the Director General of Railways, No. 258-T., dated the 12th June 1897.

OBSERVATIONS.—The Director General of Railways has applied that the accompanying General Rules may be made applicable to the colliery railways at Dandot and Bhaganwala.

RESOLUTION.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the application to the colliery railways at Dandot and Bhaganwala of the accompanying General Rules.

ORDER.—Ordered that this resolution and its enclosure be published under a notification in Part I of the *Gazette of India*, as required by section 47, sub-section (3), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890; also that the same General Rules be kept at railway stations as directed by sub-section (6) of the same section.

Ordered, also, that this resolution and its enclosures be communicated to the Director General of Railways, for information and guidance.

[Enclosure to the Government of India, Resolution No. 532 R. T., dated the 3rd July 1897.]

**General rules for working the colliery railways at Dandot and Bha-
ganwala made under the authority of Section 47 (1) of the Indian
Railways Act, IX of 1890.**

ation.

- 1. The Dandot railway shall comprise the following sections :**

Upper Incline to 10 South Mine.

- Upper Incline to High Bank.

High Bank to Pidh station.

Foot of Incline to Coal platform in Dandot railway station.

- 1a. The Bhaganwala railway shall comprise the following sections :**

Head of Incline to Crossing station.

Crossing station to Coal platform.

Foot of Incline to Bhaganwala railway station.

riage of passengers and goods or the public prohibited.

2. The above railways are not opened for the public carriage of passengers, which is absolutely prohibited; but servants or contractors of the North Western railway may be carried, if they are provided with passes signed by the authorized officer.

2a. The carriage of goods, other than the property of the North Western railway or of its servants or of contractors of the North Western railway for which a special permit is granted, is also prohibited.

tem of working
mine.

3. Only one engine in steam, or two or more engines coupled together, may be allowed on one section at one and the same time except as provided in rule 21.

goals.

- 4. The following signals shall be used :**

- (a) Red flag or lamp signifying ... " Danger " or " Stop."

- (b) Green " " " Proceed."

- (c) One long whistle signifying ... "Warning to points-
men and gatemen." ...

- (7) Two sharp whistles signifying "Engine ready to start." "All right."

- (c) Three " " " Danger ahead." " Put on brakes."

- (f) Man standing with both arms extended signifying ... "Stop."

- (g) Man waving one arm signifying "Signal to proceed." "Line Clear."

precisely.

5. The speed at which the engines and trucks shall be driven or propelled shall in no case exceed the rate of twelve miles an hour; and the speed at which the engines shall pass through facing points or over portions of the road where the rails of the tramway come within five feet of the road metal shall not exceed the rate of five miles an hour.

5a. The speed of the trains between sunset and sunrise shall not exceed five miles an hour.

of gangs, pointsmen and gatekeepers to have flags and lamps.

6. The mate in charge of each gang, and every pointsman and gatekeeper, shall have in his possession one red and one green flag; and when on night duty, a lamp capable of showing red and green lights.

pointsmen and signalmen not to leave points and signals.

7. Pointsmen and signalmen during their period of duty must not leave the points or signals of which they have charge.

Duties of head pointsmen.

8. Head pointsmen are to see that all points and sidings under their charge are kept in order, and are to report all defects in them to the permanent-way inspector or sub-inspector without delay.

9. Pointsmen must be careful to keep their points clean and clear; and in case of injury or damage to the points, should report the matter to the permanent-way inspector or sub-inspector without delay.

Duties of point men.

10. Head pointsmen are to see that after shunting, the points under their charge are left clear for the main line.

Normal position of points.

11. No engine shall be taken over points until the man in charge of the points has given the proceed signal.

Engine to be signalled over points.

12. Every train shall be provided with an efficient complement of lights, including lights for the engine and brake-van and signal lamps for guard and driver to be lit and used when the train runs between sunset and sunrise. The engine of every train so running shall carry three head lights, *viz.*, one white in the centre and a red light on each buffer head. A red tail light shall also be fixed on the rear of the train.

Night running.

13. The following staff shall travel with each train, *viz.* :

Train staff.

1 driver.

1 fireman (and khalasi, if needed).

1 guard.

14. The driver must see that all parts of his engine are in good working order before starting his train, and shall at any stoppage of the train thoroughly examine the engine to see that all is right. He shall obey the directions of the guard as to the running of his train, and will keep a sharp lookout and obey all signals made to him. The driver shall not leave his engine when on duty unless it is absolutely necessary for him to do so, and under no circumstances may he leave his engine when it is in steam until a competent and responsible person has been placed in charge of it. He shall not start his train until he has received a signal from the guard.

Duties of drivers.

14a. Drivers must always sound the whistle before putting the engine in motion and also before entering any cuttings or tunnels or rounding any curve in which a clear view ahead for 500 ft. cannot be obtained.

14b. Drivers must start and stop their trains carefully so as to avoid, as far as possible, all shock to the couplings and buffers.

14c. Drivers must not allow any unauthorized persons to ride on the engine.

14d. Drivers and firemen must frequently look back during the journey to see that the whole of the train is following in a safe and proper manner; drivers must on no account uncouple from their trains outside station limits without the permission of the guard.

15. The guard shall be in charge of the train when in motion, and shall be responsible that all coupling and draw gear is in good and working order.

Duties of Guards.

15a. He must see before starting the train that all wagon doors are properly shut and fastened, and that the tubs of all tipping wagons are firmly seated on their rockers and that all wagons are properly coupled up.

15b. He shall allow no unauthorised person to travel on any train.

15c. In the case of an accident or derailment whereby the line becomes blocked, the guard shall act as provided in rule 21 of these rules.

15d. In case of its being necessary to uncouple the engine from the train or any part of the train from another part, the guard shall see that before such uncoupling, the wagons are so scotched and spragged that they cannot move by themselves. Special precautions shall be taken on grades. Guards must be responsible that sufficient sprags and scotches are carried for this purpose.

15e. Guards will be responsible that they are in possession of red and green flags when in charge of a train, and that the proper lights are carried by their trains when running at night.

15*f*. The guard must invariably travel in the last wagon of the train except in the case of a water tank or water wagon being attached in rear when he shall ride in the wagon next to such water tank or wagon.

15*g*. The guard will be responsible for seeing that no defective stock is attached to a train.

15*h*. When a train has been brought to a stand at a station it is not to be put in motion again without orders from the guard.

brake-vans. 16. Brake-vans when used shall always be attached to the rear of the trains.

brakes. 17. Every engine to be used on the tramway shall be fitted with an efficient brake.

wheel guards. 18. Every engine shall be fitted at each end with wheel guards close down to the rails and with a whistle.

trolleys. 19. No trolley is to be left standing on the line. All trolleys not in motion shall be taken off and placed on one side of the line.

shunting at level-crossings. 20. Gatemen and pointsmen are to see that all shunting at level-crossings under their charge is carried out with due precautions for the safety of the public. No train shall be left standing on a level-crossing.

accidents. 21. If a train becomes disabled and requires assistance, or if an accident occurs which renders it impossible for the engine (or, if two or more engines are coupled together, for either or both of such engines) to proceed, the guard in charge of the train must instruct the driver to keep the engine stationary until his return, and then proceed to the station from which assistance can best be obtained, and inform the subordinate in charge there of the circumstances.

21*a*. Such subordinate may then allow another engine to enter the line.

21*b*. Such other engine must be accompanied by the guard in charge of the disabled train, who must explain to the driver where, and under what circumstances, the disabled train is situated.

21*c*. Such guard shall be responsible for the safe and proper working of the line until each engine has left it and it is again clear.

publication of rules. 22. A copy of these rules, both in English and in vernacular, shall be posted up in a conspicuous place at each colliery, and copies shall also be given to upper and lower subordinates, drivers, guards, head pointsmen, and mates of permanent-way gangs employed on the colliery railways.

penalties for breaches of rules by railway servants. 23*a*. If any railway servant commits a breach of any of the rules herein after mentioned, he shall be liable to punishment as follows, namely:—

Rule.	Penalty.
3, 5, 6, 7, 11, 12, 14, 14(<i>a</i>) ...	} Fine which may extend to fifty rupees.
14(<i>b</i>), 15, 15(<i>d</i>), 21, 21(<i>b</i>) ...	
14(<i>c</i>)	Fine which may extend to twenty-five rupees.
9	Fine which may extend to ten rupees.

23*b*. Any railway servant who has committed a breach of any of the rules mentioned in clause *a* of this rule shall be liable to the punishment authorised by that clause in addition to, and not in substitution for, any punishment to which he may be liable upon prosecution under the Indian Railways Act, IX of 1890:

Provided that no railway servant shall be thereby rendered liable to be punished twice for the same offence.

W. S. S. BISSET, *Colonel, R.E.*,

Secretary to the Government of India.



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PART V.

Bills introduced in the Council of the Governor General of India for making Laws and Regulations, Reports of Select Committees presented to the Council, and Bills published under Rule 22.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 8th July, 1897 :

NO. 11 OF 1897.

A Bill to repeal the Cantonments Act Amendment Act, 1895, and to amend the Cantonments Act, 1889.

WHEREAS it is expedient to repeal the Cantonments Act Amendment Act, 1895, and to

amend the Cantonments Act, 1889 : It is hereby enacted as follows :

1. (1) This Act may be called the Cantonments Act, 1897, and
Title and commencement.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. The Cantonments Act Amendment Act, 1895, is hereby repealed.
Repeal of Act V of 1895.

3. In section 31 of the Cantonments Act, 1889, for the words "a commanding officer" the words "a commanding medical or other officer" shall be substituted.
Amendment of section 31 of Act XIII of 1889.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The second and third are the operative clauses in this Bill. The second clause proposes to repeal Act V of 1895, which imposed restrictions on the rule-making power conferred by section 26 of the Cantonments Act, 1889 (XIII of 1889). The removal of these restrictions will restore to the Governor General in Council the power to make rules to check the spread of venereal diseases in cantonments, and will give him the same powers in respect of venereal diseases that he has in the case of other contagious and infectious disorders.

The third clause merely extends to medical and other officers, the same protection in the performance of their duties as is already given to cantonment authorities and commanding officers.

The 7th July, 1897.

M. D. CHALMERS.

J. M. MACPHERSON,
Secretary to the Government of India.



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PART VI.

Proceedings of the Council of the Governor General of India, assembled for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA, ASSEMBLED
FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING LAWS AND REGULATIONS UNDER THE
PROVISIONS OF THE INDIAN COUNCILS ACTS, 1861 AND 1892
(24 & 25 VICT., CAP. 67, AND 55 & 56 VICT., CAP. 14).

The Council met at the Viceregal Lodge, Simla, on Thursday, the 8th July,
1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Earl of Elgin, Viceroy and Governor General of India,
P.C., G.M.S.I., G.M.I.E., LL.D., *presiding*.

His Honour Sir William Mackworth Young, K.C.S.I., Lieutenant-Governor
of the Punjab.

His Excellency Sir G. S. White, G.C.I.E., G.C.B., V.C., Commander-in-Chief
in India.

The Hon'ble Sir J. Westland, K.C.S.I.

The Hon'ble Sir J. Woodburn, K.C.S.I.

The Hon'ble M. D. Chalmers.

The Hon'ble Major-General Sir E. H. H. Collen, K.C.I.E., C.B.

The Hon'ble A. C. Trevor, C.S.I.

The Hon'ble Sir H. T. Prinsep, Kt.

SHORT TITLES BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. CHALMERS asked for leave to postpone the motion that the Bill to facilitate the citation of certain Acts be taken into consideration. He said that certain Acts which amended Act X of 1865 and other Acts relating to succession were referred to in the Bill as amendments of the Indian Succession Law. But it had been suggested to him that they should be referred

to as amendments of the Probate and Administration Law. They were already so referred to in the short title of Act VI of 1889. Under the circumstances, he would, with His Excellency's permission, postpone the motion that the Bill be taken into consideration, and at the next meeting of the Council he would make certain formal motions for its amendment in the direction suggested.

Leave was granted.

COURT-FEES ACT, 1870, AMENDMENT BILL.

The Hon'ble SIR JOHN WOODBURN moved that the Bill to further amend the Court-fees Act, 1870, be referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Hon'ble Sir James Westland, the Hon'ble Mr. Chalmers, the Hon'ble Sir Henry Prinsep, the Hon'ble Nawab Sir Amir-ud-Din Ahmad Khan, Khan Bahadur, and the mover.

The motion was put and agreed to.

CANTONMENTS ACT AMENDMENT ACT, 1895, REPEALING BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. CHALMERS moved for leave to introduce a Bill to repeal the Cantonments Act Amendment Act, 1895, and to amend the Cantonments Act, 1889. He said :—" Perhaps I may be allowed on this motion to explain the objects of the proposed legislation.

" The Bill consists of three clauses only. The first clause is purely formal. The objects of the two operative clauses are thus set forth in the Statement of Objects and Reasons.

" The second and third are the operative clauses in this Bill. The second clause proposes to repeal Act V of 1895, which imposed restrictions on the rule-making power conferred by section 26 of the Cantonments Act, 1889 (XIII of 1889). The removal of these restrictions will restore to the Governor General in Council the power to make rules to check the spread of venereal diseases in cantonments, and will give him the same powers in respect of venereal diseases that he has in the case of other contagious and infectious disorders.

" The third clause merely extends to medical and other officers, the same protection in the performance of their duties as is already given to Cantonment authorities and Commanding Officers.

" I may deal very briefly with the third clause. It corrects what was probably a drafting slip in the Act of 1889. It will be in the recollection of Hon'ble Members that we published for criticism last year a draft code of Cantonment Rules. These rules contain a large body of sanitary and other regulations for the good government of Cantonments. Medical and other officers will have numerous duties to perform under these rules, and it is obviously fair that in the performance of those duties they should have the like protection as is already accorded to Cantonment authorities and Commanding Officers.

" The second clause deals with much more controversial matter. For some years past we have pursued the policy of ignoring the existence of venereal diseases, and the Act of 1895 binds us to ignore them. The result of that policy has been disastrous. By the operation of these fell discases large numbers of our soldiers are rendered unfit for service, their constitutions are permanently undermined, and many lives are lost: I will not refer to the terrible facts and figures disclosed by the Report of Lord Onslow's Committee. My Hon'ble Colleagues who represent the Army will do that if necessary. Those facts and figures imperatively call upon us to take immediate action, and this course is endorsed by the most weighty opinions that we can have on a question of this kind. I refer to the unanimous reports of the Royal College of Physicians in England and the Royal College of Surgeons. If those reports have not already been made public, I trust they will be published at once. I will quote only a short extract from the Report of the Royal College of Physicians. It says :

' About 13,000 soldiers return to England from India every year, and of these, in 1894, over 60 per cent. had suffered from some form of venereal disease. These figures are

quoted as showing more forcibly than words can, the risk of contamination, not only to the present population of this country, but also to its future generations. Of these men a number die, or, remaining invalids, are more or less incapacitated from earning their own livelihood, and thus become a burden on the rates.'

"It is unnecessary now to indicate the measures we propose to take for diminishing the spread of venereal disease and mitigating its effects. Those measures are not germane to the present motion. The object of the present Bill is merely to untie our hands. We take energetic steps to diminish the spread of small-pox, cholera and typhoid fever, and we now propose to arm ourselves with like powers to deal with venereal diseases, the most terrible of all contagious diseases in their results. The fact that we take these powers does not imply a reversion to the measures which were discontinued in 1889. Speaking for myself I should be very loth to be a party to re-introducing the compulsory examination of prostitutes. By 'compulsory examination' I mean examination under physical compulsion, or under the compulsion of the Criminal Law. But apart from compulsory examination I think it is our duty to take every means within our reach to diminish and combat this horrible disease. In selecting those means we must be guided, as in the case of any other disease, by the best expert advice we can get. When we have adopted certain measures, we must carefully watch and test the effect of these measures, and if necessary, we must modify them hereafter, so as to make them more effective.

"I am well aware that in attempting to solve this pressing problem, we shall, in England at any rate, rouse a certain amount of opposition. Many of them who will oppose our policy will be people for whose characters we have the highest respect, and whose opposition will be founded on the highest and best of motives. It is due to our respect for their characters and motives to state explicitly the reasons which justify the changed attitude we are now taking. As regards the reasons which weigh with him, each man, of course, must speak for himself. There are several reasons, of varying weight, which appear to me to justify our proposed line of action, but they all point to the same conclusion.

"In the first place, it is our paramount duty to maintain our army in a maximum state of efficiency. If we allow large numbers of our soldiers to be rendered inefficient through preventible causes, we fail in that duty. The cost of the Indian Army falls on the people of India, and, as trustees for the interests of that people, it is our duty to see that, so far as the matter is in our power, they are not taxed for the maintenance of soldiers who are not fit to fight.

"Another reason which weighs strongly with me depends on the nature of the disease itself. Constitutional disease, not only affects the man himself, but is a potent source of danger to others. We are dealing with short service troops. Many of the men go home before they are cured, and are absorbed into the civil population. They marry, and communicate the disease to perfectly innocent women. Their children inherit the taint, and unborn generations will suffer if we neglect to take all precautions within our power. Any one who is familiar with a children's hospital in any of our big towns at home will appreciate my meaning. What right have we, by our neglect, to inflict such evils on these innocent sufferers. But the evil does not stop there. The prevalence of this class of disease largely increases the risk run by our Doctors. We have had two sad cases of this lately. Hospital nurses, who devote their lives to the care of the sick, incur precisely the same risk. Surely we ought to do our utmost to protect them from unnecessary danger.

"Then, again, the unfortunate women who communicate disease to our soldiers ought not to be debarred from skilled medical treatment. The cure of this disease essentially depends on early treatment. If they are left to themselves, they will not seek medical aid until it is too late. I have seen women brought into the Civil Hospital in Gibraltar rotten and dying from disease, who had carried on their trade until the night before their admission to the wards.

"There is another reason that I only wish to allude to, but nevertheless I feel its force. I believe in this question we have no choice between good and

evil. Of two evils we can only choose the lesser one. It may be said that we could wholly exclude all women from cantonments. I don't think this would be possible; but if it were, I think it would only lead to more horrible forms of vice. Anything is better than that. It will be said too that in our endeavours to mitigate the prevalence and effect of venereal diseases we are giving encouragement to vice. I think the experience of the last few years conclusively negatives this argument. There might be something in the argument if we were dealing with a body of middle-aged men who had received a scientific education. But we are dealing with a large body of young unmarried soldiers. We have found by experience that the risk they run in no wise overcomes the temptation to which their position exposes them. If the risk is no deterrent, this argument falls to the ground.

• “For these reasons, my Lord, I ask leave to introduce this Bill.”

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. CHALMERS introduced the Bill.

The Hon'ble MR. CHALMERS moved that the Bill and Statement of Objects and Reasons be published in the Gazette of India and in the local official Gazettes in English.

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MAJOR-GENERAL SIR E. COLLEN said:—“My Lord, the Bill, which the Hon'ble Mr. Chalmers has moved for leave to introduce, is necessary in order to enable the authorities of cantonments to deal with an evil which has greatly affected the efficiency of the British Army in India, and to protect the officers who will be charged with carrying out the provisions of cantonment rules framed with the object of reducing, as far as may be possible, under present conditions, the ravages of a disastrous disease.

“I suppose there is hardly any other subject connected with the welfare of the army which has been so closely discussed of late. The history of the question is well-known, and I need hardly remind this Council how consistent the Government of India have been in their endeavours, throughout that painful history, to protect the health of the troops, and to save unborn generations from one of the most terrible of all diseases.

“The Report of Lord Onslow's Committee—a report, if I may venture to say so, of a most dispassionate but comprehensive character—has enabled the public at home to convince itself of the existence of a deplorable state of things, and of the strength of the position which the Government of India have always taken up, while in the despatch from the Secretary of State of the 26th March, we have a lucid exposition of the policy adopted by Her Majesty's Government.

“My Lord, those who oppose the remedial measures which are indicated in that despatch, do not deny that some remedial measures are necessary, but they deny that these are the kind of measures which should be undertaken. They tell us that an army of 70,000 men is all but given up to reckless debauchery, and that the rulers of that army do not care about making it moral, but that they only care to make it attractive to young men, and to enable them to sin in comparative safety.

“I have been long enough in India to remember the cantonment regulations of 1864. Those regulations were the outcome of recommendations made by a Royal Commission on the sanitary state of the army in India, and were framed under the sanction of the Government of Lord Lawrence, a Government which was renowned for its conscientiousness and the strength of its religious convictions. For my part, I cannot admit for a moment that the Government of that day can be justly charged with the encouragement of vice, because they deemed it necessary to repress a virulent disease by stringent regulations. As years went on, however, abuses crept in, and practices were introduced which could not and cannot be defended.

“But in the restoration of the power to make rules to check the spread of venereal disease, which the Bill before us, when it becomes law, will give us; and

in the rules themselves, there is not, to my mind, the remotest trace of the abuses which existed under the old system, or of what is called by those who object to the stringent regulations of past days, the encouragement of vice.

“ My Lord, the accusations which have been made against the army can easily be repelled. I maintain that the soldiers of the present day are not one whit worse than the classes from which they are drawn, in point of morality, that they are better educated, more temperate, and better behaved, but they are mostly young men, and are thus susceptible to the influences which beset them in this land—and from which no regulations can wholly guard them—a land where prostitution is not regarded otherwise than as an ordinary condition of life, and where the profession of a prostitute is not looked upon as one of unqualified shame.

“ We have been accused of merely considering the question in its relation to the checking of the disease, and of neglecting the means of improving the moral condition of the soldiers. I do not think that accusation can be persisted in, in the face of the fact that all the efforts of recent years have been devoted to raising the tone of the army by giving the soldier education, occupation, and healthy recreation, and in fostering the great temperance movement. These efforts have been strongly supported by the commanding and regimental officers of the army. But a man cannot be made absolutely moral or religious, or capable of the very highest self-control, by even the best efforts of the kind, or by acts of the legislature and by regulations. And if any great change for the better in this respect is to be obtained, it must be by raising the standard of purity among the classes from which soldiers are drawn. Let our opponents—those who so unjustly accuse the army of what they term reckless debauchery—look at home, where there is infinite need for an adequate treatment of the subject, and let them answer the question, whether the great body of young men in England practise the virtue of continence habitually, and whether they would say that these young men are given up to reckless debauchery, because even a large proportion of them sometimes yield to temptation. Those who object to the measures it is deemed necessary to take in India against the spread of a terrible disease, will find a great field lying open before them at home, in their endeavours to raise the standard of purity.

“ Our duty out here seems to be plain enough. It is, to do all in our power to conquer disease, to remove temptation as far as practicable, to apply restrictive measures and restraints where advisable and necessary, and to help the men to practise self-control. I believe that the united efforts of chaplains and medical and regimental officers may do a great deal to this end.

“ But when all is said and done, we are still confronted by the fact that we have an army in India which is, and must necessarily be, composed mainly of unmarried men, that a large proportion consists of very young men, placed in a country, where the conditions of life are entirely different from those existing in England, and where prostitution has, as I have said before, no extraordinary stigma of shame attached to it.

“ We believe then that it is our paramount duty to maintain the health and efficiency of the army, that the virtue of continence is not to be attained by allowing the propagation of disease, but that our efforts must be strongly directed to the lessening of a great evil.

“ The principles which are enunciated in the Secretary of State's despatch, the injunctions for the cure of disease, or the removal of the source of danger from cantonments, and the removal of temptation in the shape of solicitation, form the foundation of the measures which will be embodied in the new cantonment rules. It is absolutely incorrect to assert, as I have seen it asserted, that they constitute a return to the old state of things. They merely give the Governor General in Council the same powers, in dealing with venereal disease, as exist in the case of other contagious and infectious diseases dangerous to the health of the community. Our belief is that the dictates of religion and humanity alike command us to endeavour to restrain the spread of this disastrous disease, and to alleviate the sufferings of women as well as of men.

"In the earnest hope that these measures—worked, as I am sure they will be worked, with sympathetic consideration—may prove of some use in the mitigation of an appalling evil, I welcome the introduction of this Bill."

His Excellency THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF said :—"The necessity of repealing the Cantonment Act Amendment Act of 1895 and of amending the Cantonment Act, 1889, has become so generally recognised and acknowledged that it seems scarcely necessary to repeat here the proofs of that necessity ; but that I am unwilling that a measure of such vital importance to the British Army in India should be introduced without some support from the head of that Army.

"In 1895, owing to the mistaken efforts of certain persons, actuated, I believe, by the highest motives, but without that grasp of practical considerations which would have prepared them for the disastrous consequences of their own acts, the repeal of all restrictions on the trade of prostitution was forced on the Government of India.

"From the first those more intimately acquainted with, and responsible for the health and efficiency of the Army in India did all in their power to give warning of what the effect of such sanitary neglect would be. But those warnings were disregarded, and it was even contended that such precautions and restrictions, as had been imposed in the past, had had no practical effect in preventing the spread of venereal disease amongst British soldiers in India.

"The fallacy of this argument was not long in showing itself. The restrictions which the Military Authorities had previously been able to impose had scarcely been removed before the prevalence of contagious disease in the British Army showed a most marked increase ; and perhaps an even worse result of the removal of all control was that the principal increase took place in the more virulent forms of the disease.

"The statistics of 1895 are in themselves irrefutable proof of the necessity of stronger legislation. In that year, out of 68,331 men in cantonments, the admissions into hospital for venereal diseases were no less than 36,681, or 536·9 per 1,000. Of these cases, 22,702 were syphilis. The ratio for primary disease has increased 137 per cent. since 1887, and that for secondary disease no less than 188 per cent. in the same period. Secondary syphilis was, in 1895, four times more prevalent than it was in 1873.

"Another proof of the increasing virulence is found in the average duration of the treatment of venereal cases in hospital, which has risen from 26 days in 1887 to 31½ days in 1895. This increased period of treatment in hospital leads up to another calculation which shows the inefficiency that results from venereal disease.

"I have said that the admissions into hospital for venereal in 1895 were 36,681. The average duration of treatment in hospital was 31½ days, consequently the loss of duty paid for by the Indian tax-payer was 1,155,451 days.

"As a proof that these diseases are, to a very great extent, preventible under efficient rules and regulations, I may here state that while, in the British Army in India in 1895 the admissions averaged 536·9 per 1,000, the latest statistics we have of the same class of admissions in the German Army show only 26·7 per 1,000.

"I will not impose on the Council the gruesome details of the lamentable results which syphilis is producing amongst the young and healthy men who land in India to serve their country as soldiers. The accounts from Netley Hospital which appeared not long ago in the *Pioneer* newspaper put these results on their true and most deplorable aspect ; and make up a case for using the means which are available to us for decreasing these horrors which must appeal to all who are not indifferent to human suffering of the most terrible type, or have not schooled themselves to looking on inactive at the terrible inheritance which is thus being prepared for thousands of innocent persons yet unborn.

"Every effort will also be made to warn young soldiers of the consequences of immorality in this country, to point out to them the terrible risks they run, to

appeal to their higher moral instincts, and to their pride in their manhood to avoid connections that carry with them grave danger that they will return home shattered wrecks unfit alike for military duty or civil life."

. His Excellency THE PRESIDENT said:—"I do not wish to prolong the discussion, upon which no one who has the honour of the British Army at heart can enter without a feeling of pain. My Hon'ble Colleagues have stated the case of the Government of India, and the general situation has been fully set forth in a remarkable debate in the Imperial Parliament which is already in the hands of everybody all over the world.

"I will therefore only make two observations. In the first place I should wish to say that I take my full share of the responsibility for the measures which the Government of India propose to adopt, and of which the Bill which my Hon'ble Colleague has asked leave to introduce is a part.

"Whatever we may think of the conduct of incontinent persons, male or female, I cannot think that any one with a scrap of humanity, who appreciates at all the awful consequences not only to the incontinent person, but to many innocent and helpless human beings, from the ravages of this dire disease, would hesitate to take any measures which are in his power to control and check the progress of a disease so insidious, so terrible, and so far-reaching. So far as this part of the subject is concerned I regard it as one more of those steps in the progress of sanitary regulation of which this age has seen so many.

"I think that on the score of morality my position is equally clear. I have already ventured on another occasion to take up the challenge of the Archbishop of Canterbury, and I say again that in my opinion a sin of this nature is one which is not worthy of a true soldier. If treachery and cowardice may be called the primary sins of a soldier and unworthy of his profession, so I venture to say is the wilful self-indulgence which incapacitates a man from the performance of his duties to his Queen, whom he has engaged to serve, and which cuts him adrift from those tenets of morality and religion which his countrymen as a Christian nation profess.

"I think I can say with confidence that your Excellency and those who are concerned in the administration of the Army in India would not wish to regard this matter from any other standpoint.

"Therefore, if, as practical men, we cannot, in considering the measures which we must take, shut our eyes to human frailty, I do not hesitate to say, as the responsible head of the Government of India, that it has never, and will never, deny its support to those who, regimentally or otherwise, have influence with the soldier, and who use that influence not only to point out to the young soldier the condemnation and punishment which such acts bring with them, but also to encourage, to stimulate, and to assist him in forming higher ideals and pursuing purer pleasures, and thus to help in the most effectual way towards removing this terrible reproach from the British Army, of which we are so proud."

The Council adjourned to Thursday, the 22nd July, 1897.

SIMLA;
The 9th July, 1897. }

J. M. MACPHERSON,
Secretary to the Government of India,
Legislative Department.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

**Weather Review of India for the Week ending at 8 a.m. on
Saturday, July 3rd, 1897.**

The unfavourable conditions which prevailed over the Indian region at the close of last week have held steadily during the week under review. The Bay monsoon has given fair daily rain to the Burma Peninsula, but in all other parts of India the weather has been fine and practically rainless. This period of rainlessness was aggravated by a strong dry westerly wind which reduced humidity and which blew right across the Peninsula as well as over the whole of the central parts of the country and the Gangetic Plain. The worst day of the week was Wednesday, June the 30th, when only nine stations reported a rainfall for the previous 24 hours, of which six were reported from Burma and Assam. On this day the heaviest fall of rain along the West Coast was only 0·13 inch at Mangalore. This absence of rain, combined with a dry hot westerly wind, had an important effect on temperature which rose steadily during the week, and on July 3rd was over 10° above the normal at Amraoti, Chanda, Allahabad, Lucknow and Ranchi and over 11° above at Raipur and Akola.

Daily Summary.—*Sunday, June 27th.*—Pressure had generally changed slightly. Readings were lowest over the North Gangetic Plain and highest in Ceylon. They were largely above the normal average over North Bombay and largely below over East Bengal. The winds were unusually northerly over the central parts of the country and the Peninsula, and an abnormal westerly current blew over the Gangetic Plain, while in Bengal the wind was lighter and more variable than usual. The force of the wind was high over the Peninsula and the central parts of the country. The mean temperature was low over the Indus Valley and Bengal and Burma, but was excessive elsewhere. Rain had occurred over Lower and Central Burma, Assam, Bengal and Ganjam, but elsewhere the weather had been practically rainless.

Monday, June 28th.—The pressure changes had again been generally slight, and the barometric conditions were similar to those reported on the 27th. Westerly winds, with more northing in them than usual, prevailed over the Peninsula and the central parts of the country, while the abnormal westerly current over the Gangetic Plain held steadily. In Bengal the usual southerly to easterly winds were reported, but the force was lower than usual. The mean temperature remained low over the Indus Valley and Baluchistan as well as over part of Bengal and Burma, but the area of lower temperatures than usual was decreasing. In all other places the heat was excessive. Rain had continued to fall in Burma, Assam and Bengal, but the amounts were lighter than on the 27th. In other parts of India the weather remained practically rainless.

Tuesday, June 29th.—The barometer had fallen briskly in Assam and North Bengal, but elsewhere the changes continued slight. A band of low pressure lay along the foot of the hills from the Indus to Assam, and readings were highest in Ceylon. The pressure differences were large, and the winds, which, except in the Punjab, Malabar, Burma and Bengal, were generally westerly with a little northing, blew strongly. The mean temperature was still lower than the average in the Indus Valley and Baluchistan as well as over Assam and Arakan. Showers had occurred over Burma and Assam, but had ceased over Bengal, where, as well as over the remainder of India, the weather was practically rainless.

Wednesday, June 30th.—Pressure had decreased everywhere. There had, however, been no change in the general distribution. Pressure remained higher than usual over the Peninsula and the Central Provinces and lower than usual over Northern and North-Eastern India. Gradients were very steep. The winds

were inclined to draw into south-west along the West Coast, but elsewhere there was no important change. The mean temperature was still low over Sind, the North Punjab and parts of Assam and of Burma and was excessive elsewhere. Moderate showers had fallen over Lower Burma and at Silchar, but elsewhere the weather remained fine.

Thursday, July 1st.—Pressure had recovered almost everywhere. The change had been greater in the north than in the south, and hence gradients had decreased, but this was the only change of importance. The winds were drawing into south over North Bombay, Rajputana and the Punjab, but in other places there had been no important change. The distribution of the mean temperature relatively to the normal was also unaltered, except that the heat was becoming very great along the foot of the hills in Upper India. Showers had fallen at the Bombay coast stations and in parts of Burma and of Assam.

Friday, July 2nd.—Pressure had again risen, the rise continuing greater in the north and west than in the south or east. Pressure still remained lowest in the Punjab, but the pressure differences continued to grow slighter. A well defined area of abnormally high pressure covered Bombay and the central parts of the country. The monsoon was now light both at the head of the Bay and along the Bombay coast. In the Punjab the wind directions were variable, while over the Gangetic Plain the abnormal westerly wind held steadily. The temperature distribution was unaltered. Monsoon showers were received over Burma and Arakan, duststorms had given rain to the hill and submontane parts of Upper India, and showers were reported from a few West Coast stations. These were the only important falls of rain.

Saturday, July 3rd.—The barometer had ceased to rise, and a fall had set in, which, being greater in the north than in the south, had increased the steepness of the pressure gradients again. There was no other change of importance. The winds were becoming south-westerly over a considerable part of North-West India, but elsewhere there had been no alteration. The force was about normal at the head of the Bay and lower than usual on the Bombay Coast. The temperature conditions were unaltered. Fair showers continued to be received over Burma and Assam, light showers along the West Coast and a few scattered local showers elsewhere.

Temperature.—The mean temperature conditions relatively to the normal distribution have been very steady during the week. There has been some deficiency of temperature daily over parts of Burma and Assam and over Baluchistan and the Indus Valley, while over the whole of the intervening region the heat has been excessive. Over the central parts of the country the excess of heat has varied between 10° and 12° .

The following table gives the temperature data for the week :

PROVINCE.	JUNE 1897.				July 1897.			Mean variation of week.
	27th	28th	29th	30th	1st	2nd	3rd	
	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°
Burma	—0.5	+1.3	+1.1	+0.6	+1.0	+1.3	+1.0	+0.8
Bengal and Assam . . .	—1.8	+0.1	+2.8	+4.7	+4.7	+4.2	+5.1	+2.8
North-Western Provinces and Oudh	+4.7	+6.8	+8.0	+6.8	+7.1	+6.2	+7.7	+6.8
Punjab	+0.4	+2.1	+1.7	+3.1	+4.0	+3.8	+5.1	+2.9
Bombay	+3.3	+3.9	+3.8	+4.0	+3.6	+3.4	+3.0	+3.6
Central Provinces and Berar	+6.1	+8.2	+7.8	+7.5	+7.9	+7.9	+8.9	+7.8
Central India and Gujarat	+4.0	+5.4	+3.7	+3.6	+3.3	+4.0	+5.2	+4.2
Sind and Rajputana	+2.5	+2.5	+1.6	+1.9	+2.1	+2.6	+2.6	+2.3
Madras	+3.8	+3.9	+4.7	+4.5	+5.3	+5.4	+4.2	+4.5
Mean for whole of India	+2.6	+3.8	+3.9	+4.1	+4.3	+4.3	+4.8	+4.0

The above shows a steady excess of temperature during the week, the excess rising from 2·6 on the 27th June to 4·8 on the 3rd July. The hottest area relatively to the normal was the North-West Provinces and the Central Provinces.

The following are the highest maximum temperatures recorded on each day :

June 27th	.	.	.	.	.	113·2	at Jacobabad.
„ 28th	.	.	.	.	.	115·6	„ „
„ 29th	.	.	.	.	.	113·2	„ „
„ 30th	.	.	.	.	.	116·7	„ „
July 1st	.	.	.	.	.	115·1	„ „
„ 2nd	.	.	.	.	.	110·8	„ Sialkot.
„ 3rd	.	.	.	.	.	110·4	„ Khushab.

Rain.—Towards the close of last week the rainfall began to fall off over India, and this lightness in the rainfall has been continued during the week under review over the greater part of the Indian region. Only in six districts, *viz.*, the North-West Provinces (East), the Punjab (North and West), Kathiawar, Baluchistan and West Rajputana has there been actually no rain during the week, but in no less than sixteen has the average actual rainfall of the division been less than one-tenth of an inch for the whole period. These sixteen divisions were mostly included within the Gangetic Plain, the Punjab, the central parts of the country and the east of the Peninsula. In other places the rainfall was generally effective. The average actual amounts within the area of effective rainfall ranged from 11·51 inches in Arakan, 11·43 inches in Assam (Surma), 7·43 inches in Deltaic Burma, 3·98 inches in Tenasserim and 2·54 inches in the Konkan to 0·10 inch in the North-West Provinces (West Submontane) and the Central Provinces (Central). The fall was, however, short of the normal almost everywhere. There was an abnormal excess of 7·44 inches in Assam (Surma), of 2·35 inches in Deltaic Burma, of 1·98 inches in Arakan and of 0·04 inch in Deltaic Bengal; but every other division throughout India reported a deficiency. This deficiency exceeded 6 inches in the Assam Hills and the Konkan, 5 inches in Malabar and Coorg and 4 inches in Tenasserim and North Bengal and was considerable to large in the other divisions. Except in Burma and Assam, where showers fell almost daily, the rainfall over India occurred mainly during the first two or last two days of the week, the central part of the week having been practically rainless.

These two weeks of short rainfall have had a serious effect on the seasonal average. There are now only nine divisions which report excessive rain, that is, a fall of 20 per cent. or more above the normal average. These divisions are—Deltaic Bengal, South Bihar, the east, centre and submontane east of the North-West Provinces, the North Punjab, Coorg, Baluchistan and Madras (South); while, on the contrary, there are no less than thirty divisions in which the rainfall between the 30th of May and date was 20 per cent. or more below the normal average for that period, and in the case of fourteen of these divisions it was 50 per cent. or more short.

The following are the principal large totals recorded this week :

Burma	.	.	.	Thaton	.	.	.	.	.	14·09 inches.
				Bassein	.	.	.	.	.	17·52 „
				Akyab	.	.	.	.	.	12·35 „
Assam	.	.	.	Silchar	.	.	.	.	.	13·22 „
Bengal	.	.	.	Cox's Bazar	.	.	.	.	.	11·54 „
				Chaudarga (Nadia)	.	.	.	.	.	10·12 „
Bihar	.	.	.	Araria (Purnea)	.	.	.	.	.	3·47 „
West Peninsula	.	.	.	Coondapoor (Mangalore)	.	.	.	.	.	4·03 „
				Khed (Ratnagiri)	.	.	.	.	.	6·71 „
				Man (Satara)	.	.	.	.	.	5·65 „

PROVINCE.	DIVISION.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING JULY 3RD, 1897.			RAINFALL DATA FROM MAY 30TH TO JULY 3RD, 1897.		
		Average actual rainfall of division.	Average normal rainfall of division.	Excess or defect in Inches.	Average actual rainfall of season to date.	Average normal rainfall, May 30th to July 3rd.	Excess or de- fect of (seasonal) rainfall expressed as a per- centage.
		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Per cent.
BURMA	1. Tenasserim	3.98	8.88	— 4.90	39.20	45.84	— 14
	2. Lower Burma Deltaic	7.43	5.08	+ 2.35	24.96	22.84	+ 9
	3. Central do.	1.64	2.17	— 0.53	9.16	12.52	— 27
	4. Upper do.	1.05	1.90	— 0.85	6.76	11.64	— 42
	5. Arakan	11.51	9.53	+ 1.98	51.62	60.35	— 14
BENGAL AND ASSAM	6. Eastern Bengal	3.36	4.26	— 0.90	18.88	21.97	— 14
	7. Assam Surnia	11.43	3.99	+ 7.44	26.81	24.01	+ 12
	8. Do. Hills	1.92	8.08	— 6.16	15.81	37.63	— 58
	9. Do. Brahmaputra	2.11	3.62	— 1.51	10.16	17.50	— 42
	10. Deltaic Bengal	2.22	2.18	+ 0.04	14.31	11.75	+ 22
	11. Central do.	1.37	2.42	— 1.05	9.03	11.64	— 22
	12. North do.	1.72	5.91	— 4.19	11.09	27.18	— 59
	13. Bengal Hills	...	...	...	...	...	...
	14. Orissa	0.11	3.21	— 3.10	8.29	9.75	— 15
	15. Chota Nagpur	0.15	2.49	— 2.34	8.03	8.74	— 8
	16. South Bihar	0.08	2.15	— 2.07	13.16	6.45	+ 104
	17. North do.	0.55	2.49	— 1.94	9.23	9.45	— 2
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES AND OUDH.	18. N.-W. P. East	0	1.91	— 1.91	5.78	4.48	+ 29
	19. South Oudh	0.07	2.13	— 2.06	3.60	4.51	— 20
	20. North do.	0.07	2.29	— 2.22	4.91	5.37	— 9
	21. N.-W. P. Central	0.15	1.42	— 1.27	4.17	3.45	+ 21
	22. Do. West	0.11	1.10	— 0.99	2.82	2.47	+ 14
	23. Do. East Submontane.	0.05	2.31	— 2.26	6.95	5.74	+ 21
	24. Do. West do.	0.10	2.08	— 1.98	2.90	4.92	— 41
	25. Do. Hills	0.20	1.81	— 1.61	4.34	6.31	— 31
PUNJAB	26. South-East Punjab	0.05	1.23	— 1.18	1.41	2.73	— 48
	27. South do.	0.15	0.54	— 0.39	0.87	1.73	— 50
	28. Central do.	0.08	0.61	— 0.53	1.18	1.66	— 29
	29. Punjab Submontane	0.17	1.11	— 0.94	1.36	2.80	— 51
	30. Do. Hills	0.34	2.45	— 2.11	4.11	6.25	— 34
	31. North Punjab	0	0.45	— 0.45	2.17	1.33	+ 63
	32. West do.	0	0.26	— 0.26	0.78	0.82	— 5
BOMBAY AND MALABAR COAST DISTRICTS (MADRAS).	33. Malabar	1.43	6.93	— 5.50	42.60	38.06	+ 12
	34. Madras South-Central	0.16	0.83	— 0.67	6.53	5.67	+ 5
	35. Coorg	0.71	6.23	— 5.52	33.90	27.05	+ 23
	36. My-ore	0.15	1.17	— 1.02	6.38	5.48	+ 16
	37. Konkan	2.54	8.92	— 6.38	22.43	29.07	— 23
	38. Bombay Deccan	0.53	1.09	— 0.56	5.42	5.78	— 6
	39. Hyderabad North	...	...	...	...	...	...
	40. Khandesh	0.09	1.11	— 1.02	2.00	5.47	— 63
CENTRAL PROVINCES AND BERAR.	41. Berar	0.03	1.83	— 1.80	1.74	6.90	— 75
	42. Central Provinces West	0.06	2.18	— 2.12	3.55	11.59	— 69
	43. Do. do. Central	0.10	3.21	— 3.11	4.45	8.58	— 48
	44. Do. do. East	0.03	3.16	— 3.13	5.81	9.12	— 36
BOMBAY (NORTH)	45. Gujarat	0.76	3.37	— 2.61	2.72	7.02	— 61
	46. Kathiawar	0	1.16	— 1.16	0.24	2.91	— 92
	47. Sind	0.02	0.17	— 0.15	0.08	0.20	— 72
	48. Baluchistan Hills	0	0	0	0.36	0.09	+ 300
RAJPUTANA AND CEN- TRAL INDIA.	49. Central India East	0.01	2.46	— 2.45	6.52	7.94	— 18
	50. Rajputana East, Central India West.	0.04	1.94	— 1.90	1.08	4.81	— 78
	51. West Rajputana	0	0.61	— 0.61	0.11	1.93	— 94
MADRAS	52. East Coast North	0.32	1.41	— 1.09	3.48	5.17	— 33
	52-A. Do. do.	0.65	3.81	— 3.16	5.60	11.25	— 52
	53. Hyderabad South	0.13	1.00	— 0.87	1.84	5.28	— 65
	54. Madras Central	0.06	0.58	— 0.52	3.33	3.02	+ 10
	55. East Coast Central	0.12	0.63	— 0.51	1.82	3.01	— 40
	56. Do. South	0.06	0.63	— 0.57	2.04	2.54	— 20
	57. Madras South	0.08	0.22	— 0.14	1.93	1.38	+ 40

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Weekly Report on the state of the Season and Prospects of the Crops.

Madras.—*For week ending 3rd July.*—Rainfall of week is seriously deficient, practically *nil*, except insignificant local showers on the West Coast and in parts of Ganjam and Vizagapatam. The water-supply for drinking purposes is again failing in parts of Ganjam, Vizagapatam, and the Deccan; elsewhere it is generally sufficient; for irrigation it is generally insufficient, except under the Godavari, Kistna, and Tanjore irrigation systems. Early agricultural operations continue, but more rain is urgently wanted for this purpose and for crops already sown which are in a precarious condition where unprotected by wells or other irrigation sources. Harvests are virtually *nil*. Pasture is generally scarce; improvement due to previous rains failing for want of further fall. Fodder is insufficient in the Deccan, is generally available elsewhere, but is scarce and dear. Condition of cattle in the Deccan is bad, deaths from starvation being reported from Anantapur and Cuddapah; elsewhere condition is generally normal. Prices are on the rise generally, increase is especially marked in dry grains in the Deccan, Vizagapatam, Godavari, North Arcot, and Salem. The numbers on relief are:—relief workers—126,273 men, 225,448 women, 81,165 children; total 432,886 in the Deccan and Circars. Test-workers—17 men, 93 women; total 110 in Ganjam. Weavers—16,362 men, 14,049 women, 1,606 children with 154 unspecified; total 32,171 relieved at their own trade in the Deccan and Circars. Total relief workers 465,167. Kitchen inmates in the Deccan and Circars: (dependants)—296 men, 592 women, 17,336 children; total 18,224; Others—4,128 men, 9,094 women, 22,059 children; total 35,281. Otherwise gratuitously relieved—16,079 men, 40,406 women, 44,948 children; total 101,433. Total on gratuitous relief 154,938. Grand total on Government relief 620,105. Numbers on relief in Godavari not reported. There were also 7,258 employed on zamindari works and 182 fed in zamindari kitchens in Ganjam. Prices by which wages are regulated are—Ganjam 10, Bellary 10½, Vizagapatam 11, Kurnool 12, Cuddapah 12½, and Anantapur 13½ seers per rupee. Loans disbursed in affected districts since commencement of distress Rs. 9,36,933.

Bombay.—*For week ending 5th July.*—Slight rain in Gujrat, Konkan, the Deccan, and Karnatic; more is urgently wanted throughout the presidency. Sowing operations are retarded in parts; rice transplanting is in progress in parts of Karachi, Hyderabad, Kolaba, and Kanara. Locusts have appeared in two talukas of Karachi and four of Shikarpur and Hyderabad, but damage is slight. Fodder is sufficient, except in the Deccan, Shikarpur, Belgaum, and parts of Karachi and Baroda. Condition of agricultural stock is deteriorating in Khandesh, Poona, Ahmednagar, Sholapur, Satara, and Bijapur; healthy elsewhere, except in one taluka of Karachi, Shikarpur, Thar and Parkar, Ratnagiri, and Kanara. Prices continue high in Karachi, Shikarpur, Nasik, and Surat; are rising in Sholapur, Belgaum, and parts of Thana; normal in Kaira; and stationary in Kolaba. Prices in affected districts are:—Belgaum 9½, Bijapur 8½, Sholapur 7½, Ahmednagar 7½, Poona 7½, Nasik 7½, Satara 7½, Khandesh 7, and Dharwar 10½ seers per rupee. The average number on relief works, including dependants, was—Bijapur 67,397, Sholapur 93,160, Ahmednagar 52,117, Poona 11,359, Nasik 15,225, Satara 10,743, Khandesh 10,830, Belgaum 9,204, and Dharwar 365; total 270,400, of whom 213,494 are relief workers and 56,905 dependants. Of relief workers—66,134 are men, 93,277 women, and 54,083 children. Of dependants—313 are men, 4,364 women, and 52,229 children. On gratuitous relief—Bijapur 13,787, including 641 in poor-houses, Sholapur 8,935, including 118 in poor-houses, Ahmednagar 9,417, including 519 in poor-houses, Poona 10,472, Nasik 1,635, Satara 658, Belgaum 820, and Dharwar 1,119; total 46,843, of whom 23,542 are men, 13,501 women, and 9,800 children. Total number on relief 317,243.

Bengal.—*For week ending 5th July.*—There was general rain on Sunday, 27th June, but since Monday, 28th, rain has almost entirely ceased and the weather has been abnormally hot and dry. The prospects of rice, jute, and sugarcane continue good, but more rain is urgently required for the autumn crops

and winter rice, especially for the transplantation of rice. In Calcutta a smart shower of rain fell on the evening of 5th instant. A flight of locusts visited Monghyr, Bhagalpur, and the Sonthal Parganas on the 4th instant, but no damage to the crops has been reported. Prices remain almost stationary. In the distressed districts the prices of the staple food-grain on which the famine wage is based are:—Nadia, common rice $7\frac{1}{2}$ seers; Murshidabad, common rice 7 to $7\frac{1}{2}$ seers; Khulna, common rice 9 seers; Rajshahi, common rice $7\frac{1}{2}$ seers; Shahabad, common rice 8 seers and peas $10\frac{1}{2}$ seers; Saran, barley 11 seers; Champaran, Burma rice $8\frac{1}{2}$ seers and peas 10 seers; Muzaffarpur, Burma rice $8\frac{1}{2}$ seers and *rahar* (*Cajanus indicus*) 11 seers; Darbhanga, common rice $8\frac{3}{4}$ seers and indian-corn 9 seers; Bhagalpur, common rice 8 to $8\frac{3}{4}$ seers and *marua* (*Eleusine coracana*) 13 seers; Sonthal Parganas, common rice $7\frac{1}{2}$ to 8 seers and maize 10 to 12 seers; Puri, common rice 9 to 11 seers; Hazaribagh, rice 6 to 7 seers and *mahua* 16 to 32 seers; Lohardaga, rice 7 seers; Palamau, rice 8 seers; and Manbhum, common rice $7\frac{3}{4}$ seers per rupee. The numbers on relief on Saturday, the 3rd July, were:—Bankura 10,341, Nadia 92,928, Murshidabad 6,885, Khulna 11,452, Rajshahi 405, Pabna 3,405, Patna 188, Shahabad 21,319, Saran 62,250, Champaran 141,671, Muzaffarpur 110,384, Darbhanga 211,815, Bhagalpur 9,816, Sonthal Parganas 6,402, Puri 5,209, Hazaribagh 6,531, Lohardaga no report, Palamau 3,728, Manbhum 14,305, Singhbhum 82; total 719,116 against 736,804 in the preceding week. This total is distributed as follows:—Relief workers—men 109,783, women 108,794, children 32,578; total 251,155. Dependants—men 1,008, women 38, children 12,870; total 13,916. In poor-houses and kitchens—men 2,081, women 2,326, children 10,446; total 14,853. Otherwise relieved, including persons relieved from the Charitable Fund—men 70,774, women 229,958, children 127,144; total 427,876. Test-workers—men 5,789, women 3,874, children 1,653; total 11,316. Private relief:—Relief works—Darbhanga Raj—Darbhanga—men 3,695, women 1,865, children 431; total 5,991. Darbhanga Raj—Muzaffarpur—men 528, women 198, children 52; total 778. Hatwa—men 416, women 500, children 178; total 1,094. Jamtara—men 565, women 525, children 89; total 1,179. Deoghur—men 207, women 134, children 97; total 438. Gratuitous relief:—Darbhanga Raj—Darbhanga—men 2,963, women 6,727, children 5,226; total 14,916. Darbhanga Raj—Muzaffarpur—men 53, women 234, children 237; total 524. Hatwa—men 177, women 249, children 271; total 697. Manjha—men 50, women 15, children 18; total 83. Total on private relief 25,700.

North-Western Provinces and Oudh.—For week ending 7th July.—

Slight showers fell in some districts; in Farukhabad and Hamirpur over 1 inch and in Rai Bareilly over half an inch were recorded. Hot winds prevailed during the week which caused further damage to the crops recently sown and checked sowings in most places. Irrigation is in progress in some districts. More rain is urgently needed and the situation is now growing critical. Locusts appeared in a few districts and caused slight injury to the crops. The numbers in receipt of relief on Saturday, the 3rd July, in seventeen districts officially recognised as distressed were as follows:—Agra 32,023, Etawah 4,483, Cawnpore 9,450, Fatehpur 11,477, Banda 215,398, Hamirpur 29,573, Allahabad 98,495, Jhansi 29,384, Jalaun 29,883, Mirzapur 28,023, Family Domains of Maharaja of Benares 6,793, Jaunpur 19,418, Gorakhpur 29,059, Azamgarh 20,371, Lucknow 57,755, Unao 28,931, Rae Bareilly 28,317, Hardoi 113,492; total 792,325. This total is distributed as follows among the various methods of relief prescribed by the Famine Code which are in operation:—employed on relief works 340,593; relieved as dependants 62,336; relieved in poor-houses 32,299; relieved under other provisions of the Famine Code, including 42,633 from Charitable Relief Fund, 357,097; total 792,325. The numbers relieved in nineteen districts which are under observation and not officially recognised as distressed were on the same date as follows:—relieved on test-works 12,166; relieved in poor-houses 7,463; relieved under other provisions of the Code, including 13,853 from the Charitable Relief Fund, 49,877; total 69,506. The grand total in receipt of relief on the last day of the week was therefore 861,831. Supplies are sufficient. Fodder is somewhat scarce in a few places. Prices show a tendency to rise. The price of the staple grain on which the famine wage is based varied from $8\frac{3}{4}$ to 12 seers in the districts officially recognised as distressed. The numbers shown as relieved from the Indian Famine Charitable Relief Fund represent the operations of the fund so far only as they are carried out through official agency.

Punjab.—*For week ending 5th July.*—Rain averaging about one inch has fallen in Gujranwala, $\frac{3}{8}$ in Umballa, $\frac{1}{2}$ in Hissar and Karnal, $\frac{1}{3}$ in Sialkot, and $\frac{1}{4}$ in Ferozepore and Amritsar. There has also been a fall of $\frac{2}{8}$ of an inch in parts of Gurgaon and $\frac{1}{2}$ in parts of Rawal Pindi; drizzling is also reported from Karnal Sadr and Jullundur. Harvesting of extra spring crops is nearly over; ploughing and sowings of autumn crops are going on, but they are being retarded from want of sufficient rain which is urgently needed soon. Standing extra spring and autumn crops are generally still in fair condition. Heat is excessive. The crops in Shahpur are dying for want of rain. The outturn of extra spring crops is said to be average in Dera Ismail Khan. The stocks of food-grain have been exhausted in Hissar. The standing crops have been injured by high westerly winds and drought in Gurgaon, and by duststorms in Gujranwala. Young locusts have almost been destroyed in Dera Ismail Khan. Cattle are still in poor condition for want of sufficient green fodder. 157 cattle died from hunger in Rohtak. Green grass is not now obtainable in most districts, but new straw can be had everywhere though at high rates. The average number of relief workers, dependants, etc., was as follows:—relief workers—33,853 men, 29,482 women, 12,583 children. Dependants—209 men, 294 women, 8,209 children. Relieved in poor-houses—474 men, 593 women, 409 children. Otherwise relieved—3,220 men, 5,122 women, 3,049 children. Test-workers—143 men. The total number of relief workers, dependants, etc., in the Punjab, was 97,640 against 93,459 last week. Out of this 77,000 or 4,000 in excess of last week are in Hissar only. In addition to this there is also an increase in Delhi, Karnal, Ferozepore, and Rawal Pindi. The decreases are in Rohtak and Umballa. Prices are generally high; they are rising in Gurgaon, Jullundur, Ferozepore, Amritsar, Sialkot, Gujranwala, and Shahpur; falling in Delhi and Dera Ismail Khan; and unchanged in other districts. Wheat is selling from $9\frac{3}{4}$ to 13, barley $12\frac{1}{2}$ to $13\frac{1}{2}$, great millet $8\frac{1}{2}$ to 10, bulrush-millet 7 to $8\frac{1}{2}$, gram 10 to $11\frac{3}{4}$, maize 8 to 16, and rice $6\frac{1}{4}$ to 7 seers per rupee. In comparison with the average figures of last week the prices of most of the food-grains are slightly rising. Prices of staple food-grains on which the famine wage is reckoned are:—Hissar, South Ghaggar, great millet flour $9\frac{3}{4}$; North Ghaggar, gram and barley flour $10\frac{1}{2}$; Bir Ditch, barley flour $10\frac{1}{2}$; Rohtak, barley 12; Delhi, wheat 10; Karnal, wheat flour 9 to $9\frac{1}{4}$; Umballa, maize 11 and Ferozepore, barley and gram $11\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee.

Central Provinces.—*For week ending 5th July.*—Weather generally clear at the beginning of the week; more cloudy at its close. The period has been practically rainless throughout the Provinces with the exception of a few scattered showers amounting in no district to $\frac{1}{4}$ of an inch. The situation is critical and rain is anxiously awaited. Sowing operations are now suspended. Much damage has already been caused to the earlier sown crops. Rice nurseries are withering; cotton is dying off and other crops especially on high lying land and poor soils are suffering. Seed grain that can ill be spared has been lost. There is great scarcity of fodder in most parts of the Provinces which is telling on the cattle and insufficiency of water is reported from five districts. Locusts have appeared in the Mungeli tehsil of Bilaspur. Prices have eased a little in Hoshangabad and Mandla; but are still rising in most districts; the advance being most marked in Chhindwara. The numbers of relief workers remain practically the same. The increase of 10,000 in the numbers on gratuitous relief is due partly to the extension of village relief to dependants and others who have left the works. The contraction of 19,000 in the number of persons on private works has been shared by seven districts. The numbers on relief works were—Saugor 18,776, Damoh 23,412, Jubbulpore 24,667, Mandla 11,838, Seoni 6,597, Narsinghpur 14,390, Hoshangabad 23,273, Nimar 64, Betul 7,299, Chhindwara 12,040, Wardha 3,017, Nagpur 12,640, Bhandara 16,326, Balaghat 29,739, Raipur 39,508, Bilaspur 33,956, and Sambalpur 107; total 277,649. Numbers on gratuitous relief—Saugor 16,768, Damoh 16,635, Jubbulpore 25,264, Mandla 5,457, Seoni 3,961, Narsinghpur 7,966, Hoshangabad 8,697, Nimar 849, Betul 2,767, Chhindwara 3,965, Wardha 37, Nagpur 5,349, Bhandara 8,758, Balaghat 16,094, Raipur 21,901, Bilaspur 48,015, and Sambalpur 36; total 192,529. Total number on relief 470,178. There were also 63,077 persons employed on railway and other private works. Details of relief workers—men 80,211, women 133,915, and children 63,449 with 74 unclassified. Dependants—men 1,394, women 2,263, and children 38,441 with 603 unclassified. Poor-houses—men 9,167, women 10,492, and children 14,013. Otherwise relieved—men 18,316, women 36,093, and children 31,269 with 30,478 unclassified. Wage prices—Sambalpur $9\frac{1}{4}$, Nagpur $9\frac{1}{4}$, Narsinghpur, Chhindwara, and Bilaspur 9, Jubbulpore and Wardha $8\frac{1}{4}$, Chanda and Bhandara $8\frac{1}{4}$, Saugor $8\frac{1}{4}$, Hoshangabad,

Betul, and Raipur 8, Mandla and Seoni $7\frac{3}{4}$, Damoh and Nimar $7\frac{1}{2}$, and Balaghat 7 seers per rupee.

Burma.—*For week ending 3rd July.*—In Lower Burma ploughing has commenced in Toungoo. Ploughing and sowing continue in the districts previously reported. In Upper Burma reaping of early wet weather paddy is nearly completed in Mandalay; outturn above the average. Of the precarious districts Mandalay received during the week more than 4 inches of rain; Sagaing, Minbu, Magwe more than one inch and Pakokku and Thayetmyo more than $\frac{1}{2}$ inch; Shwebo Lower Chindwin, Meiktila, Yamethin, and Myingyan only received rain in ineffective amounts. Ploughing is retarded in Madaya Township of Mandalay for want of rain. Standing crops are withering in Shwebo, Meiktila, Yamethin, and Myingyan from drought and rain is urgently needed in these districts. In Natogyi Township of Myingyan districts sesamum plants have been almost wholly destroyed by a deluge of rain. Excluding the four districts mentioned above standing crops are in good condition and prospects continue fair. The price of paddy has risen slightly in Tharrawaddy and Mandalay and fallen considerably in Myaungmya; elsewhere stationary. The numbers on relief works are—Meiktila 7,604 and Myingyan 19,744. On gratuitous relief—Meiktila 1,551, Myingyan 2,756, and Yamethin 304. Total number on relief 22,959. Price of rice—Meiktila 7 seers 10 chittacks and Myingyan 9 seers 3 chittacks per rupee.

Assam.—*For week ending 6th July.*—More rain wanted in Lower Assam Valley and Naga Hills; elsewhere weather seasonable and rainfall sufficient. Harvesting of early and transplanting of late rice continue. Prospects of rice crop poor in Lower Assam, elsewhere fair. Potatoe harvest in Khasia Hills promises well. Prices—common rice—Silchar and Tezpur $7\frac{1}{2}$, Gauhati 7, and Sylhet, Sibsagar and Dibrugarh 8 seers per rupee.

Mysore and Coorg.—*For week ending 5th July.*—**MYSORE.**—Slight rain in parts. Standing crops are in good condition. Prices have risen in six districts. Paddy sown in Bangalore, Mysore, Chitaldroog, and Shimoga districts.

COORG.—Rainfall two inches 64 cents. Ploughing for rice crop continues. *Ragi* (*Eleusine coracana*), coffee, and cardamom crops thriving. Prices of food-grains are rising. Water and fodder for cattle are abundant.

Berar and Hyderabad.—*For week ending 5th July.*—**BERAR.**—Weather continues warm and cloudy. Cotton plants have sprung up in places, but are in poor condition through want of rain. Breaking up of land for the monsoon crop almost completed. Sowing operations are still undertaken, although reluctantly owing to present unfavourable weather. General insufficiency of fodder and water is keenly felt by cultivating classes. Prices of food-grains have risen abnormally high. Relief workers—Akola 5,874, Amraoti 2,892, Basim 955, Buldana 3,355, Ellichpur 1,592, and Wun 2,314. On gratuitous relief—Akola 2,262, Amraoti 552, Basim 190, Buldana 1,437, Ellichpur 1,847. Occupants of poor-houses—Akola 1,121, Amraoti 1,102, Basim 299, Buldana 500, and Ellichpur 2,119. Total number on relief 32,420. Prices—*jowar*—Akola 8, Amraoti $8\frac{1}{2}$, Basim 9, Buldana 8, Ellichpur 7, and Wun $10\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee.

HYDERABAD.—Rainfall during week 17 cents. Failure of monsoon up to date causing considerable anxiety in Hyderabad territory. Complaints made of want of rain; of crops withering; of sowings being retarded and of prices rising. Position stated to be exceedingly critical. Scarcity of fodder and water continues. Aggregate number of persons employed on relief works in Gulbarga, Raichur, Lingsagar, and Naldrug 13,033. Prices in affected districts— $7\frac{1}{2}$ seers in Naldrug, $8\frac{1}{2}$ in Gulbarga and Raichur, and $9\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee in Lingsagar. 479 persons on gratuitous relief in Lingsagar, 469 in Naldrug, and 82 in Mahbubnagar. Total number on relief 14,063. Prices—wheat $5\frac{3}{4}$, coarse rice $7\frac{1}{2}$, and *jowar* $10\frac{1}{2}$ seers per current sicca rupee.

Central India.—*For week ending 5th July.*—Slight rain fell in Gwalior, Bhopawar, and Ajmere during the week; none elsewhere. Rain is urgently wanted throughout Central India. Sowing operations are retarded for want of rain in Malwa and Bhopawar; in progress in other agencies. Agricultural stock is fair in Bhopal, Bundelkhand, Baghelkhand; good in Malwa; and bad elsewhere. Pasturage is fair in Bundelkhand and Baghelkhand; failing in Malwa; very scarce in Bhopawar; and bad and indifferent in Gwalior. Prices are above normal in all agencies. The numbers of persons employed on famine relief works were—27,277 in Gwalior, 39,720 in Bundelkhand, and 33,884 in Baghelkhand. On gratuitous relief—11,262 in Gwalior, 7,006 in Bundelkhand, and 4,671 in Baghelkhand. Total number on relief 123,820. Prices—9 to $9\frac{1}{2}$ in Gwalior, $8\frac{3}{4}$ to $9\frac{3}{4}$ in Bundelkhand, and 9 seers per rupee in Baghelkhand.

Rajputana.—*For week ending 7th July.*—Rainfall in Bhurtpore 22 cents, Jaisalmer 18 cents, slight in Ajmere, Abu, and one tehsil of Ulwar; *nil* in other parts. Agricultural operations are retarded for want of rain in Kotah, Haraoti, and Bikanir; not satisfactory in Dholepore; in progress elsewhere. Agricultural stock fair to good, except in Kherwara and Bhurtpore. Pasturage or fodder is scarce in Kherwara, some tehsils of Jeypore, six or seven tehsils of Jhallawar; dying for want of rain in Dholepore; and failing in Bhurtpore. Prices are generally rising; steady in Serohi, Kherwara, Tonk, Bundi, Dholepore, and Jaisalmer; and fluctuating in Kotah. The number of persons on relief works was—Marwar 6,164, Tonk 1,775, Dholepore 2,088, Bikanir 4,979, and Jaisalmer 1,579. On ordinary works—Tonk 354, Bhurtpore 6,963, Dholepore 2,629, Bikanir 1,355, and Jaisalmer 23. On gratuitous relief—Marwar 1,336, Tonk 2,218, Chabra 62, Bundi 307, Deoli 8, Dholepore 1,283, Bhurtpore 366, Bikanir 2,019, and Jaisalmer 409. Total number on relief 24,593. Prices—Marwar $9\frac{1}{8}$, Tonk 11, Deoli $12\frac{3}{4}$, Dholepore $11\frac{1}{2}$, Bhurtpore $10\frac{1}{8}$, Bikanir 9 and $7\frac{1}{8}$, and Jaisalmer $8\frac{3}{8}$ seers per rupee.

Kashmir.—*For week ending 6th July.*—Weather fine. Transplantation of rice going on. Prices continue little below normal.

JAMMU PROVINCE.—*For week ending 6th July.*—No rain. Fodder is scanty. Prices stationary.

Nepal.—*For week ending 3rd July.*—Around Katmandu the monsoon has entirely ceased for the last five days, and the weather is like that in early May with thick heat haze. Agricultural prospects are gloomy unless strong monsoon arrives early. Price— $6\frac{1}{4}$ seers per rupee.

The total numbers in receipt of relief during the preceding and present weeks are as follows:

NAME OF PROVINCE.	PRECEDING WEEK.			PRESENT WEEK.			Increase or decrease.
	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	
			(a)		(c)		
Madras . .	412,640	146,139	558,779	451,220	168,885	620,105	+ 61,326
Bombay . .	269,105	42,668	311,773	270,400	46,843	317,243	+ 5,470
Bengal . .	304,534	435,345	739,879	276,387	442,729	719,116	— 20,763
North-Western Provinces and Oudh . .	433,599	431,424	865,023	415,095	(b) 446,736	861,831	— 3,192
Punjab . .	79,395	14,064	93,459	84,773	12,867	97,640	+ 4,181
Central Provinces	278,174	180,322	458,496	277,649	192,529	470,178	+ 11,682
Burma . .	15,770	4,239	20,009	18,348	4,611	22,959	+ 2,950
Berar . .	20,253	6,965	27,218	20,982	11,438	32,420	+ 5,202
Hyderabad . .	17,579	721	18,300	13,033	1,030	14,063	— 4,237
Central India . .	139,360	22,745	162,105	100,881	22,939	123,820	— 38,285
Rajputana . .	15,765	8,180	23,945	16,585	8,008	24,593	+ 648
TOTAL . .	1,986,174	1,292,812	3,278,986	1,945,353	1,358,615	3,303,968	+ 24,982

(a) and (c) Figures incomplete for one district.

(b) Includes 56,486 relieved from the Indian Charitable Fund.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.
(FAMINE.)

Return of the number of persons in receipt of relief in districts affected by scarcity.

NOTE.—The figures are compiled from the Local Gazettes, and give the District details of the Provincial totals published weekly in the *Census Summary* in the *Gazette of India*.

non-labouring children and other dependants of relief workers are classed as on relief works when distinguished in the local returns as gratuitously relieved in poor-houses or at their homes.

Name of Province and District.	FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 12TH JUNE 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 19TH JUNE 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 26TH JUNE 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 3RD JULY 1897.		
	Relief works.	Gra- tuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gra- tuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gra- tuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gra- tuitous relief.	Total.
<i>Madras.</i>												
Cuddapah	61,579	20,320	81,899	64,614	23,445	88,059	72,449	23,759	96,208	75,200	26,010	101,210
Kurnool	97,510	15,142	112,652	96,368	22,710	119,078	104,983	26,999	131,982	113,120	34,165	147,285
Bellary	107,203	13,710	120,913	103,074	16,601	119,675	105,372	19,508	122,880	111,339	19,871	131,210
Anantapur	51,671	8,922	60,593	43,859	10,198	54,057	55,121	10,534	65,655	58,663	9,741	68,404
Ganjam	17,706	34,498	52,204	22,818	40,004	62,822	28,510	36,985	65,495	35,681	49,645	85,276
Vizagapatam	14,278	1,523	16,501	13,896	2,201	16,097	15,785	3,129	18,914	18,687	6,439	25,126
Godavari	450	549	999	4,674	240	4,914	2,219	588	2,807	...	268	268
TOTAL MADRAS	354,997	(*)91,664	448,761	349,303	(*)115,399	464,702	382,739	(*)121,602	504,241	412,640	(*)146,139	558,779
<i>Bombay.</i>												
Bijapur	53,032	11,658	64,690	53,862	10,964	64,826	56,263	11,797	68,060	64,879	12,175	77,054
Sholapur	111,087	7,838	118,925	104,638	8,201	112,839	102,890	8,316	111,206	97,981	8,749	106,730
Ahmednagar	58,690	6,514	65,204	52,677	6,028	58,705	46,059	7,386	53,445	43,404	8,156	51,560
Poona	24,171	8,351	32,522	25,030	8,161	33,191	21,596	9,656	31,252	18,945	10,172	29,117
Nasik	22,623	664	23,287	21,064	775	21,839	18,263	980	19,243	15,401	1,122	16,523
Satara	10,234	211	10,445	8,523	383	8,906	8,441	438	8,879	9,094	504	9,598
Khandesh	24,169	...	24,169	16,780	...	16,780	12,874	...	12,874	12,044	...	12,044
Belgaum	10,786	636	11,422	9,256	623	9,879	7,775	660	8,435	7,275	772	8,047
Dharwar	560	898	1,458	618	902	1,550	243	833	1,076	82	1,018	1,100
Ratnagiri	382	...	382	219	...	219	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kolaba	266	...	266	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL BOMBAY	316,000	36,770	352,770	292,697	36,937	329,634	274,404	40,066	314,470	269,105	42,668	311,773
<i>Bengal.</i>												
Champaran	108,106	83,338	191,444	112,715	83,632	196,347	98,571	84,941	183,512	61,903	85,513	147,416
Shahabad	11,059	21,652	32,711	10,397	20,404	30,801	7,497	21,543	28,950	3,197	18,897	22,094
Nadia	30,078	61,729	91,807	32,670	66,587	99,257	41,056	68,166	109,222	37,582	68,878	106,460
Patna	...	140	140	...	142	142	...	157	157	...	187	187
Khulna	4,863	6,484	11,347	5,878	7,055	12,933	3,393	9,522	12,915	741	9,523	10,264
Sharan	23,262	54,447	77,709	27,000	53,417	80,417	20,392	52,235	72,627	18,238	47,375	65,613
Darbhanga	163,153	89,476	252,629	156,991	84,022	241,013	155,301	86,960	242,261	123,775	90,793	214,568
Muzaffarpur	59,588	74,064	133,652	47,366	67,316	114,682	59,823	70,351	130,174	32,453	70,387	102,840
Rajshahi	275	...	275	434	...	434	497	...	497	341	...	341
Bhagulpur	1,740	2,674	4,314	411	2,642	3,053	1,291	2,498	3,792	1,193	9,989	11,182
Palamau	3,430	2,224	5,654	1,406	2,239	3,645	2,592	2,189	4,781	1,654	2,066	3,720
Manbhum	4,266	8,777	13,043	12,789	671	13,460	5,618	10,611	16,229	6,487	10,031	16,518
Pabna	390	54	444	...	...	...	1,036	95	1,131	1,328	2,649	3,977
Murshidabad	3,200	3,451	6,651	1,690	...	1,690	1,070	3,017	4,687	2,149	3,722	5,871
Hazariabagh	2,805	5,720	8,525	2,576	5,822	8,398	2,074	6,439	8,513	2,315	6,447	8,762
Puri	3,686	...	3,686	3,591	483	4,074	4,238	593	4,831	285	629	914
Sonthal Parganas	4,292	1,985	6,277	3,561	3,973	7,534	3,560	4,027	7,527	2,362	4,681	7,043
Bankura	950	4,247	5,197	1,327	4,883	6,210	1,784	8,320	10,104	1,872	9,166	11,038
Singhbhum	...	...	...	...	...	...	174	...	174	108	...	108
Lohardaga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	460	...	503	963
TOTAL BENGAL	425,023	420,162	845,185	420,792	403,288	824,080	410,420	431,664	842,084	298,443	441,436	739,879
<i>North-Western Provinces and Oudh.</i>												
Agra	21,292	6,356	27,648	23,042	6,520	29,562	23,262	6,529	29,791	19,971	7,995	27,966
Etawah	1,609	4,744	6,353	1,539	3,293	4,832	1,126	3,350	4,476	717	3,095	3,812
Banda	259,459	39,308	298,767	254,122	40,671	294,793	240,147	37,570	277,717	153,921	52,170	206,091
Jamnpur	3,343	8,968	12,311	2,884	9,255	12,139	1,682	8,742	10,424	566	9,198	9,764
Hamirpur	95,299	23,605	118,904	103,887	20,587	124,474	44,183	22,449	66,633	38,070	22,736	60,806
Allahabad	272,628	56,342	328,970	260,274	58,817	319,091	248,594	58,728	307,322	41,370	59,768	101,138
Ilahsi	73,293	19,473	92,766	71,168	20,746	91,914	46,870	20,977	67,847	9,356	20,849	30,205
Salau	103,841	18,322	122,163	103,348	19,413	122,761	100,605	20,369	121,034	924	18,700	19,624
Jaunpur	22,912	16,355	39,267	20,456	17,725	38,181	18,173	17,265	35,438	311	16,342	16,653
Forakhpur	14,476	14,851	29,327	10,892	14,359	25,251	15,562	14,922	30,484	12,605	15,250	27,855
Jucknow	33,592	23,882	57,474	16,862	25,265	42,127	32,087	25,067	57,154	30,580	25,333	55,913
Jnao	24,106	16,018	40,124	24,597	16,406	41,003	21,867	16,123	37,990	14,491	15,340	29,831
Rai Bareilly	23,120	14,131	37,251	21,625	14,452	35,977	16,744	15,036	31,780	11,981	15,701	27,682
Etapur	1,265	4,170	5,435	894	4,752	5,646	936	3,980	4,916	864	5,200	6,064
Jardoi	110,990	41,274	152,264	98,502	43,051	141,553	83,331	45,121	128,452	69,366	44,529	113,895
Jara Banki	510	1,036	1,546	85	1,114	1,199	437	1,285	1,722	...	1,361	1,361
Dirzapur	36,181	18,248	54,429	32,649	19,471	52,120	29,061	15,559	44,620	11,885	20,949	32,834

(1) Includes 23,755 weavers relieved at their own trade.

(*)	"	25,199	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(*)	"	22,542	"	"	"	"	"	"	"

(*) Including 29,348 weavers relieved at their own trade

* Incomplete.

SUPPLEMENT TO THE GAZETTE OF INDIA, JULY 10, 1897.

Return of the number of persons in receipt of relief in districts affected by scarcity—continued.

No.	Name of Province and District.	FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 12TH JUNE 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 19TH JUNE 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 26TH JUNE 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 3RD JULY 1897.		
		Relief works.	Gratui- tous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratui- tous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratui- tous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratui- tous relief.	Total.
North-Western Provinces and Oudh—contd.													
18	Bijnor	141	1,016	1,157	151	1,140	1,291	174	1,159	1,333	300	1,166	1,526
19	Moradabad	1,219	2,619	3,838	1,215	2,616	3,831	758	2,638	3,396	1,776	2,786	4,562
20	Barcilly	1,186	1,743	2,929	885	1,788	2,673	800	1,451	2,251	1,879	1,354	3,233
21	Muttra	3,555	4,710	8,265	4,133	4,728	8,861	1,114	4,740	8,854	2,593	4,742	7,336
22	Etah	16	701	717	...	1,241	1,241	...	1,445	1,445	...	1,880	1,880
23	Mainpuri . . . . .	...	1,100	1,100	...	1,486	1,486	...	536	536	...	1,401	1,401
24	Farukhabad	122	3,067	3,189	107	3,498	3,605	67	3,809	3,876	25	3,714	3,739
25	Budaun	246	1,209	1,455	294	1,398	1,692	326	1,235	1,561	...	164	164
26	Shahjahanpur	701	3,043	3,744	384	2,990	3,374	354	3,833	4,187	337	4,250	4,587
27	Pilibhit	1,510	2,702	4,212	1,384	2,767	4,151	1,422	2,954	4,376	1,005	2,787	3,792
28	Kheri	864	188	1,052	1,281	103	1,384	1,288	107	1,395	449	206	655
29	Sultanpur	3,256	1,607	4,863	2,615	1,722	4,337	2,071	2,267	4,338	275	1,950	2,225
30	Pertabgarh	3,634	3,115	6,749	2,550	3,615	6,165	1,731	3,442	5,173	20	3,795	3,815
31	Fyzabad . . . . .	...	1,996	1,996	...	2,591	2,591	...	2,888	2,888	...	4,645	4,645
32	Fatehpur	7,437	10,255	17,692	5,793	9,203	14,996	4,579	9,102	13,681	2,639	8,108	10,747
33	Azamgarh	13,896	5,779	19,675	13,809	8,308	22,117	7,171	9,100	16,271	4,642	14,358	19,000
34	Benares	2,394	12,364	14,758	2,353	12,575	14,928	1,167	12,595	13,762	150	12,312	12,462
35	Gonda	1,427	382	1,809	780	473	1,253	500	955	1,455	...	481	481
36	Basti	3,579	1,607	5,186	2,132	1,811	3,943	2,240	2,200	4,440	471	1,939	2,410
TOTAL FOR N.-W. P. & O.		1,143,089	386,286	1,529,375	1,086,592	399,950	1,486,542	953,489	399,519	1,353,008	433,599	426,554*	860,153
Punjab.													
1	Hissar	63,119	8,643	71,762	67,212	8,344	75,556	61,267	8,236	72,503	65,063	8,103	73,166
2	Rohitak	7,939	2,027	9,966	10,496	2,285	12,781	9,102	2,137	11,239	9,210	2,126	11,336
3	Delhi	862	836	1,698	982	829	1,811	1,201	901	2,102	1,174	165	1,339
4	Karnal	5,516	1,432	6,948	4,519	1,304	5,823	3,173	1,221	4,394	3,018	1,573	4,591
5	Umballa	1,737	2,002	3,739	1,786	2,296	4,082	1,172	2,236	3,408	492	2,097	2,589
6	Ferozpur	270	...	270	458	...	458	...	454	...	416	...	416
7	Gujrat	4,067	441	4,508	3,948	381	4,329	3,536	196	3,732	...	...	...
8	Rawalpindi	33	...	33	...	...	...	61	...	61	24	...	24
TOTAL PUNJAB		83,543	15,401	98,944	89,401	15,449	104,850	82,966	14,927	97,893	79,397	14,064	93,461
Central Provinces.													
1	Saugor	42,208	15,353	57,561	44,812	15,119	59,931	37,447	15,593	53,040	18,873	16,198	35,071
2	Damoh	38,715	11,962	50,677	31,695	12,201	43,896	30,564	12,405	42,969	27,296	12,751	40,047
3	Jabalpur	51,959	22,217	74,176	43,910	22,569	66,479	44,812	22,627	67,439	23,415	21,718	45,133
4	Mandla	29,180	3,269	32,449	27,417	3,335	30,752	26,737	3,255	29,992	23,496	3,622	27,118
5	Seoni	13,061	2,646	15,707	10,465	2,989	13,454	9,484	2,758	12,242	7,418	2,825	10,263
6	Narsinghpur	48,307	3,589	51,896	51,511	4,067	58,578	8,980	4,509	13,489	24,122	4,854	28,976
7	Hoshangabad	57,726	891	58,617	43,319	1,060	44,379	37,144	1,214	38,358	23,739	1,414	25,153
8	Nimar	333	585	918	236	599	835	128	581	709	151	624	775
9	Betul	18,287	1,760	20,047	10,387	1,831	12,218	5,917	2,294	8,211	7,553	2,340	9,793
10	Chindwara	16,136	2,104	18,240	15,788	2,219	18,007	12,319	2,919	15,238	11,968	2,151	14,119
11	Nagpur	16,026	754	16,780	14,196	1,174	15,370	14,799	1,229	16,028	13,805	1,632	15,437
12	Chanda	119	...	119	134	...	134	101	...	101	...	...	...
13	Bhandara	36,466	4,908	41,374	49,807	5,361	55,168	32,268	5,361	37,629	20,787	5,971	26,758
14	Balughat	55,425	9,481	64,906	57,467	9,369	66,836	52,023	9,548	61,571	36,092	9,651	45,743
15	Raipur	92,082	10,269	102,351	85,657	14,570	100,227	73,502	14,062	87,564	51,789	14,370	66,159
16	Bilaspur	36,952	25,182	62,134	39,150	25,436	64,586	36,211	29,137	65,348	30,274	34,283	64,557
17	Sambalpur	1,241	426	1,667	2,024	...	2,024	2,808	...	2,808	289	...	289
18	Wardha	7,115	...	7,115	7,115	...	7,115	2,847	...	2,847	2,095	...	2,095
TOTAL CENTRAL PROV- INCES		561,338	115,396	676,734	538,090	121,899	659,989	428,091	127,522	555,613	323,162	134,304	457,466†
Burma.													
1	Meiktila	4,623	843	5,466	5,414	941	6,355	5,902	1,089	6,991	7,200	1,410	8,610
2	Myingyan	7,841	1,944	9,785	5,664	1,563	7,227	(not reported).		...	8,570	2,532	11,102
3	Yamethin . . . . .	...	365	365	...	362	362	(not reported).		...	...	297	297
TOTAL BURMA		12,464	3,152	15,616	11,078	2,866	13,944	5,902	1,089	6,991	15,770	4,239	20,009

* Includes 63,700 relieved from the Indian Charitable Relief Fund.

† Exclusive of 4,870 on relief works of family domains of the Maharaja of Benares.

‡ There were also 82,724 persons employed on railway and other private works.

§ Incomplete.

Return of the number of persons in receipt of relief in districts affected by scarcity—concluded.

Name of Province and District.	FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 12TH JUNE 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 19TH JUNE 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 26TH JUNE 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 3RD JULY 1897.		
	Relief works.	Gra-tuitous relief.	Total	Relief works.	Gra-tuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gra-tuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gra-tuitous relief.	Total
<i>Berar.</i>												
Akola	8,097	2,055	10,152	7,517	1,993	9,510	7,781	2,338	10,119	8,537	1,895	10,432
Basim	4,623	1,696	6,319	1,836	527	2,363	819	428	1,247	866	422	1,288
Ellichpur	2,222	...	2,222	2,172	...	2,172	(not reported)	...	...	1,792	1,949	3,741
Amraoti	1,436	937	2,373	1,583	1,056	2,639	1,522	1,150	2,672	1,491	1,501	2,992
Buldana	2,686	...	2,686	2,351	...	2,351	2,388	1,121	3,509	2,013	1,198	3,211
Wun	6,546	...	6,546	6,016	...	6,016	5,845	...	5,845	5,554	...	5,554
TOTAL BERAR	25,610	4,688	30,298	21,475	3,576	25,051	18,355	5,037	23,392	20,253	6,965	27,218
<i>Hyderabad.</i>												
Raichur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Naldurg	24,024	696	24,720	25,497	741	26,148	*16,601	276	16,877	*17,579	202	17,781
Gulbarga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lingsagar	...	374	374	...	412	412	...	438	438	...	448	44
Bir	...	333	333	...	1,822	1,822	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mahbubnagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	71	...
TOTAL HYDERABAD	24,024	1,403	25,427	25,407	2,975	28,382	16,601	714	17,315	17,579	721	18,300
<i>Central India.</i>												
Bundelkhand	43,919	5,124	49,043	64,562	7,550	72,112	37,543	7,658	45,201	47,446	7,528	54,974
Baghelkhand	66,820	4,492	71,312	68,799	4,980	73,779	66,820	5,014	71,834	61,414	4,720	66,134
Gwalior	44,044	13,969	58,013	45,063	14,292	59,355	31,536	11,792	43,328	30,500	10,497	40,997
TOTAL CENTRAL INDIA	154,783	23,585	178,368	178,424	26,822	205,246	135,899	24,464	160,363	139,366	22,745	162,110
<i>Rajputana.</i>												
Marwar	6,080	1,312	7,392	5,757	1,314	7,071	6,587	1,348	7,935	5,932	1,342	7,274
Dholpur	1,801	...	1,801	2,132	949	3,081	1,894	1,167	3,061	1,517	1,179	2,696
Bikanir	6,065	3,160	9,225	5,794	3,118	8,912	5,210	2,751	7,961	4,890	2,341	7,231
Jaisalmir	1,364	266	1,630	1,371	259	1,630	1,513	367	1,880	1,502	409	1,911
Bhurtpur	...	350	350	...	369	369	...	308	308	...	367	367
Tonk	...	2,015	2,015	1,338	2,015	3,353	1,624	2,227	3,851	1,924	2,227	4,151
Deoli	...	8	8	...	8	8	...	8	8	...	8	8
Bundi	...	...	...	...	300	300	...	300	300	...	307	307
TOTAL RAJPUTANA	15,310	7,111	22,421	16,392	8,332	24,724	16,828	8,476	25,304	15,765	8,180	23,945
GRAND TOTAL FOR ALL PROVINCES	115,281	1,108,918	1,224,199	1,302,651	1,137,493	1,467,144	725,694	1,174,980	1,900,674	1,025,073	1,248,015	3,273,088

* Includes Gulbarga, Raichur, Naldurg, Lingsagar, Bir and Mahbubnagar.

† Besides 10,121 on ordinary work.

The dates at the head of the table are the dates of the *Gazette of India* in which the Provincial totals were published. The figures however all show the numbers on relief on each preceding Saturday. All previous returns should be read subject to a similar correction.

Dated 10th July 1897.

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Customs Circular No. VIII of 1897.

From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Finance and Commerce Department, No. 2780 S. R., dated the 25th June 1897.

To—The Secretary to the Government of Madras, Revenue Department.

In reply to your letter No. 2604, dated the 21st May 1897, I am directed to say that hoop steel should be added to the list (subjoined to this Department letter No. 768 S.R., dated 14th February 1896) of articles to be exempted from the payment of import duty when imported by the owners of a cotton weaving mill and shewn to the satisfaction of the Collector of Customs to be intended for use in the weaving of cotton or the baling of woven cotton goods. I am accordingly to request that, with the permission of His Excellency the Governor in Council, the necessary instructions may be issued to the Collector of Customs, Madras.

Customs Circular No. IX of 1897.

From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Finance and Commerce Department, No. 2919 S. R., dated the 3rd July 1897.

To—The Chief Secretary to the Government of

Madras
Hombay
Bengal
Burma

I am directed to state, for the information of

His Excellency the Governor in Council
His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor

, that the Governor General in Council has decided that mess-plate brought into India by British Regiments arriving in this country, and certified by the Commanding Officer to have been in use for twelve months, shall be exempted from customs duty. This exemption applies only to mess-plate brought with the Regiment on arrival in India, and not to articles of mess-plate imported by the Regiment after its arrival in India.

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(b) being the owner or occupier of such dwelling, is cognizant of the existence of any infectious or contagious disorder therein, or, in default of such owner or occupier,

(c) being the person in charge of, or in attendance on, any person suffering from any infectious or contagious disorder in such dwelling, is cognizant of the existence of such disorder therein,

shall be bound to give information to the Cantonment Authority respecting the existence of such disorder:

Provided that a person not required to give information in the first instance, but only in default of some other person, shall not be held to be bound to give information under this rule if it is shown that he had reasonable cause to suppose that the information had been, or would be, duly given.

3. (1) So far as the funds at its disposal permit, the Cantonment Authority may—
Hospitals or dispensaries.

(a) provide and maintain, either within or without the cantonment, as many hospitals or dispensaries as may be necessary; or

(b) make upon such terms as it thinks fit to impose, a grant-in-aid to any hospital or dispensary, whether within or without the cantonment, not maintained by it.

(2) Every hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under this rule shall have attached to it a ward or wards for the treatment of persons suffering from infectious or contagious disorders.

4. A medical officer to be appointed in such manner as the Local Government may direct, shall be in charge of every hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under rule 3.
Medical officer to be in charge of hospital or dispensary.

5. Subject to the control over the Cantonment Fund which is vested in the Local Government by section 23 of the Cantonments Act, 1889, there shall be appointed, for every hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under rule 3, such subordinate establishment as may be necessary.
Subordinate establishments for hospitals or dispensaries.

XIII of 1889.

6. So far as the funds at its disposal permit, the Cantonment Authority shall cause every hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under rule 3 to be provided with—
Medical supplies, appliances, etc.

(a) all necessary drugs, instruments, apparatus, furniture and appliances;

(b) sufficient cots, bedding and clothing for in-patients; and

(c) such further requisites as may be necessary.

7. Every hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under rule 3 shall be maintained in accordance with the rules made generally or specially by the Governor General in
Application of civil hospital rules.

Council, or the Local Government for the conduct of hospitals and dispensaries, or in accordance with the said rules modified in such manner as the Governor General in Council or the Local Government may think proper.

8. At every hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under rule 3, the sick poor of the cantonment, persons in the cantonment suffering from infectious or contagious disorders and, with the sanction of the Cantonment Authority, any other sick persons may receive medical treatment free of cost and, if treated as in-patients, shall be either dieted gratuitously or, should the medical officer in charge so direct, granted subsistence allowance on a scale to be determined by the Cantonment Authority:

Provided that the subsistence allowance granted as aforesaid shall not be less than the lowest allowance for the time being fixed for the subsistence of judgment-debtors by the Local Government under section 338 of the Code of Civil Procedure. XIV of 18

9. Any sick person who is ineligible under the last foregoing rule to receive medical treatment free of cost in any hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under rule 3, may, upon such terms as the Cantonment Authority thinks fit to impose, be admitted to treatment in such hospital or dispensary.
Paying patients.

10. If the medical officer in charge of a hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under rule 3 has *prima facie* grounds for believing that any person living in the cantonment is suffering from an infectious or contagious disorder, he may, by notice in writing in the form set forth in the schedule or in any similar form, call upon such person to attend at the hospital or dispensary at a time to be specified in the notice and not to quit it without the permission of the medical officer in charge unless and until such medical officer is satisfied, by examination, if necessary, that such person is not in fact suffering, or is no longer suffering, from such disorder:
Power to call upon person suffering from infectious or contagious disorder to attend and remain in the hospital or dispensary.

Provided that, if, having regard to the nature of the disorder, or the condition of the person suffering therefrom, or the general environment and circumstances of such person, the medical officer considers the attendance of such person at the hospital or dispensary inexpedient, he may dispense with such attendance and take such measures or give such directions as to him seem fit and proper.

11. If the medical officer in charge of a hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under rule 3 reports in writing to the Commanding Officer of the cantonment that any person having received a notice as provided in rule 10 has refused or omitted to attend at the hospital or dispensary, or that such person having attended at the hospital or dispensary, has quitted it without the permission of such medical officer, the Commanding Officer may, if he thinks it expedient, by order in writing, direct such person to remove from the cantonment within twenty-four hours and prohibit such
Power to exclude from cantonment.

person from remaining longer in, or re-entering, it without his written permission.

12. The Cantonment Authority may, by notice in writing, prohibit—

- (a) the keeping of a brothel, or
(b) the residence of a public prostitute, in the Cantonment or in any specified part thereof.

13. No public prostitute shall be permitted to reside within the limits of any regimental bazar situate in the cantonment.

14. No person shall, in any street or public place within the limits of the cantonment loiter for the purpose of prostitution or importune any person to the commission of sexual immorality:

Provided that no person shall be charged with a breach of this rule except on the complaint of the person importuned or of a member of the British military police-force employed in the cantonment and specially authorized in this behalf by the Commanding Officer of the cantonment, or of an officer as defined in the Cantonments Act, 1889.

Penalties.

15. (1) Whoever, being bound by rule 2 to give information to the Cantonment Authority respecting the existence of an infectious or contagious disorder, fails to give information or gives false information, shall be punishable with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

(2) Whoever,—

(a) having, under rule 11, been prohibited from remaining in, or re-entering, the cantonment, remains in, or re-enters, it without the written permission of the Commanding Officer; or

(b) fails to comply with a notice under rule 12; or

(c) commits a breach of rule 14;

shall be punishable with fine, which may extend to fifty rupees, or with imprisonment for a term which may extend to eight days.

16. Any member of the police-force employed in the cantonment may arrest without a warrant, any person committing, or charged with having committed, an offence punishable under clause (2) (a) or clause (2) (c) of the last foregoing rule:

Provided as follows:—

- (i) no person shall be so arrested whose name and address are known to either the complainant or the arresting officer;
- (ii) no person shall be so arrested who consents to give his or her name and address, unless there is reasonable ground for doubting the accuracy of the name or address so given, the burden of proof of which shall be on the arresting officer;
- (iii) no person so arrested shall be detained after his or her name and address have been ascertained;

(iv) no person so arrested shall, except under the order of a Magistrate, be detained longer than may be necessary for bringing him or her before a Magistrate; and

(v) no person shall be so arrested for a breach of rule 14 except—

(a) at the request of the person importuned or of an officer as defined in the Cantonments Act, 1889, in whose presence the breach was committed; or

(b) by, or at the request of, a member of the British military police-force employed in the cantonment and specially authorised in this behalf by the Commanding Officer of the cantonment, in whose presence the breach was committed.

SCHEDULE.

(See Rule 10.)

To _____

Take notice that under rule 10 of the Rules under the Cantonments Act, 1889 (XIII of 1889), published in the *Gazette of India*, 1897, Part I, page— you are hereby called upon to attend at the _____

_____ on _____ day, the _____, 189 , at _____ o'clock _____ M., and not to quit the said ^{hospital} ^{dispensary} without the permission of the medical officer in charge unless and until such officer is satisfied that you are not in fact suffering, or are no longer suffering from an infectious or contagious disorder, that is to say from _____

Medical Officer in charge of the

Dated _____, the _____, 189—.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 751.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

To be Major.

Captain Kenneth Mackenzie Foss,—3rd July 1897.

No. 752.—Subject to Her Majesty's approval, the undermentioned officer is granted the temporary rank of Major, whilst serving as regimental second-in-command, Indian Army:

Captain Edmund Charles Thwaytes. Dated 9th May 1897.



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PART VI.

Proceedings of the Council of the Governor General of India, assembled for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA, ASSEMBLED
FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING LAWS AND REGULATIONS UNDER THE
PROVISIONS OF THE INDIAN COUNCILS ACTS, 1861 AND 1892
(24 & 25 VICT., CAP. 67, AND 55 & 56 VICT., CAP. 14).

The Council met at the Viceregal Lodge, Simla, on Thursday, the 8th July,
1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Earl of Elgin, Viceroy and Governor General of India,
P.C., G.M.S.I., G.M.I.E., LL.D., *presiding*.

His Honour Sir William Mackworth Young, K.C.S.I., Lieutenant-Governor
of the Punjab.

His Excellency Sir G. S. White, G.C.I.E., G.C.B., V.C., Commander-in-Chief
in India.

The Hon'ble Sir J. Westland, K.C.S.I.

The Hon'ble Sir J. Woodburn, K.C.S.I.

The Hon'ble M. D. Chalmers.

The Hon'ble Major-General Sir E. H. H. Collen, K.C.I.E., C.B.

The Hon'ble A. C. Trevor, C.S.I.

The Hon'ble Sir H. T. Prinsep, Kt.

SHORT TITLES BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. CHALMERS asked for leave to postpone the motion that the Bill to facilitate the citation of certain Acts be taken into consideration. He said that certain Acts which amended Act X of 1865 and other Acts relating to succession were referred to in the Bill as amendments of the Indian Succession Law. But it had been suggested to him that they should be referred

to as amendments of the Probate and Administration Law. They were already so referred to in the short title of Act VI of 1889. Under the circumstances, he would, with His Excellency's permission, postpone the motion that the Bill be taken into consideration, and at the next meeting of the Council he would make certain formal motions for its amendment in the direction suggested.

Leave was granted.

COURT-FEES ACT, 1870, AMENDMENT BILL.

The Hon'ble SIR JOHN WOODBURN moved that the Bill to further amend the Court-fees Act, 1870, be referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Hon'ble Sir James Westland, the Hon'ble Mr. Chalmers, the Hon'ble Sir Henry Prinsep, the Hon'ble Nawab Sir Amir-ud-Din Ahmad Khan, Khan Bahadur, and the mover.

The motion was put and agreed to.

CANTONMENTS ACT AMENDMENT ACT, 1895, REPEALING BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. CHALMERS moved for leave to introduce a Bill to repeal the Cantonments Act Amendment Act, 1895, and to amend the Cantonments Act, 1889. He said :—" Perhaps I may be allowed on this motion to explain the objects of the proposed legislation.

" The Bill consists of three clauses only. The first clause is purely formal. The objects of the two operative clauses are thus set forth in the Statement of Objects and Reasons.

" The second and third are the operative clauses in this Bill. The second clause proposes to repeal Act V of 1895, which imposed restrictions on the rule-making power conferred by section 26 of the Cantonments Act, 1889 (XIII of 1889). The removal of these restrictions will restore to the Governor General in Council the power to make rules to check the spread of venereal diseases in cantonments, and will give him the same powers in respect of venereal diseases that he has in the case of other contagious and infectious disorders.

" The third clause merely extends to medical and other officers, the same protection in the performance of their duties as is already given to Cantonment authorities and Commanding Officers.

" I may deal very briefly with the third clause. It corrects what was probably a drafting slip in the Act of 1889. It will be in the recollection of Hon'ble Members that we published for criticism last year a draft code of Cantonment Rules. These rules contain a large body of sanitary and other regulations for the good government of Cantonments. Medical and other officers will have numerous duties to perform under these rules, and it is obviously fair that in the performance of those duties they should have the like protection as is already accorded to Cantonment authorities and Commanding Officers.

" The second clause deals with much more controversial matter. For some years past we have pursued the policy of ignoring the existence of venereal diseases, and the Act of 1895 binds us to ignore them. The result of that policy has been disastrous. By the operation of these fell diseases large numbers of our soldiers are rendered unfit for service, their constitutions are permanently undermined, and many lives are lost : I will not refer to the terrible facts and figures disclosed by the Report of Lord Onslow's Committee. My Hon'ble Colleagues who represent the Army will do that if necessary. Those facts and figures imperatively call upon us to take immediate action, and this course is endorsed by the most weighty opinions that we can have on a question of this kind. I refer to the unanimous reports of the Royal College of Physicians in England and the Royal College of Surgeons. If those reports have not already been made public, I trust they will be published at once. I will quote only a short extract from the Report of the Royal College of Physicians. It says :

' About 13,000 soldiers return to England from India every year, and of these, in 1894, over 60 per cent. had suffered from some form of venereal disease. These figures are

quoted as showing more forcibly than words can, the risk of contamination, not only to the present population of this country, but also to its future generations. Of these men a number die, or, remaining invalids, are more or less incapacitated from earning their own livelihood, and thus become a burden on the rates.'

"It is unnecessary now to indicate the measures we propose to take for diminishing the spread of venereal disease and mitigating its effects. Those measures are not germane to the present motion. The object of the present Bill is merely to untie our hands. We take energetic steps to diminish the spread of small-pox, cholera and typhoid fever, and we now propose to arm ourselves with like powers to deal with venereal diseases, the most terrible of all contagious diseases in their results. The fact that we take these powers does not imply a reversion to the measures which were discontinued in 1889. Speaking for myself I should be very loth to be a party to re-introducing the compulsory examination of prostitutes. By 'compulsory examination' I mean examination under physical compulsion, or under the compulsion of the Criminal Law. But apart from compulsory examination I think it is our duty to take every means within our reach to diminish and combat this horrible disease. In selecting those means we must be guided, as in the case of any other disease, by the best expert advice we can get. When we have adopted certain measures, we must carefully watch and test the effect of these measures, and if necessary, we must modify them hereafter, so as to make them more effective.

"I am well aware that in attempting to solve this pressing problem, we shall, in England at any rate, rouse a certain amount of opposition. Many of them who will oppose our policy will be people for whose characters we have the highest respect, and whose opposition will be founded on the highest and best of motives. It is due to our respect for their characters and motives to state explicitly the reasons which justify the changed attitude we are now taking. As regards the reasons which weigh with him, each man, of course, must speak for himself. There are several reasons, of varying weight, which appear to me to justify our proposed line of action, but they all point to the same conclusion.

"In the first place, it is our paramount duty to maintain our army in a maximum state of efficiency. If we allow large numbers of our soldiers to be rendered inefficient through preventible causes, we fail in that duty. The cost of the Indian Army falls on the people of India, and, as trustees for the interests of that people, it is our duty to see that, so far as the matter is in our power, they are not taxed for the maintenance of soldiers who are not fit to fight.

"Another reason which weighs strongly with me depends on the nature of the disease itself. Constitutional disease, not only affects the man himself, but is a potent source of danger to others. We are dealing with short service troops. Many of the men go home before they are cured, and are absorbed into the civil population. They marry, and communicate the disease to perfectly innocent women. Their children inherit the taint, and unborn generations will suffer if we neglect to take all precautions within our power. Any one who is familiar with a children's hospital in any of our big towns at home will appreciate my meaning. What right have we, by our neglect, to inflict such evils on these innocent sufferers. But the evil does not stop there. The prevalence of this class of disease largely increases the risk run by our Doctors. We have had two sad cases of this lately. Hospital nurses, who devote their lives to the care of the sick, incur precisely the same risk. Surely we ought to do our utmost to protect them from unnecessary danger.

"Then, again, the unfortunate women who communicate disease to our soldiers ought not to be debarred from skilled medical treatment. The cure of this disease essentially depends on early treatment. If they are left to themselves, they will not seek medical aid until it is too late. I have seen women brought into the Civil Hospital in Gibraltar rotten and dying from disease, who had carried on their trade until the night before their admission to the wards.

"There is another reason that I only wish to allude to, but nevertheless I feel its force. I believe in this question we have no choice between good and

evil. Of two evils we can only choose the lesser one. It may be said that we could wholly exclude all women from cantonments. I don't think this would be possible; but if it were, I think it would only lead to more horrible forms of vice. Anything is better than that. It will be said too that in our endeavours to mitigate the prevalence and effect of venereal diseases we are giving encouragement to vice. I think the experience of the last few years conclusively negatives this argument. There might be something in the argument if we were dealing with a body of middle-aged men who had received a scientific education. But we are dealing with a large body of young unmarried soldiers. We have found by experience that the risk they run in no wise overcomes the temptation to which their position exposes them. If the risk is no deterrent, this argument falls to the ground.

"For these reasons, my Lord, I ask leave to introduce this Bill."

The Hon'ble MAJOR-GENERAL SIR E. COLLEN said:—"My Lord, the Bill, which the Hon'ble Mr. Chalmers has moved for leave to introduce, is necessary in order to enable the authorities of cantonments to deal with an evil which has greatly affected the efficiency of the British Army in India, and to protect the officers who will be charged with carrying out the provisions of cantonment rules framed with the object of reducing, as far as may be possible, under present conditions, the ravages of a disastrous disease.

"I suppose there is hardly any other subject connected with the welfare of the army which has been so closely discussed of late. The history of the question is well-known, and I need hardly remind this Council how consistent the Government of India have been in their endeavours, throughout that painful history, to protect the health of the troops, and to save unborn generations from one of the most terrible of all diseases.

"The Report of Lord Onslow's Committee—a report, if I may venture to say so, of a most dispassionate but comprehensive character—has enabled the public at home to convince itself of the existence of a deplorable state of things, and of the strength of the position which the Government of India have always taken up, while in the despatch from the Secretary of State of the 26th March, we have a lucid exposition of the policy adopted by Her Majesty's Government.

"My Lord, those who oppose the remedial measures which are indicated in that despatch, do not deny that some remedial measures are necessary, but they deny that these are the kind of measures which should be undertaken. They tell us that an army of 70,000 men is all but given up to reckless debauchery, and that the rulers of that army do not care about making it moral, but that they only care to make it attractive to young men, and to enable them to sin in comparative safety.

"I have been long enough in India to remember the cantonment regulations of 1864. Those regulations were the outcome of recommendations made by a Royal Commission on the sanitary state of the army in India, and were framed under the sanction of the Government of Lord Lawrence, a Government which was renowned for its conscientiousness and the strength of its religious convictions. For my part, I cannot admit for a moment that the Government of that day can be justly charged with the encouragement of vice, because they deemed it necessary to repress a virulent disease by stringent regulations. As years went on, however, abuses crept in, and practices were introduced which could not and cannot be defended.

"But in the restoration of the power to make rules to check the spread of venereal disease, which the Bill before us, when it becomes law, will give us; and in the rules themselves, there is not, to my mind, the remotest trace of the abuses which existed under the old system, or of what is called by those who object to the stringent regulations of past days, the encouragement of vice.

"My Lord, the accusations which have been made against the army can easily be repelled. I maintain that the soldiers of the present day are not one whit worse than the classes from which they are drawn, in point of morality, that

they are better educated, more temperate, and better behaved, but they are mostly young men, and are thus susceptible to the influences which beset them in this land—and from which no regulations can wholly guard them—a land where prostitution is not regarded otherwise than as an ordinary condition of life, and where the profession of a prostitute is not looked upon as one of unqualified shame.

“ We have been accused of merely considering the question in its relation to the checking of the disease, and of neglecting the means of improving the moral condition of the soldiers. I do not think that accusation can be persisted in, in the face of the fact that all the efforts of recent years have been devoted to raising the tone of the army by giving the soldier education, occupation, and healthy recreation, and in fostering the great temperance movement. These efforts have been strongly supported by the commanding and regimental officers of the army. But a man cannot be made absolutely moral or religious, or capable of the very highest self-control, by even the best efforts of the kind, or by acts of the legislature and by regulations. And if any great change for the better in this respect is to be obtained, it must be by raising the standard of purity among the classes from which soldiers are drawn. Let our opponents—those who so unjustly accuse the army of what they term reckless debauchery—look at home, where there is infinite need for an adequate treatment of the subject, and let them answer the question, whether the great body of young men in England practise the virtue of continence habitually, and whether they would say that these young men are given up to reckless debauchery, because even a large proportion of them sometimes yield to temptation. Those who object to the measures it is deemed necessary to take in India against the spread of a terrible disease, will find a great field lying open before them at home, in their endeavours to raise the standard of purity.

“ Our duty out here seems to be plain enough. It is, to do all in our power to conquer disease, to remove temptation as far as practicable, to apply restrictive measures and restraints where advisable and necessary, and to help the men to practise self-control. I believe that the united efforts of chaplains and medical and regimental officers may do a great deal to this end.

“ But when all is said and done, we are still confronted by the fact that we have an army in India which is, and must necessarily be, composed mainly of unmarried men, that a large proportion consists of very young men, placed in a country, where the conditions of life are entirely different from those existing in England, and where prostitution has, as I have said before, no extraordinary stigma of shame attached to it.

“ We believe then that it is our paramount duty to maintain the health and efficiency of the army, that the virtue of continence is not to be attained by allowing the propagation of disease, but that our efforts must be strongly directed to the lessening of a great evil.

“ The principles which are enunciated in the Secretary of State's despatch, the injunctions for the cure of disease, or the removal of the source of danger from cantonments, and the removal of temptation in the shape of solicitation, form the foundation of the measures which will be embodied in the new cantonment rules. It is absolutely incorrect to assert, as I have seen it asserted, that they constitute a return to the old state of things. They merely give the Governor General in Council the same powers, in dealing with venereal disease, as exist in the case of other contagious and infectious diseases dangerous to the health of the community. Our belief is that the dictates of religion and humanity alike command us to endeavour to restrain the spread of this disastrous disease, and to alleviate the sufferings of women as well as of men.

“ In the earnest hope that these measures—worked, as I am sure they will be worked, with sympathetic consideration—may prove of some use in the mitigation of an appalling evil, I welcome the introduction of this Bill.”

His Excellency THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF said :—“ The necessity of repealing the Cantonment Act Amendment Act of 1895 and of amending

the Cantonment Act, 1889, has become so generally recognised and acknowledged that it seems scarcely necessary to repeat here the proofs of that necessity ; but that I am unwilling that a measure of such vital importance to the British Army in India should be introduced without some support from the head of that Army.

" In 1895, owing to the mistaken efforts of certain persons, actuated, I believe, by the highest motives, but without that grasp of practical considerations which would have prepared them for the disastrous consequences of their own acts, the repeal of all restrictions on the trade of prostitution was forced on the Government of India.

" From the first those more intimately acquainted with, and responsible for the health and efficiency of the Army in India did all in their power to give warning of what the effect of such sanitary neglect would be. But those warnings were disregarded, and it was even contended that such precautions and restrictions, as had been imposed in the past, had had no practical effect in preventing the spread of venereal disease amongst British soldiers in India.

" The fallacy of this argument was not long in showing itself. The restrictions which the Military Authorities had previously been able to impose had scarcely been removed before the prevalence of contagious disease in the British Army showed a most marked increase ; and perhaps an even worse result of the removal of all control was that the principal increase took place in the more virulent forms of the disease.

" The statistics of 1895 are in themselves irrefutable proof of the necessity of stronger legislation. In that year, out of 68,331 men in cantonments, the admissions into hospital for venereal diseases were no less than 36,681, or 536·9 per 1,000. Of these cases, 22,702 were syphilis. The ratio for primary disease has increased 137 per cent. since 1887, and that for secondary disease no less than 188 per cent. in the same period. Secondary syphilis was, in 1895, four times more prevalent than it was in 1873.

" Another proof of the increasing virulence is found in the average duration of the treatment of venereal cases in hospital, which has risen from 26 days in 1887 to 31½ days in 1895. This increased period of treatment in hospital leads up to another calculation which shows the inefficiency that results from venereal disease.

" I have said that the admissions into hospital for venereal in 1895 were 36,681. The average duration of treatment in hospital was 31½ days, consequently the loss of duty paid for by the Indian tax-payer was 1,155,451 days.

" As a proof that these diseases are, to a very great extent, preventible under efficient rules and regulations, I may here state that while, in the British Army in India in 1895 the admissions averaged 536·9 per 1,000, the latest statistics we have of the same class of admissions in the German Army show only 26·7 per 1,000.

" I will not impose on the Council the gruesome details of the lamentable results which syphilis is producing amongst the young and healthy men who land in India to serve their country as soldiers. The accounts from Netley Hospital which appeared not long ago in the *Pioneer* newspaper put these results on their true and most deplorable aspect ; and make up a case for using the means which are available to us for decreasing these horrors which must appeal to all who are not indifferent to human suffering of the most terrible type, or have not schooled themselves to looking on inactive at the terrible inheritance which is thus being prepared for thousands of innocent persons yet unborn.

" Every effort will also be made to warn young soldiers of the consequences of immorality in this country, to point out to them the terrible risks they run, to appeal to their higher moral instincts, and to their pride in their manhood to avoid connections that carry with them grave danger that they will return home shattered wrecks unfit alike for military duty or civil life."

His Excellency THE PRESIDENT said:—" I do not wish to prolong the discussion, upon which no one who has the honour of the British Army at

heart can enter without a feeling of pain. My Hon'ble Colleagues have stated the case of the Government of India, and the general situation has been fully set forth in a remarkable debate in the Imperial Parliament which is already in the hands of everybody all over the world.

"I will therefore only make two observations. In the first place I should wish to say that I take my full share of the responsibility for the measures which the Government of India propose to adopt, and of which the Bill which my Hon'ble Colleague has asked leave to introduce is a part.

"Whatever we may think of the conduct of incontinent persons, male or female, I cannot think that any one with a scrap of humanity, who appreciates at all the awful consequences not only to the incontinent person, but to many innocent and helpless human beings, from the ravages of this dire disease, would hesitate to take any measures which are in his power to control and check the progress of a disease so insidious, so terrible, and so far-reaching. So far as this part of the subject is concerned I regard it as one more of those steps in the progress of sanitary regulation of which this age has seen so many.

"I think that on the score of morality my position is equally clear. I have already ventured on another occasion to take up the challenge of the Archbishop of Canterbury, and I say again that in my opinion a sin of this nature is one which is not worthy of a true soldier. If treachery and cowardice may be called the primary sins of a soldier and unworthy of his profession, so I venture to say is the wilful self-indulgence which incapacitates a man from the performance of his duties to his Queen, whom he has engaged to serve, and which cuts him adrift from those tenets of morality and religion which his countrymen as a Christian nation profess.

"I think I can say with confidence that your Excellency and those who are concerned in the administration of the Army in India would not wish to regard this matter from any other standpoint.

"Therefore, if, as practical men, we cannot, in considering the measures which we must take, shut our eyes to human frailty, I do not hesitate to say, as the responsible head of the Government of India, that it has never, and will never, deny its support to those who, regimentally or otherwise, have influence with the soldier, and who use that influence not only to point out to the young soldier the condemnation and punishment which such acts bring with them, but also to encourage, to stimulate, and to assist him in forming higher ideals and pursuing purer pleasures, and thus to help in the most effectual way towards removing this terrible reproach from the British Army, of which we are so proud."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. CHALMERS introduced the Bill.

The Hon'ble MR. CHALMERS moved that the Bill and Statement of Objects and Reasons be published in the Gazette of India and in the local official Gazettes in English.

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Council adjourned to Thursday, the 22nd July, 1897.

J. M. MACPHERSON,

SIMLA;
The 9th July, 1897. }

Secretary to the Government of India,

Legislative Department.



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PART II.

Notifications by High Court, Comptroller General, etc.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

NOTICE.

The 13th March, 1897.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

INVENTIONS and DESIGNS.

Calcutta, the 8th July, 1897.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1957 P.—APPLICATIONS in respect of the undermentioned inventions have been filed, under the provisions of the Inventions and Designs Act of 1888, in the office of the Secretary appointed under that Act during the week ending 3rd July 1897:—

No. 251 of 1897.—Charles Arthur Marchant, supervisor, Public Works Department, Government workshops, Cuttack, for a circular cylinder pump and engine reciprocating through almost a complete circle, to be called the “Diamond Jubilee engine and pump.”

No. 252 of 1897.—La Société Anonyme pour l'exploitation des machines à fabriquer les cigares (Eureka Française, brevets Ch. J. Lacoste) manufacturers, of 5 Boulevard Botanique, Brussels, for improvements in cigar-making machines.

No. 253 of 1897.—William Carter, flax spinner, of the Drift, Antrim road, Belfast, in the county of Antrim, for improvements in and relating to the utilization of flax and tow wet-spinning waste.

No. 254 of 1897.—John Wallace, C. E., of 27 Meadows street, Fort, Bombay, for improvements in telescope stands.

No. 255 of 1897.—Amended application.—See No. 164 of 1897.

No. 1958 P.—THE specification of the undermentioned invention has been filed, under the provisions of the Inventions and Designs Act of 1888, in the office of the Secretary appointed under that Act, and copies have been sent to the Governments of Fort St. George, Bombay and Burma, and the Director of the department of land records and agriculture, North-Western Provinces and Oudh. This and other specifications are open to public inspection, from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M., at the Secretary's office (Imperial Secretariat, Government Place, West, Calcutta), on payment of a fee of one rupee, and a certified copy of any one of them will be supplied on payment of the fixed expenses of copying:—

No. 365 of 1895.—Jens Zinn, architect, of Copenhagen, Denmark, for improvements relating to military equipment and accoutrements. (Specification filed 25 June 1897.)

No. 1959 P.—THE fees prescribed in Schedule 4 of Act V of 1888 have been paid for the continuance of exclusive privilege in respect of the undermentioned inventions for the periods shown against each:—

No. 28 of 1888.—Ambrose Shere Massey, engineer and partner in the Napier works, Madras, for the construction of light ploughs whereby the handle, stilt and body of plough are formed out of one piece of iron or steel with a suitable connection to beam of plough, and adjustment for different sizes of cattle. (From 18 July 1897 to 18 July 1898.)

No. 39 of 1888.—Ambrose Shere Massey, engineer and partner in the Napier works, Madras, for improvements in sugarcane mills consisting of steel, wrought or cast iron framing to contain rolls, ensuring strength, rigidity and an attachment to the framing by which any rough timber can be used for legs or stand. (From 17 July 1897 to 17 July 1898.)

No. 97 of 1888.—William Alfred Gibbs, Esquire, of Gilwell park, Sewardstone, in the county of Essex, for improvements in and connected with furnaces and apparatus for the production of hot air for drying and other purposes. (From 11 July 1897 to 11 July 1898.)

No. 1960 P.—WHEREAS the inventors of the undermentioned inventions have respectively failed to pay, within the time limited in that behalf by the fourth schedule to the Inventions and Designs Act (V of 1888), the fees hereinafter respectively mentioned, it is hereby notified that under the provisions of section 8, sub-section (2), of the said Act, the exclusive privilege of making, selling and using the said inventions in British India and of authorising others so to do has ceased:—

No. 318 of 1891.—Gerald Herbert Fenton's invention for a "horse-float" for conveyance of horses on two wheels. (Specification filed 30 March 1893.)

No. 196 of 1892.—Sorabji Shavaksha's invention for a self-acting latrine. (Specification filed 29 March 1893.)

No. 90 of 1893.—The Electrical Wonder Company's invention for improvements in apparatus or means for exhibiting optical illusions. (Specification filed 29 March 1893.)

Fee in respect of the continuance of an exclusive privilege—

4 (a) After the filing of the specification and before the expiration of the fourth year from the date of the filing thereof.

The sum of Rs 50 for each of the said inventions.

No. 58 of 1891.—Lorentz Albert Groth's invention for an improved process and apparatus for tanning hides and skins. (Specification filed 31 March 1892.)

No. 256 of 1891.—William Robinson's invention for electric motor cars. (Specification filed 31 March 1892.)

No. 49 of 1892.—Joseph Lindsay and Robert Lindsay's invention for improvements in yarn beams for looms. (Specification filed 31 March 1892.)

Fee in respect of the continuance of an exclusive privilege—

4 (b) After the expiration of the fourth year and before the expiration of the fifth year from the date of the filing of the specification.

The sum of Rs 50 for each of the said inventions.

NOTICES.

All communications relating to Act V (the Inventions and Designs Act) of 1888 should be addressed to the "Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Revenue and Agriculture (PATENTS BRANCH), CALCUTTA."

The office of the Secretary under the Act is open for the transaction of business from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M. on all days except Sundays and gazetted holidays.

The Government of India are advised that as trade marks are not "designs" within the meaning of the Act, they cannot be registered under Part II.

The fees payable under the fourth and sixth schedules are now collected in cash, and applicants are warned that they must be responsible for any delay in cashing cheques.

Copies of the weekly notifications, and of the quarterly lists, of applications and specifications filed in the Secretary's office are now on sale to the public at one anna and eight annas a copy respectively.

Attention is requested to the rules made by the Government on the 10th October, 1895, in regard to the preparation of applications, specifications and drawings.

All applications made under the Inventions and Designs Act, V of 1888, will from this date (December 19th, 1896) lie in the visitors' room of the Patents Office for ten days from the date of the *Gazette of India* in which their filing may have been notified; or, if the tenth day is a holiday, till the evening of the office day next following.

At the time of delivering or sending an application for leave to file a specification, the applicant shall cause a duplicate copy of the application to be delivered or sent therewith to the Secretary.

A. T. PRINGLE,
*Offg. Secy. under the Inventions and
Designs Act, 1888.*

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 6th July, 1897.

LIABILITIES.				ASSETS.			
	R	a.	p.		R	a.	p.
Capital paid-up	2,00,00,000	0	0	Government Securities	61,94,414	0	0
Reserve Fund	80,00,000	0	0	Other authorised Investments	65,46,258	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office . 82,47,690	0	7	1,60,85,566	Loans on Government and other authorised Securities	1,84,57,804	5	10
Public Deposits at Branches . 78,37,876	0	0		Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorised Securities	2,13,23,525	14	4
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	4,77,69,516	10		Bills discounted and purchased	1,22,60,498	11	8
Bank Post Bills, etc.	4,69,558	6	3	Balances with other Banks	7,22,037	5	10
Sundries	20,21,575	12	5	Bullion	3,070	11	0
RUPERS	9,43,46,216	13	3	Dead Stock	13,39,026	8	2
				Stamps	8,070	13	0
				Sundries	14,50,077	10	11
					6,83,11,390	0	9
				Cash and Cur- rency Notes at Head Office . 1,71,44,453	12	5	2,60,34,826
				Cash and Cur- rency Notes at Branches . 88,90,373	0	1	6
				RUPERS	9,43,46,216	13	3

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 8th July, 1897.

E. J. BIRCH,
Offg. Chief Accountant.
Rate for Demand Loans 6 per cent.
Percentage 39'2.

By order of the Directors,
W. D. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.

ADMINISTRATOR GENERAL OF BENGAL.

Notice of death sent to the Administrator General of Bengal under Section 64 of Act II of 1874.

Name of deceased.	Place of death.	Date of death.	By whom death reported and when.	REMARKS.
Robert Fury	Cawnpore .	12th June, 1897.	District Judge of Allahabad, on 17th June, 1897.	Deceased was a Fireman, East Indian Railway, Allahabad. No Will found. The widow, Mrs. Kate Fury, has applied for Letters of Administration.
H. W. Dalrymple Hay	Hatwah	30th May, 1897	The District Judge of Sarun, on 18th June, 1897.	Deceased was an Assistant of Moni-arab Factory, Sarun. No Will found. No application.

L. P. D. BROUGHTON,
Administrator General of Bengal.

7, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET;
Calcutta, the 8th July, 1897

BANK OF BENGAL—PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE.

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enforced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 30th June, 1897.

PARTICULARS.	3 PER CENT. OF 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS							4 PER CENT. LOANS						4½ PER CENT. LOANS			TRANSFER LOAN OF 1879. SEVEN SUB- LIENS PER CENT. PORTION.	5 PER CENT. LOAN OF 1895-97.	GRAND TOTAL.		
		Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Of 1865.	Of 1879.	Of 1893-94.	Of 1893-94.	Total.	Of 1832-33.	Of 1835-35.	Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	Reduced 4 per cent. Loan of 1879.	Total.	Of 1870.	Of 1878.				Transfer Loan of 1879, 4½ per cent. portion.	Total.
Balance of 15th June, 1897 .	1,13,70,400	1,09,40,100	15,53,93,100	4,83,65,100	1,48,18,600	10,04,800	28,500	24,10,46,200	8,437	17,000	4,800	39,900	90,000	12,700	1,73,727	5,000	5,000	69,000	78,000	1,14,000	31,200	23,28,26,527
444— Amount of 3½, 1893-94, Compounded Notes transferred to 3½, 1893-94, in London .	...	...	...	...	...	39,000	...	59,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	59,000
Amount enforced at Madras between 16th and 30th June, 1897 . . . . .	...	...	...	500	...	...	...	500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	500
Amount enforced at Bombay between 16th and 30th June, 1897 . . . . .	...	5,000	...	20,000	...	...	...	23,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23,000
Amount enforced at Calcutta between 16th and 30th June, 1897 . . . . .	...	7,000	21,000	15,000	...	...	...	44,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	44,000
Deduct— Amount written off in the London Registers . . .	...	53,000	6,52,000	1,18,800	1,700	...	...	8,35,500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,35,500
Balance on 30th June, 1897 .	1,13,70,400	1,09,50,100	15,54,14,200	4,89,00,600	1,48,18,600	10,63,800	28,500	22,11,75,900	8,437	17,000	4,800	39,900	90,000	12,700	1,73,727	5,000	5,000	69,000	78,000	1,14,000	31,200	23,29,55,227

NOTE.—From 9th June, 1897, to 30th Apr., 1897, enforced from India, 9,67,0 lakhs, re-transferred from London 3,65 lakhs.
" 1st May, 1897, " 15th May, " ditto 14 "
" 16th " " 31st " ditto 11 "
" 1st June " " 15th June " ditto 21 "
" 16th " " 30th " ditto 8 "
9,08,3 lakhs.
5,717 "
5,717 lakhs.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,
BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, the 6th July, 1897.

W. D. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Balance against India 966 lakhs.

HIGH COURT—ORIGINAL SIDE.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 8th July, 1897.

The Honourable the Chief Justice of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal has appointed Alexander John McLachlan, Esq., of Nos. 18 to 22 Eagle Chambers, Pirie Street, Adelaide, South Australia, Barrister, Solicitor, Attorney and Proctor of the Supreme Court of the Province of South Australia, a Commissioner within all parts of the Province of South Australia to take affidavits or affirmations or declarations in all suits or matters and proceedings in the Calcutta High Courts and also the acknowledgments of married women in respect of property in India.

By Order,
R. BELCHAMBERS,
Registrar.

DIRECTOR-GENERAL, INDIAN
MEDICAL SERVICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 1st July, 1897.

No. 45.—The services of the undermentioned Hospital Assistant of the Bengal Military Establishment, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Central Provinces, for temporary employment on famine duty:—

No. 616, second grade Hospital Assistant,
Abdullah.

JAMES CLEGHORN, M.D.,
Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

INDO-EUROPEAN TELEGRAPH
DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the July, 1897.

No. 63.—The following temporary promotions in the Indo-European Telegraph Department have been sanctioned with effect from the dates noted against each, consequent on the departure of Mr. L. E. R. Smith, Superintendent, on furlough:—

NAME.	From.	To.	Date.
Mr. E. Graves	Assistant Superintendent, class I, grade I.	Superintendent.	16th March, 1897.
„ J. H. C. Kelly	Assistant Superintendent, class II, grade I.	Assistant Superintendent, class I, grade II.	Ditto.
S. Butcher	General Service Clerk.	Assistant Superintendent, class II, grade II.	15th May, 1897, the date of arrival at Teheran.

No. 64.—Mr. G. W. Mungavin, a General Service Clerk, has been appointed temporarily to be an Assistant Superintendent, class II, grade II, with effect from the 9th June, 1897.

No. 65.—ERRATUM.—In the Indo-European Telegraph Department Notification No. 62, dated the 2nd July, 1897, for “11th June, 1897,” the date from which Mr. W. S. Navarra’s privilege leave was to have effect, read “10th June, 1897.”

F. E. GODFREY,
Examiner of Telegraph Accounts.

SURVEY OF INDIA DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 5th July, 1897.

No. 236.—Lieutenant W. M. Coldstream, R.E., Officiating Deputy Superintendent, 2nd grade, is granted fourteen days’ privilege leave, under Article 291 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd July, 1897, or the subsequent date from which he may avail himself thereof.

No. 237.—Colonel J. Waterhouse, I.S.C., Superintendent, 1st grade, and Assistant Surveyor General, having made over charge of his duties on the afternoon of the 8th May, 1897, preparatory to availing himself of the furlough granted him in Revenue and Agricultural Department Notification No. 989-65-5, dated 4th May, 1897, the following temporary promotions are made with effect from the 9th May, 1897:—

Lieutenant-Colonel St. G. C. Gore, R.E., Superintendent, 2nd grade, to officiate as Superintendent, 1st grade.

Mr. T. A. Pope, Deputy Superintendent, 1st grade, to officiate as Superintendent, 2nd grade.

Mr. A. E. Spring, Deputy Superintendent, 2nd grade, to officiate as Deputy Superintendent, 1st grade.

No. 238.—Captain P. J. Gordon, I.S.C., officiating Deputy Superintendent, 1st grade, having made over charge of his duties on the forenoon of the 1st June, 1897, preparatory to availing himself of the furlough granted him in Revenue and Agricultural Department Notification No. 1186-90-2, dated 31st May, 1897, the following temporary promotion is made with effect from the same date:—

Captain J. M. Burn, R.E., Deputy Superintendent, 2nd grade, to officiate as Deputy Superintendent, 1st grade.

No. 239.—The services of Colonel J. Waterhouse, I.S.C., Superintendent, 1st grade, and Assistant Surveyor General (on furlough), having been replaced at the disposal of the Military Department—*vide* Revenue and Agricultural Department Notification No. 990-65-5, dated 4th May, 1897—the following promotions are made with effect from the 10th June, 1897:—

Colonel R. G. Woodthorpe, C.B., R.E., Superintendent, 2nd grade (on furlough), to be Superintendent, 1st grade.

Captain G. B. Hodgson, I.S.C., officiating Superintendent, 2nd grade, is confirmed in that grade.

Captain R. T. Crichton, I.S.C., officiating Deputy Superintendent, 1st grade, is confirmed in that grade.

Mr. J. S. Pemberton, officiating Deputy Superintendent, 2nd grade, is confirmed in that grade.

Lieutenant H. J. Hare, R. E., Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade, to be Assistant Superintendent, 1st grade.

No. 240.—Mr. E. F. Litchfield, officiating Deputy Superintendent, 1st grade, having made over charge of his duties on the afternoon of the 23rd June, 1897, preparatory to availing himself of the furlough granted him in Revenue and Agricultural Department Notification No. 428-163-2 F., dated 14th May, 1897, the following temporary promotions are made with effect from the 24th June, 1897:—

Captain H. A. D. Fraser, R.E., Deputy Superintendent, 2nd grade, to officiate as Deputy Superintendent, 1st grade.

Lieutenant F. W. Pirrie, I.S.C., Assistant Superintendent, 1st grade, to officiate as Deputy Superintendent, 2nd grade.

CHAS. STRAHAN, *Major-Genl., R.E.,*
Surveyor-General of India.

AGENT TO THE GOVR.-GENERAL IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Quetta, the 30th June, 1897.

No. 4105.—In consequence of the return from Foreign service of Diwan Ganput Rai, and his appointment as Extra Assistant Commissioner, Sibi, *vide* this office Notification No. 2079, dated the 20th April, 1897, the following reversion is hereby notified:—

Kazi Muzaffar Khan, Tahsildar of the second grade and substantive *pro tempore* Extra Assistant Commissioner, Lower Zhob, to be Officiating Extra Assistant Commissioner, with effect from the forenoon of the 29th May, 1897.

The 2nd July, 1897.

No. 4152.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 37 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the Agent to the Governor-General in Baluchistan is pleased to empower Lieutenant C. B. Winter, Assistant Commissioner and Assistant Political Agent, to hear appeals from the decisions of second and third class Magistrates exercising jurisdiction within those portions of the Agency territories which are known as the Railway district, Sinjawi, Barkhan and Kohlu.

By Order,

F. MACDONALD, *Captain,*
First Assistant.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BRITISH BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 2nd July, 1897.

No. 4153.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 22 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the Chief Commissioner of British Baluchistan is pleased to appoint Lieutenant C. B. Winter, Assistant Commissioner in the Thal-Chotiali District, to be a Justice of the Peace within and for British Baluchistan, and to direct that the Chief Court of the Punjab shall be the Court to which the said Justice of the Peace shall commit European British subjects for trial.

By Order,

F MACDONALD, *Captain,*
First Assistant.

NORTHERN INDIA SALT REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

APPOINTMENT.

Agra, the 29th June, 1897.

No. 109.—Inspector D. G. Barlow, Sambahr Division (at present on deputation to the Ajmere-Merwara Circle), is appointed to officiate as Assistant Superintendent of the Ajmere-Merwara Circle, Upper Division, Internal Branch, during the remaining period of the absence on leave of Mr. E. D. Beatson, Assistant Superintendent, with effect from the 23rd June, 1897.

LEAVE.

The 3rd July, 1897.

No. 115.—Mr. P. C. S. O'Connor, Superintendent, Sultanpur Circle (Oudh), Upper Division, Internal Branch, is granted privilege leave for two months, under Article 291, Section II, Chapter XII of the Civil Service Regulations.

A. B. PATTERSON,
Commissioner, N. I. Salt Revenue Dept.

DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 28th June, 1897.

No. 52.—Mr. W. Littlewood, Assistant Traffic Superintendent in class III, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is appointed to officiate as District Traffic Superintendent, East Coast Railway, in class II of that establishment, with effect from 1st June, 1897, and until further orders.

F. R. UPCOTT,
Offg. Director General.

THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

NOTIFICATION.

Bangalore, the 5th July, 1897.

No. 2798.—The following rules for regulating the supply, custody and sale of plain water-marked paper to be sold to the public for use with adhesive Court-fee stamps, are issued for information and guidance:—

Requisition for the paper shall be in the form prescribed for indents for stationery and shall be submitted by the ^{District Magistrate}~~District Judge~~ of the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore to the office of the Resident in Mysore, not later than the 31st December in each year. The requisition shall provide for the requirements of all the Courts in the station, and shall show the amount of paper required for use during the next following financial year.

2. The rules which regulate the custody of stamps and stamp papers shall apply, *mutatis mutandis*, to the custody of the paper.

3. The issue from the Resident's Treasury should be restricted to the minimum unit of a ream, and all accounts and returns should be prepared on the basis of that unit.

4. The paper shall be sold to the public at a uniform rate of 3 pies per sheet, measuring $13\frac{1}{2} \times 8\frac{1}{2}$ inches, by licensed stamp vendors and such other persons as may be licensed by the Collector in that behalf. Such vendors shall purchase the paper by reams at the Resident's Treasury, paying the price thereof in cash at Rs 7-8 per ream subject to a discount of half an anna in the rupee.

5. The Collector should exercise over the sale of this paper the same supervision as obtains in the case of stamps in order to ensure, as far as possible, that no extortion is practised by vendors of the paper in demanding from purchasers more than the fixed price of 3 pies per sheet.

6. The sale-proceeds of the paper shall be credited in the Treasury Accounts to a distinct sub-head under "Stationery and Printing."

7. At the close of each financial year a statement of the operations of the year shall be submitted by the Collector to the Office of the Resident in Mysore, in the form given below:—

Statement showing receipt and sale of plain water-marked paper sold to the public for use with the adhesive Court-fee stamps during the year 189 -9 .

Paper on hand on 1st April, 189 . . .
Paper received during the year . . .

TOTAL . . .

Paper sold to licensed vendors during the year . . .
In hand on 31st March, 189 . . .

Certified that Rs . . . , being the price of water-marked paper at Rs 7-8 a ream, were duly credited in the Accounts of the Treasury during the year 189 -9 .

Date

Treasury Officer.

J. COLVIN, Captain,
First Assistant to the Resident.

ORDER UNDER SECTION 111 OF THE CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE.

IN THE COURT OF CAPTAIN C. ARCHER,
I.S.C., DISTRICT JUDGE OF ZHOB DIVISION.

Case No. 1 of 1897.

In the matter of insolvency of Atar Singh, son of Masaddi Ram Arora, of Wazirabad, now residing at Loralai in the Zhob District.

Whereas upon enquiry made upon the application of Atar Singh, son of Masaddi Ram, dated the 16th February, 1897, the Court is satisfied that the statements contained in the application are substantially true, and that the said Atar Singh, Judgment-debtor, has not committed any act of bad faith within the meaning of section 351 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

It is ordered that the said Atar Singh, son of Masaddi Ram, Judgment-debtor, be and he hereby is declared insolvent.

Dated this 15th day of June 1897.

C. ARCHER, Captain,
District Judge, Zhob.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 20th September, 1893.

A Registry Office for men of all grades out of employ is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers requiring men are requested to apply to Principal.

J. CLIBBORN, Major, S.E.,
Principal, Thomason College.

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Unclaimed Letters held in the Calcutta General Post Office on the 5th July, 1897.

Balty & Co.	Hab & Son.	Podebrad, Carl.
Barton & Co.	Hannay, H. M.,	Rangers, Athletic
Baxter, McDonald	care of John	Club, Hony. Secy.
& Co.	Anderson.	Secretary, European
Boyd Jas. & Sons.	Hutchinson & Co.	Civil Service
Burn Robert, P.	Kenny & Co.	Association.
Carter & Co.	King, Harman & Co.	Selig, Sonnetthal
Clerici, Miss	Langlois, A., Mrs.	& Co.
Erminia.	Langlois & Co.	Talford, P. B.
Cumberlege, Mrs.,	Morrison & Co.	Ware, C.
care of Carretts	Neal and Wilkinson.	Winter & Durer.
Cumberlege & Co.	Newnham & Co.	Witaker Co., Water-
Davies, W. H., & Co.	Oriental Trading Co.	proofers, etc.
Gresson, F.	Perkins, Julian.	

Letters marked "Care of Post Office."

Abbott, E. R.	Gosak, J. F.	Patrick, J.
Adams, James A.	Goulden, Miss.	Pirkins, H.
Albrute, C. B.	Grant, Lewis.	Radmore, F.
Andree, R. M.	Harper, Alex.	Rhode, Capt. J. H.
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PART III.

Advertisements and Notices by Private Individuals and Corporations.

PROMISSORY NOTES.

Stolen.

The Government Promissory Note, No. 023524, of the $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent., of 1854-85, for Rs500, originally standing in the name of the Bank of Bengal, and last endorsed to Hari Pada Set, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor.

EXECUTIVE ENGINEER,
No. 9 Division, A. B. Railway.

Stolen.

The Government Promissory Notes, No. 024223, for Rs1,000, Nos. 047591 and 047592, for Rs500 each, all of the $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. loan of 1865, and No. 043841, for Rs1,000, of the $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. loan of 1842-43, standing in the name of Raj Kristo Chatterji, the proprietor, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and at the Burdwan Treasury, for which they are enfaced, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietor.

ROMA NAUTH BANERJI, for RAJ KRISTO CHATTERJI,
Paper Currency Office, Calcutta, the 1st July, 1897

Destroyed by fire.

The Government Promissory Note, No. 13839 Rom. of the $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. loan of 1865, for Rs1,000, originally standing in the name of the Accountant General, Bombay, and last endorsed to Girdhurlal Amrutlal Desai, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for accrued interest and for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor after two years from the date of last advertisement.

Name of the Advertiser—

DESAI GIRDHURLAL AMRUTLAL.

Residence—

Tailor's Street in Chungpore in Ahmedabad.

NOTICE.

IN THE COURT OF THE DISTRICT JUDGE,
QUETTA-PISHIN, AT QUETTA.

(INSOLVENCY JURISDICTION.)

Case No. 4 of 1896.

*In the matter of the insolvency of T. Simon,
of Quetta.*

Whereas upon inquiry made upon the application of T. Simon, dated the 19th March, 1896, the Court is satisfied that the statements contained in the application are substantially true, and that the said T. Simon, judgment-debtor, has not committed any act of bad faith within the meaning of section 351 of the Code of Civil Procedure, it is ordered that the said

T. Simon, judgment-debtor, be, and he hereby is, declared insolvent.

Dated Quetta, this 7th day of May, 1897.

P. J. MELVILL, *Captain,*
District Judge, Quetta-Pishin.

NOTICE.

IN THE COURT OF THE DISTRICT JUDGE,
QUETTA-PISHIN, AT QUETTA.
(INSOLVENCY JURISDICTION.)

Case No. 5 of 1896.

*In the matter of the insolvency of Lekhu Mull, son of
Gangg Ram Arora, resident of Hudda, in the
Quetta Tahsil, Quetta-Pishin District.*

Whereas upon inquiry made upon the appli-

cation of Lekhu Mull, presented to this Court on the 5th May, 1896, the Court is satisfied that the statements contained in the application are substantially true, and that the said Lekhu Mull, judgment-debtor, has not committed any act of bad faith within the meaning of section 351 of the Code of Civil Procedure, it is ordered that the said Lekhu Mull, judgment-debtor, be, and he hereby is, declared insolvent.

Dated Quetta, this 13th day of April, 1897.

P. J. MELVILL, *Captain,*
District Judge, Quetta-Pishin.



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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

PRINCIPAL PORTS—		Week ending 3rd July 1897.	1st November 1896 to 3rd July 1897.
CALCUTTA	Imports . . Exports . .	335,082 47,391 + 287,691	8,919,306 4,264,113 + 4,655,193
RANGOON	Imports . . Exports . .	4,098 332,357 — 328,259	290,267 24,166,698 — 23,876,431
MADRAS	Imports . . Exports . .	25,300 7,000 + 18,300	872,900 211,000 + 661,900
BOMBAY	Imports . . Exports . .	197,900 54,900 + 143,000	7,584,300 3,948,700 + 3,635,600
KARACHI	Imports . . Exports . .	74,800 125,300 — 50,500	777,171 2,490,776 — 1,713,605
PROVINCES AND DISTRICTS—			
BENGAL—			
Patna Division—			30th January to 3rd July 1897.
PATNA	Imports . . Exports . .	14,000 26,800 — 12,800	741,200 636,900 + 104,300
GAYA	Imports . . Exports . .	6,600 500 + 6,100	142,500 91,900 + 50,600
SHAHABAD (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports . . Exports . .	3,700 9,400 — 5,700	193,900 283,300 — 89,400
SARAN	Imports . . Exports . .	6,600 7,600 — 1,000	932,900 133,600 + 799,300
CHAMPARAN	Imports . . Exports . .	6,000 900 + 5,100	407,500 32,100 + 375,400
MUZAFFARPUR	Imports . . Exports . .	23,400 6,800 + 16,600	691,220 46,053 + 645,167
DARBHANGA (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports . . Exports . .	48,200 4,000 + 44,200	928,300 83,400 + 844,900
Bhagalpur Division—			
MONGHYR (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports . . Exports . .	8,500 15,800 — 7,300	166,600 874,900 — 708,300

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE —continued.
(*Indian maunds*).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports —].

			Week ending 3rd July 1897.	30th January to 3rd July 1897.
BENGAL—contd.				
Bhágálpur Division—contd.				
BH ÁGALPUR (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	Exports	13,133 45,461 —32,328	247,370 776,864 —529,494
PURNEA	Imports	Exports	2,700 1,700 +1,000	74,289 129,237 —54,948
MALDA	Imports	Exports	... ... ...	... 900 —900
SANTHAL PARGANAS (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	Exports	9,300 1,200 +8,100	134,094 390,285 —256,191
Rajshahi Division—				
RAJSHAHI (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	Exports	1,600 200 +1,400	334,900 44,798 +290,102
DINAJPUR („)	Imports	Exports	... 6,700 —6,700	26,900 376,700 —349,800
JALPAIGURI („)	Imports	Exports	400 ... +400	226,503 3,947 +222,556
DARJEELING	Imports	Exports	2,000 100 +1,900	111,400 3,500 +107,900
RANGPUR	Imports	Exports	900 100 +800	30,200 29,500 +700
BOGRA	Imports	Exports	... ... ...	4,300 283,700 —279,400
PABNA (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	Exports	700 300 +400	259,400 21,000 +238,400
Dacca Division—				
DACCA	Imports	Exports	... 200 —200	10,300 14,600 —4,300
NARAINGANJ	Imports	Exports	3,800 ... +3,800	25,800 159,100 —133,300
MAIMENSINGH (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	Exports	20 ... +20	75,704 7,339 +68,365
FARIDPUR	Imports	Exports	2,400 1,000 +1,400	139,800 110,600 +29,200
BACKERGANJ	Imports	Exports	... ... ...	1,200 34,306 —33,100

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 3rd July 1897.	30th January to 3rd July 1897.
BENGAL—contd.			
Chittagong Division—			
TIPPERA	Imports	5,900	29,904
	Exports . . . . .	...	38,663
		+ 5,900	- 8,759
NOAKHALI	Imports . . . . .	...	100
	Exports . . . . .	...	5,900
		...	- 5,800
CHITTAGONG	Imports	34,200	419,254
	Exports	4,400	101,620
		+ 29,800	+ 317,634
Burdwan Division—			
BURDWAN	Imports	1,800	115,700
	Exports	43,900	1,393,000
		- 42,100	- 1,277,300
BIRBHUM (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	1,100	26,200
	Exports	38,800	1,379,300
		- 37,700	- 1,353,100
HOOGHLY (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	1,200	63,300
	Exports	1,100	39,300
		+ 100	+ 24,000
MIDNAPUR*	Imports . . . . .	...	40,199
	Exports . . . . .	...	275,470
		...	- 235,271
Presidency Division—			
24-PARGANAS	Imports . . . . .	...	24,500
	Exports . . . . .	...	24,200
		...	+ 300
NADIA	Imports	35,400	656,400
	Exports	15,300	691,300
		+ 20,100	- 34,900
MURSHIDABAD (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	100	19,200
	Exports	200	213,900
		- 100	- 194,600
JESSORE	Imports	15,600	220,400
	Exports	200	62,800
		+ 15,400	+ 157,600
KHULNA	Imports	4,100	10,800
	Exports . . . . .	...	33,000
		+ 4,100	- 22,200
Chota Nagpur Division—			
HAZÁRIBAGH	Imports	2,000	170,200
	Exports	100	1,800
		+ 1,900	+ 168,400
LOHÁRDAGA	Imports . . . . .	...	4,200
	Exports . . . . .	...	3,700
		...	+ 500
MÁNBHUM (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	3,900	134,800
	Exports	100	6,100
		+ 3,800	+ 128,700
SINGHBHUM (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	400	3,633
	Exports	1,800	45,500
		- 1,400	- 41,867
RANCHI (")	Imports . . . . .	...	2,210
	Exports . . . . .	...	5,734
		...	- 3,524

* For March 1897.

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 3rd July 1897.	30th January to 3rd July 1897.
BENGAL—concl'd.			
Orissa Division—			
CUTTACK	Imports . . .	...	1,866
	Exports . . .	...	281,110
		...	-279,244
BALASORE	Imports . . .	500	14,300
	Exports . . .	27,400	842,900
		-26,900	-828,600
PURI	Imports . . .	189	1,211
	Exports . . .	1,442	29,753
		-1,253	-28,542
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES—			
Meerut Division—			
SAHARANPUR	Imports . . .	11,540	224,962
	Exports . . .	6,618	142,826
		+4,922	+82,136
MUZAFFARNAGAR	Imports . . .	3,600	201,000
	Exports . . .	5,700	344,200
		-2,100	-143,200
MEERUT	Imports . . .	7,400	299,140
	Exports . . .	30,700	407,859
		+23,300	-108,719
BULANDSHAHAR	Imports . . .	2,500	40,800
	Exports . . .	49,800	452,100
		-47,300	-411,300
ALIGARH	Imports . . .	1,200	130,500
	Exports . . .	11,000	409,800
		-9,800	-279,300
Agra Division—			
MUTTRA	Imports . . .	433	74,106
	Exports . . .	7,540	94,701
		-7,107	-20,595
AGRA	Imports . . .	33,200	450,900
	Exports . . .	38,600	298,900
		-5,400	+152,000
FARUKHABAD (preceding week)	Imports . . .	2,800	94,200
	Exports . . .	300	10,600
		+2,500	+83,600
MAINPURI	Imports . . .	...	17,400
	Exports . . .	1,400	16,300
		-1,400	+1,100
ETAWAH	Imports . . .	2,200	58,600
	Exports . . .	2,100	24,400
		+100	+34,200
ETAH (incomplete)	Imports . . .	100	16,600
	Exports . . .	6,800	128,000
		-6,700	-111,400

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—*continued*.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports —].

		Week ending 3rd July 1897.	30th January to 3rd July 1897.
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES			
<i>—contd.</i>			
Rohilkhand Division—			
Bijnor	Imports	17,400	154,300
	Exports	200	8,200
		+ 17,200	+ 146,100
Moradabad	Imports	6,200	175,900
	Exports	9,900	326,900
		— 3,700	— 151,000
Shahjahanpur	Imports	2,034	69,413
	Exports	2,374	275,258
		— 340	— 205,845
Budaun	Imports	200	2,500
	Exports	100	17,500
		+ 100	— 15,000
Pilibit	Imports	1,000	49,875
	Exports	500	74,050
		+ 500	— 24,175
Bareilly	Imports	43,300	151,500
	Exports	17,900	183,600
		+ 25,400	— 32,100
Allahabad Division—			
Cawnpore	Imports	58,000	1,566,800
	Exports	40,200	405,600
		+ 17,800	+ 1,161,200
Fatehpur (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	20,700	147,300
	Exports	200	2,327
		+ 20,500	+ 144,973
Banda	Imports	53,000	504,600
	Exports	800	3,700
		+ 52,200	+ 500,900
Hamirpur	Imports	13,800	95,900
	Exports	700	3,300
		+ 13,100	+ 92,600
Allahabad (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	33,700	948,500
	Exports . . . . .	...	11,800
		+ 33,700	+ 936,700
Jhansi	Imports	16,400	352,500
	Exports	300	11,800
		+ 16,100	+ 340,700
Jalaun	Imports	20,200	166,000
	Exports	400	13,500
		+ 19,800	+ 152,500
Benares Division—			
Benares	Imports	8,300	481,700
	Exports	700	39,500
		+ 7,600	+ 442,200
Mirzapur	Imports	8,600	180,315
	Exports . . . . .	...	10,712
		+ 8,600	+ 169,603
Jaunpur	Imports	5,500	155,500
	Exports	200	39,800
		+ 5,300	+ 115,700
Ghazipur	Imports	5,400	107,300
	Exports	2,600	75,000
		+ 2,800	+ 32,300

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports —].

		Week ending 3rd July 1897.	30th January to 3rd July 1897.
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES			
—concl'd.			
Gorakhpur Division—			
BASTI	Imports . . .	900	25,500
	Exports . . .	11,200	228,100
		—10,300	—202,600
BALLIA	Imports . . .	7,327	62,983
	Exports . . .	9,201	50,542
		—1,874	+12,441
GORAKHPUR	Imports . . .	4,000	87,100
	Exports . . .	15,600	439,900
		—11,600	—352,800
Kumaun Division—			
GARHWAL (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports . . .	200	5,400
	Exports . . .	...	...
		+200	+5,400
NAINI TAL	Imports . . .	2,100	18,600
	Exports . . .	2,000	80,200
		+100	—61,600
ODDH—			
Lucknow Division—			
LUCKNOW	Imports . . .	16,500	348,800
	Exports . . .	1,900	67,600
		+14,600	+281,200
UNAO	Imports . . .	200	54,100
	Exports . . .	...	500
		+200	+53,600
RAE-BARELI	Imports . . .	3,900	193,500
	Exports . . .	100	8,600
		+3,800	+184,900
SITAPUR	Imports . . .	99	21,997
	Exports . . .	8,700	283,000
		—8,601	—261,003
KHERI (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports . . .	...	12,700
	Exports . . .	3,100	138,700
		—3,100	—126,000
HARDOI	Imports . . .	2,400	131,200
	Exports . . .	100	45,800
		+2,300	+85,400
Fyzabad Division—			
FYZABAD	Imports . . .	6,300	204,900
	Exports . . .	13,100	278,800
		—6,800	—73,900
GONDA	Imports . . .	22,000	162,500
	Exports . . .	4,300	120,000
		+17,700	+33,500
BAHRAICH	Imports . . .	2,000	8,610
	Exports . . .	14,000	170,700
		—600	—162,090
BARABANKI	Imports . . .	1,100	68,000
	Exports . . .	23,800	203,700
		—22,700	—135,700
RAJPUTANA—			
JODHPUR	Imports . . .	1,827	10,725
	Exports . . .	10,533	75,309
		—8,706	—64,584
BIKANER	Imports . . .	18,046	106,761
	Exports . . .	...	...
		+18,046	+106,761

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 3rd July 1897.	30th January to 3rd July 1897.
AJMERE-MERWARA			
Imports	..	11,100	172,400
Exports	..	1,800	59,555
		+ 9,300	+ 112,845
PANJAB—			
Delhi Division—			
Hissar			
Imports	..	42,000	847,600
Exports	..	6,300	28,800
		+ 35,700	+ 818,800
Rohatak			
Imports	..	100	5,100
Exports	..	...	3,800
		+ 100	+ 1,300
Gurgaon (incomplete)			
Imports	..	1,200	91,200
Exports	..	6,300	134,500
		— 5,100	— 43,300
Delhi			
Imports	..	24,700	707,400
Exports	..	27,700	239,500
		— 3,000	+ 467,900
Karnal			
Imports	..	200	43,600
Exports	..	6,300	42,100
		— 6,100	+ 1,500
Ambala			
Imports	..	11,600	306,600
Exports	..	1,300	50,800
		+ 10,300	+ 255,800
Simla (preceding week)			
Imports	..	2,000	55,000
Exports	..	...	200
		+ 2,000	+ 54,800
Jalandhar Division—			
Jalandhar			
Imports	..	5,700	80,200
Exports	..	45,600	672,700
		— 39,900	— 592,500
Ludhiana			
Imports	..	4,500	94,800
Exports	..	53,900	531,800
		— 49,400	— 437,000
Ferozpur			
Imports	..	19,100	192,500
Exports	..	28,500	551,200
		— 9,400	— 358,700
Lahore Division—			
Multan			
Imports	..	2,600	165,900
Exports	..	13,400	142,500
		— 10,800	+ 23,400
Jhang			
Imports	..	100	25,100
Exports	..	9,600	114,300
		— 9,500	— 89,200
Montgomery			
Imports	..	900	91,000
Exports	..	900	10,600
		...	+ 80,400
Lahore			
Imports	..	13,038	365,817
Exports	..	31,950	270,471
		— 18,912	+ 95,346
Amritsar			
Imports	..	11,700	217,300
Exports	..	23,100	437,800
		— 11,400	— 220,500
Gurdaspur			
Imports	..	3,000	47,000
Exports	..	16,400	334,018
		— 13,400	— 287,018

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 3rd July 1897.	30th January to 3rd July 1897.
PANJAB—contd.			
Ráwalpindi Division—			
SIÁLKOT	Imports . .	7,200	94,100
	Exports . .	600	50,100
		+6,600	+44,000
GUJRÁT	Imports . .	2,400	111,000
	Exports . .	1,700	20,800
		+700	+90,200
GUJRÁNWÁLA	Imports . .	2,400	98,400
	Exports . .	41,100	380,000
		—38,700	—281,600
SHAHPUR	Imports . .	900	62,300
	Exports . .	2,700	57,100
		—1,800	+5,200
JHELAM	Imports . .	6,187	175,743
	Exports . .	548	20,993
		+5,639	+154,750
RÁWALPINDI	Imports . .	30,900	680,451
	Exports . .	1,300	64,400
		+29,600	+616,051
Pesháwar Division—			
PESHÁWAR	Imports . .	9,900	216,500
	Exports . .	12,200	182,600
		—2,300	+33,900
Derajat Division—			
BANNU	Imports . .	500	4,970
	Exports . .	2,100	91,857
		—1,600	—86,887
DERA ISMAIL KHAN	Imports . .	200	12,600
	Exports . .	7,700	126,300
		—7,500	—113,700
MUZAFFARGARH	Imports . .	200	6,856
	Exports . .	12,800	104,700
		—12,600	—97,844
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY—			
Guzerat Division—			
AHMADABAD	Imports . .	11,800	435,200
	Exports . .	13,500	261,600
		—1,700	+173,600
KAIRA	Imports . .	8,400	156,700
	Exports . .	1,800	183,400
		+6,600	—26,700
PANCH MAHÁLS (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports . .	...	13,663
	Exports . .	16,683	584,135
		—16,683	—570,473

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports —].

		Week ending 3rd July 1897.	30th January to 3rd July 1897.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY—contd.			
Guzerat Division—contd.			
BROACH	Imports	300	323,031
	Exports	1,000	233,366
		—700	+89,665
SURAT (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	13,700	509,100
	Exports	6,800	160,300
		+6,900	+348,800
BHAVNAGAR	Imports . . . . .	...	70,874
	Exports . . . . .	...	761
		...	+70,113
KATHIAWAR	Imports . . . . .	...	169,924
	Exports . . . . .	...	1,558
		...	+168,366
Deccan—			
KHANDESH (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	35,700	608,600
	Exports . . . . .	...	1,700
		+35,700	+606,900
NASIK	Imports	20,000	375,300
	Exports	2,000	74,300
		+18,000	+301,000
AHMADNAGAR	Imports	16,200	138,200
	Exports	600	65,400
		+15,600	+72,800
POONA	Imports	40,600	682,621
	Exports	300	15,400
		+40,300	+667,221
SHOLAPUR	Imports	17,700	127,900
	Exports	20,600	156,600
		—2,900	—28,700
SATARA	Imports . . . . .	...	308,859
	Exports . . . . .	...	8,891
		...	+299,968
Karnatak—			
BELGAUM (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	27,200	348,900
	Exports	1,800	159,900
		+25,400	+189,000
BIJAPUR	Imports	17,600	268,100
	Exports	500	9,500
		+17,100	+258,600
DHARWAR	Imports	2,300	74,533
	Exports	16,200	345,821
		—13,900	—271,288
TANNA	Imports	2,200	145,800
	Exports	1,100	267,700
		+1,100	—121,900
KOLABA (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	1,000	106,067
	Exports	500	124,920
		+500	—18,853
KOLHAPUR	Imports	33,984	541,530
	Exports	1,775	51,820
		+32,209	+489,710
KANARA (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	100	26,400
	Exports	100	124,300
		...	—97,900
RATNAGIRI (")	Imports	600	664,200
	Exports . . . . .	...	18,900
		+600	+645,300

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

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		Week ending 3rd July 1897.	30th January to 3rd July 1897.
SIND AND BALUCHISTAN—			
SHIKARPUR	Imports	4,316	118,778
	Exports	282,682	1,408,032
		—278,366	—1,289,254
THAR-PARKAR	Imports	9,900	238,000
	Exports	18,300	281,300
		—8,400	—43,300
UPPER SIND FRONTIER	Imports	800	15,800
	Exports	10,200	221,200
		—9,400	—205,400
HYDERABAD (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	6,400	135,000
	Exports	9,000	165,000
		—2,600	—30,000
CENTRAL PROVINCES—			
Jubbulpore Division—			
SAUGOR	Imports	21,300	211,300
	Exports	100	19,600
		+21,200	+191,700
JUBBULPORE	Imports	17,800	361,300
	Exports	1,600	243,400
		+16,200	+117,900
Nerbudda Division—			
NARSINGHPUR	Imports	6,100	121,600
	Exports	100	85,700
		+6,000	+35,900
HOSHANGABAD (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	11,500	182,500
	Exports	300	33,700
		+11,200	+148,800
NIMAR	Imports	8,000	161,200
	Exports	100	30,000
		+7,900	+131,200
Nagpur Division—			
WARDHA (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	1,800	59,300
	Exports	100	13,100
		+1,700	+46,200
NAGPUR	Imports	18,500	420,300
	Exports	2,200	80,900
		+16,300	+339,400
CHANDA	Imports	900	11,600
	Exports	2,500	57,000
		—1,600	—45,400
BHANDARA	Imports	23,400	305,000
	Exports	3,800	75,000
		+19,600	+230,000
Chhattisgarh Division—			
RAIPUR	Imports	3,200	81,400
	Exports	5,600	445,100
		—2,400	—363,700
BILASPUR	Imports	7,800	128,559
	Exports	100	56,698
		+7,700	+71,861
SAMBALPUR	Imports	100	12,700
	Exports	8,500	463,500
		—8,400	—450,800

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

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		Week ending 3rd July 1897.	30th January to 3rd July 1897.
BERAR—			
East—			
AMRÁOTI	Imports	7,000	199,200
	Exports	100	19,900
		+ 6,900	+ 179,300
West—			
AKOLA	Imports	9,100	123,000
	Exports	3,900	98,100
		+ 5,200	+ 24,900
BULDĀNA	Imports	1,200	33,500
	Exports	100	2,800
		+ 1,100	+ 30,700
MADRAS—			
GANJAM	Imports	4,500	46,800
	Exports	2,200	119,500
		+ 2,300	—72,700
VIZAGAPATAM	Imports	27,400	316,600
	Exports	800	23,400
		+ 26,600	+ 293,200
GODĀVARI	Imports	19,100	124,300
	Exports	56,400	962,600
		—37,300	—838,300
KISTNA	Imports	900	38,174
	Exports	41,800	752,407
		—40,900	—714,233
NELLORE	Imports	100	19,663
	Exports	1,300	43,704
		—1,200	—24,041
KARNŪL (incomplete)	Imports	2,600	73,600
	Exports	3,400	28,800
		—800	+ 44,800
BELLARY (")	Imports	16,000	251,000
	Exports	5,000	80,500
		+ 11,000	+ 170,500
ANANTAPUR (")	Imports	2,200	61,400
	Exports	5,800	105,700
		—3,600	—44,300
CUDDAPAH	Imports	1,000	94,400
	Exports	5,500	73,100
		—4,500	+ 21,300
NORTH ARCOT	Imports	19,100	188,700
	Exports	42,700	380,500
		—23,600	—191,800
CHINGLEPUT	Imports	900	18,200
	Exports	8,900	165,000
		—8,000	—146,800
SOUTH ARCOT	Imports	600	89,900
	Exports	19,700	625,800
		—19,100	—535,900

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—concluded.

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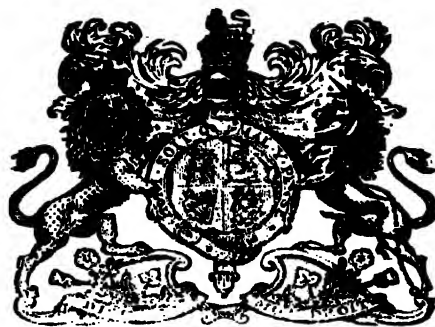
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				Week ending 3rd July 1897.	30th January to 3rd July 1897.
MADRAS—contd.					
SALEM (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	Exports	. . .	1,500	27,700
				12,700	227,600
				—11,200	—199,900
COIMBATORE	Imports	Exports	. . .	7,900	214,400
				25,900	628,800
				—18,000	—414,400
TRICHINOPOLY	Imports	Exports	. . .	1,102	36,064
				6,571	149,951
				—5,469	—113,887
TANJORE (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	Exports	. . .	4,200	89,800
				155,800	2,676,900
				—151,600	—2,587,100
MADURA	Imports	Exports	. . .	1,300	66,400
				18,300	367,500
				—17,000	—301,100
TINNEVELLY	Imports	Exports	. . .	25,100	541,000
				12,200	470,800
				+12,900	+70,200
MALABAR	Imports	Exports	. . .	30,300	1,425,800
				10,700	339,600
				+19,600	+1,086,200
SOUTH CANARA	Imports	Exports	. . .	100	111,020
				...	624,290
				+100	—513,270

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 15th July, 1897.

No. 13.—The following Statutes are published for general information:

- (1) East India Company's Officers Superannuation Act, 1897.
- (2) Regular and Elders' Widows' Funds Act, 1897.

**EAST INDIA COMPANY'S OFFICERS
SUPERANNUATION ACT, 1897.**

[60 VICTORIA, CHAPTER 10.]

An Act to remove doubts as to the power of the Secretary of State in Council of India to grant Superannuation and Compensation Allowances in certain cases to Officers on his Establishment.

[3RD JUNE, 1897.]

WHEREAS doubts have arisen as to the power of the Secretary of State in Council of India to grant superannuation or retiring or compensation allowances to secretaries, officers, or servants on the establishment of the Secretary of

State in Council of India, and formerly on the home establishment of the late East India Company, or on the establishment of the late Commissioners for the Affairs of India, in the cases and to the extent herein-after mentioned:

Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1. This Act may be cited as the East India Company's Officers Superannuation Act, 1897.

2. The Secretary of State in Council of India may grant to any secretary, officer, or servant on the establishment of the Secretary of State in Council of India, and formerly on the home establishment of the late East India Company, or on the establishment of the late Commissioners for the Affairs of India, who shall cease to hold office at the age of sixty years or upwards, before having attained the age and served the length of time which, by the Act or Acts authorising the grant to him of a superannuation or retiring allowance, are required to qualify him for the full superannuation

Secretary of State in Council of India empowered to grant additional superannuation allowances to certain persons on his establishment.

or retiring allowance for which he might have become qualified under such Act or Acts as aforesaid if he had continued to hold office, and who shall be duly qualified under such Act or Acts as aforesaid for a superannuation or retiring allowance, such an annual sum in addition to the superannuation or retiring allowance for which he shall at the time of his ceasing to hold office be qualified under such Act or Acts as aforesaid as is herein-after mentioned (that is to say):

(a) If such secretary, officer, or servant shall be sixty-five years of age or upwards and shall have served for more than forty years, an additional annual sum not exceeding one-fortieth of the salary and emoluments of his office for every completed year of his service beyond forty years.

(b) If such secretary, officer, or servant shall be under the age of sixty-five years, or being that age or upwards shall not have served forty years, such an additional annual sum as the Secretary of State in Council of India shall deem fit and expedient, provided that such additional annual sum, together with the superannuation or retiring allowance for which he shall at the time of his ceasing to hold office be qualified under the Act or Acts authorising a grant to him of a superannuation or retiring allowance, shall not exceed in amount the full superannuation or retiring allowance for which he might have become qualified under such Act or Acts as aforesaid if he had continued to hold office.

Any such addition to the superannuation or retiring allowance, which may be in excess of the amount to which the officer is at the time entitled, under the East India Company Act, 1813, shall be charged on the Revenues of India.

3. All grants made before the passing of this Act of any annual sum or sums by way of additional superannuation or retiring allowance to any such secretary, officer, or servant as aforesaid which would have been valid if made by the Secretary of State in Council of India after the passing of this Act are hereby confirmed and shall be as valid as if such grants had been made by the Secretary of State in Council of India after the passing of this Act.

4. All grants made before the passing of this Act of any annual sum or sums by way of compensation or retiring allowances to any such secretaries, officers, or servants as aforesaid in consequence of the abolition of their respective offices, or for the purpose of facilitating improvements in the organization of the establishment of the Secretary of State in Council of India, or in consideration of special services rendered by the person or persons to whom such grants shall have been made, shall be deemed to have been lawfully made.

REGULAR AND ELDERS' WIDOWS' FUNDS ACT, 1897.

[60 VICTORIA, CHAPTER 11.]

Arrangement of Sections.

Section.

1. The Secretary of State in Council of India to be entitled to and to assume the assets, liabilities, and management of the Regular and Elders' Widows' Funds.
2. Stocks standing in the names of the Trustees of such funds and moneys in their possession to be transferred to account of Secretary of State at Bank of England.
3. On such transfer being made duties and liabilities of Trustees to cease, but rights of subscribers to and beneficiaries under the funds to continue.
4. Powers of Trustees of funds vested in Secretary of State.
5. Annual contributions of Secretary of State to Regular Widows' Fund to cease and certain stock to form part of the invested capital of that fund.
6. Secretary of State empowered to raise by sale of invested capital of the funds sufficient to meet liabilities thereof.
7. Subject thereto, the invested capital to be retained in existing investments or to be invested in the public funds of Great Britain until all liabilities are satisfied.
8. Annual surplus income and ultimate surplus of funds to form part of the revenues of India and be dealt with accordingly.
9. In case capital should be exhausted, Secretary of State to meet liabilities of the funds out of revenues of India.
10. Power of Secretary of State to grant letter of attorney for sale, etc., of stock to his stock account at Bank of England.
11. How notifications, etc., by subscribers to and beneficiaries under the funds are to be given.
12. Short title.

An Act to make provision for the transfer of the Assets, Liabilities, and Management of the Regular Widows' Fund and of the Elders' Widows' Fund to the Secretary of State in Council of India, and for other purposes in relation thereto.

[3RD JUNE, 1897.]

WHEREAS, in the year one thousand eight hundred and twenty, two separate funds, commonly known and herein-after referred to as "the Regular Widows' Fund" and "the Elders' Widows' Fund" respectively, were established for the benefit of the widows and families of persons employed in the home service of the East India Company, which was then considered as divided into two classes, namely, the Regular Home Establishment and the Extra Department:

And whereas upon the establishment of the Regular Widows' Fund the East India Company

agreed to grant a contribution of four thousand pounds a year in aid of such fund, and in order to secure the payment thereof placed the sum of one hundred thousand pounds of East India bonds in the hands of the Trustees of such fund, and also agreed to grant a contribution of six hundred pounds a year to such fund upon the condition that so soon after the expiration of forty years from the twenty-fifth day of March one thousand eight hundred and sixteen as the capital of such fund should have attained an amount sufficient to ensure its complete efficiency, the said annual contributions of four thousand pounds and six hundred pounds should cease, and the said sum of one hundred thousand pounds of East India bonds be transferred to the East India Company:

And whereas upon the establishment of the Elders' Widows' Fund the East India Company agreed to grant a contribution of one thousand pounds a year in aid of such fund:

And whereas such annual contributions as aforesaid in aid of the said funds respectively subsequently became payable by the Secretary of State in Council of India:

And whereas for some years after the establishment of the said funds the income thereof respectively was more than sufficient to meet the current liabilities thereof, and the surplus income was accordingly invested and accumulated for the benefit of the said funds respectively:

And whereas in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four it was apprehended that by reason of reductions in the home establishment of the East India Company, consequent upon the Act of the third and fourth William the Fourth, chapter eighty-five, the said funds would prove inadequate to meet the payments provided for by the then existing regulations thereof respectively, and thereupon, at the request of the Trustees of the said funds respectively, it was resolved by the Court of Directors of the East India Company, with the sanction of the Commissioners for the Affairs of India, that the deficiency should be made good by the East India Company as compensation under the seventh section of the said Act, on condition that, if the capital of the said funds and the income thereof from interest and subscriptions should be more than sufficient to provide for the permanent charge of pensions, the excess should be appropriated, so far as it would go, to repay to the East India Company the advances which they might make under that arrangement, together with interest:

And whereas on the seventeenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and sixty the said funds were closed, and since that date no fresh subscribers have been admitted to either of the said funds:

And whereas by an Act passed in the session of the forty-first and forty-second years of the reign of Her present Majesty, chapter forty-seven, intituled "An Act to enable the Trustees of the Elders' Widows' Fund to apply the capital of the said fund in aid of income, and for other purposes in relation thereto," the annual contribution in aid of the Elders' Widows' Fund payable by the Secretary of State in Council of India was reduced to five hundred pounds a year as from the thirty-first day of March one

thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, and the Trustees of the said fund were empowered from time to time, until the liabilities of the said fund should be satisfied or the invested capital thereof be exhausted, to raise by sale of sufficient portions of such invested capital such an amount as might be from time to time required in addition to the income of the said fund, to meet the current liabilities thereof, and it was thereby also enacted that any ultimate surplus which might remain in the hands of the Trustees of the said fund, after satisfying all the liabilities thereof, should be transferred and paid to the Secretary of State in Council of India as part of the revenues of India; and that in case the invested capital of the said fund should be exhausted before all the liabilities thereof were satisfied, the Secretary of State in Council of India should from time to time out of the revenues of India pay to the Trustees of the said fund such sums or sum as might be required to make good the deficiency, in accordance with the said resolution of one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four, and to enable the said Trustees from time to time to meet the current liabilities of the said fund:

And whereas the sums contributed under the said resolution of one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four by the East India Company and the Secretary of State in Council of India up to the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six to the Regular Widows' Fund and the Elders' Widows' Fund respectively largely exceed the amount of the invested assets of those funds respectively:

And whereas the Secretary of State in Council of India has lately caused an investigation to be made into the assets and liabilities of the Regular Widows' Fund, and it appears by the report of the actuary employed in such investigation that all the liabilities of the said fund can probably be met, without any further contribution on the part of the Secretary of State in Council of India, by means of the income of the said fund, and the appropriation from time to time of portions of the invested capital thereof:

And whereas it is expedient that provision should be made for the transfer of the assets, liabilities, and management of the Regular Widows' Fund and the Elders' Widows' Fund to the Secretary of State in Council of India, and for the gradual extinction of the invested capital of the said funds with due regard to all existing interests, and for the transfer to the Secretary of State in Council of India, as part of the revenues of India, of the ultimate surplus, if any, of the invested capital of the said funds after answering all the liabilities thereof:

Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

I. From and after the passing of this Act the

The Secretary of State in Council of India shall be entitled to and shall take and assume the assets, liabilities, and management of the Regular Widows' Fund and of the Elders' Widows' Fund.

2. All stocks standing in the names of the

Stocks standing in the names of the Trustees of such funds and moneys in their possession to be transferred to account of Secretary of State at Bank of England.

Trustees or of any of the Trustees of the Regular Widows' Fund and representing the invested capital of such fund, including a sum of one hundred and twelve thousand and seventy-five pounds one shilling and six pence two and three-quarters per cent. consolidated stock, representing the said sum of one hundred thousand pounds East India bonds, shall be transferred to such accounts as may be necessary to be raised in the books of the Bank of England in respect of such stocks, and all such accounts respectively shall be intitled "The stock account of the Secretary of State in Council of India in respect of the Regular Widows' Fund," and all moneys, if any, in the possession or under the control of such Trustees or any of them belonging to such fund shall be paid into the Bank of England to the credit of "The account of the Secretary of State in Council of India," and all stock standing in the names of the Trustees or of any of the Trustees of the Elders' Widows' Fund and representing the invested capital of such fund shall be transferred to such accounts as may be necessary to be raised in the books of the Bank of England in respect of such stocks, and all such accounts respectively shall be intitled "The stock account of the Secretary of State in Council of India in respect of the Elders' Widows' Fund," and all moneys (if any) in the possession or under the control of such last-mentioned Trustees or any of them belonging to such fund shall be paid into the Bank of England to the credit of "The account of the Secretary of State in Council of India."

3. As soon as the invested capital of and all

On such transfer being made duties and liabilities of Trustees to cease, but rights of subscribers to and beneficiaries under the funds to continue.

moneys belonging to the Regular Widows' Fund and the Elders' Widows' Fund respectively shall have been transferred to the Secretary of State in Council of India, the duties and liabilities of the Trustees of the said funds respectively in respect of the said funds shall cease, and all existing and future liabilities of the said funds may be enforced against the Secretary of State in Council of India in like manner as they might have been enforced against the Trustees of the said funds if this Act had not been passed; and every person who shall be a subscriber to or a beneficiary under either of the said funds at or after the passing of this Act shall be entitled to the benefits to which they would have been entitled under the rules of the said funds now in force if this Act had not been passed.

4. From and after the passing of this Act,

Powers of Trustees of funds vested in Secretary of State.

there shall vest in the Secretary of State in Council of India all rights, powers, and authorities, discretionary or otherwise, which were prior to the passing of this Act vested in the Trustees of the Regular Widows' Fund and the Elders' Widows' Fund respectively, and subject to the provisions of this Act the Secretary of State in Council of India shall, as far as may be practicable, conform to and adopt the practice

heretofore followed in the management of the said funds.

5. The annual contributions of four thousand

Annual contributions of Secretary of State to Regular Widows' Fund to cease and certain stock to form part of the invested capital of that fund.

pounds and six hundred pounds in aid of the Regular Widows' Fund payable by the Secretary of State for India in Council shall cease to be payable as from the thirty-first day of

March one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven; and as from that date the said sum of one hundred and twelve thousand and seventy-five pounds one shilling and six pence two and three-quarters per cent. consolidated stock, representing the said sum of one hundred thousand pounds East India bonds, shall form part of the invested capital of the Regular Widows' Fund, and the dividends from time to time payable thereon shall thenceforth form part of the income of the said fund.

6. The Secretary of State in Council of India

Secretary of State empowered to raise by sale of invested capital of the funds sufficient to meet liabilities thereof.

shall from time to time, until the liabilities of the Regular Widows' Fund and the Elders' Widows' Fund respectively are satisfied, or the invested capital thereof respectively is exhausted, raise by sale of sufficient portions of such invested capital such an amount as may be from time to time required, in addition to the income of the said funds respectively (including in the income of the Elders' Widows' Fund the annual contribution of five hundred pounds payable by the Secretary of State in Council of India in aid of such fund), to meet the current liabilities thereof respectively.

7. Subject to the provisions of this Act, the

Subject thereto the invested capital to be retained in existing investments or to be invested in the public funds of Great Britain until all liabilities are satisfied.

Secretary of State in Council of India shall, so long as any liabilities of the Regular Widows' Fund and the Elders' Widows' Fund respectively remain unsatisfied, retain the invested capital for the time being of the said funds respectively in the investments in which such capital is now invested; provided that the Secretary of State in Council of India may at any time, and from time to time, sell out all or any part of the said investments or other the investments in which the invested capital of the said funds respectively shall for the time being be invested, and invest the moneys arising thereby in any of the public funds of Great Britain, but not otherwise.

8. Any surplus income of the Regular

Annual surplus income and ultimate surplus of funds to form part of the revenues of India and be dealt with accordingly.

Widows' Fund or of the Elders' Widows' Fund (including in the income of the Elders' Widows' Fund the said annual contribution of five hundred pounds) which may remain on the thirty-first day of March in any year, after satisfying all the current liabilities of the said funds respectively for the twelve preceding months ending on that day, shall as from that day form part of the revenues of India and may be dealt with accordingly, and any ultimate surplus which may remain of the said funds or either of them, after satisfying

all the liabilities thereof respectively, shall form part of the revenues of India and may be dealt with accordingly.

9. In case the invested capital of the Regular Widows' Fund and the Elders' Widows' Fund, or of either of such funds, shall be exhausted before all the liabilities thereof shall be satisfied, the Secretary of State in Council of India shall from time to time out of the revenues of India contribute to the said funds respectively, or to the fund in respect of which there may be subsisting liabilities, such sums or sum as may be required from time to time to meet the current liabilities thereof.

10. The Secretary of State in Council of India, by letter of attorney executed by two members of the Council and countersigned by the Secretary of State, or one of his Under Secretaries or his assistant Under Secretary, may authorise all or any of the cashiers of the Bank of England to sell and transfer all or any part of the stock or stocks for the time being standing in the books of the said bank to the accounts intituled "The stock account of the Secretary of State in Council of India in respect of the Regular Widows' Fund," or to the accounts intituled "The stock account of the Secretary of State in Council of India in respect of the Elders' Widows' Fund," and to purchase and accept

stock on the said accounts, and to receive the dividends due and to become due on the several stocks standing or that may thereafter stand on the said accounts, and by any writing signed by two members of the Council and countersigned as aforesaid may direct the application of the moneys to be received in respect of such sales and dividends; but no stock shall be purchased or sold and transferred by any of the said cashiers under the authority of such general letter of attorney except upon an order directed to the chief cashier and chief accountant of the Bank of England from time to time and duly signed and countersigned as aforesaid.

11. All notifications or applications on the part of the subscribers to or present or future beneficiaries under the Regular Widows' Fund or the Elders' Widows' Fund which are required or prescribed by the rules of the said funds respectively, as existing at the date of this Act, shall be given and made in such manner and to such person or persons as the Secretary of State in Council of India shall from time to time appoint.

12. This Act may be cited as the Regular and Elders' Widows' Funds Act, 1897.

J. M. MACPHERSON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

PUBLIC.

Simla, the 16th July, 1897.

No. 1502.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General is pleased to permit the title of "Honourable" to be borne by the Members of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Burma for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 16th July, 1897.

No. 567.—The services of Mr. W. S. Meyer, of the Indian Civil Service, Madras Establishment, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Madras, with effect from the 5th July 1897.

MEDICAL.

The 15th July, 1897.

No. 748.—The services of Surgeon-Lieutenant J. C. Robertson, M.B., C.M., I.M.S., Bengal, are placed at the disposal of the Foreign Department, with effect from the 16th May 1897.

SANITARY.

The 15th July, 1897.

No. 1826.—The following telegrams relating to quarantine in Persia are published for general information :

Telegram No. 30, dated Teheran, the 8th July 1897.

From—Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires, Teheran,

To—The Foreign Secretary, Simla.

By order of the Persian Government, the quarantine for arrivals in Persia is to be reduced to three days.

Telegram No. 1830-F., dated Simla, the 12th July 1897.

From—Foreign Secretary, Simla,

To—Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires, Teheran.

Your telegram July 8th. Does order reducing quarantine to three days apply to whole Eastern frontier including Herat-Meshed road ?

Telegram No. 31, dated Teheran, the 13th July 1897.

From—Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires, Teheran,

To—Foreign Secretary, Simla.

I have received your telegram of the 12th. Yes. For the Herat-Meshed road, similar orders have been sent.

JUDICIAL.

The 14th July, 1897.

No. 978.—The services of Lieutenant L. A. Watson, 31st (Punjab) Regiment of Bengal Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces for employment as Officiating Cantonment Magistrate.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 16th July, 1897.

No. 265.—The services of the Reverend J. Cameron, Assistant Chaplain, Church of Scotland, Cawnpore, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Military Department for employment with the Tochi Field Force.

No. 269.—*Erratum.*—In the table appended to Rule VI, Section IV of the revised Ecclesiastical rules published with the Notification of this Department No. 178, dated the 21st May 1897, the word "Cavalry" should be transferred from the second to the third line.

J. P. HEWETT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND
AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

METEOROLOGY.

Simla, the 13th July, 1897.

No. 1848—23-8.—The Superintendent of the Telegraph Office, Bombay, is appointed *ex-officio* Meteorological Reporter for Western India, with effect from the 4th May 1897.

GEOLOGY AND MINERALS.

The 13th July, 1897.

No. 1845—82-2.—Mr. James Grundy, Inspector of Mines in India, is granted three months' privilege leave, with effect from the 23rd July 1897, or the subsequent date from which he may avail himself of it.

FAMINE.

The 14th July, 1897.

No. 2478—32-40-F.—With reference to Notification No. 793—32-9 (Famine), dated 12th March 1897, Lieutenant C. A. E. O'Meara, 2nd (The Queen's Own) Regiment of Bengal (Light) Infantry, is permitted to revert to military duty.

LAND-SURVEYS.

The 16th July, 1897.

No. 1604—65-8.—Mr. T. A. Pope, Officiating Superintendent, 2nd grade, Survey of India Department, is confirmed in the post of Assistant Surveyor-General in charge of the Lithographic and Photographic offices, with effect from the 10th June 1897.

DENZIL IBBETSON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 14th July, 1897.

No. 1086-G.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. Frederic Williams to be in charge of the Swedish and Norwegian Consulate at Aden, during the absence of Mr. George Mortimer Gordon.

The 15th July, 1897.

No. 1091-G.—Subject to the confirmation of Her Majesty's Government, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. Stephen W. Anderson as Consular Agent for the Austro-Hungarian Empire at Karachi, *vice* Mr. H. Parfitt, resigned.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

PUBLIC DEBT.

Simla, the 16th July, 1897.

No. 3116-A.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to declare that sub-section (1) of section 7 of the Indian Securities Act, XIII of 1886, applies to the Office of the Chief Account Officer, Salt and Customs, Bombay.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

The 12th July, 1897.

No. 3018-Gl.—Mr. T. T. Robyns, Assistant Commissioner, Northern India Salt Revenue, Lower Division, Internal Branch, is granted privilege leave for three months, with effect from the 24th July 1897.

Mr. H. A. Tregear, Superintendent, Northern India Salt Revenue, 1st grade, is appointed to officiate as Assistant Commissioner, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. Robyns, or until further orders.

The 15th July, 1897.

No. 3112-Gl.—Mr. G. E. Walker, Presidency Post Master, Madras, is granted privilege leave for two months, with effect from the 21st July 1897.

Mr. J. Bower, Superintendent of Post Offices, 1st grade, is appointed to officiate as Presidency Post Master, Madras, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. Walker, or until further orders.

PAPER CURRENCY.

The 16th July, 1897.

No. 3145-A.—Abstract of the Accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 30th June 1897, published as required by Section 27 of the Indian Paper Currency Act, XX of 1882.

CIRCLES OF ISSUE.	Whole amount of Notes in circulation.	RESERVE IN SILVER COIN AND BULLION.		
		Coin.	Bullion.	TOTAL.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Calcutta .	9,76,63,235	3,79,09,941	...	3,79,09,941
Allahabad .	1,44,30,415	1,10,41,265	...	1,10,41,265
Lahore .	1,66,44,995	1,17,67,710	...	1,17,67,710
Bombay .	6,45,19,175	3,19,99,368	...	3,19,99,368
Kurrachee .	80,34,530	35,81,140	...	35,81,140
Madras .	2,51,74,005	2,21,19,375	...	2,21,19,375
Calicut .	13,80,550	15,43,495	...	15,43,495
Rangoon .	60,66,985	1,44,51,650	...	1,44,51,650
TOTAL .	23,39,13,890	13,44,13,944	...	13,44,13,944
<i>Deduct amount received at Calcutta, but not paid at Bombay</i>				5,00,000
NET TOTAL . . .				13,39,13,944
<i>Price paid for Government Securities of the nominal value of Rs. 10,20,81,500 held under Section 19 of the Act</i>				9,99,99,946
GRAND TOTAL . . .				23,39,13,890

J. F. FINLAY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 9th July, 1897.

JUDICIAL.

No. 750.—The following draft of certain rules, which it is proposed to make for all cantonments in British India in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 26 and 27 of the Cantonments Act, 1889 (XIII of 1889), in supersession of the rules published in G. G. O. No. 460, dated 3rd May 1895, is, as required by section 27 of that Act, hereby published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby, and notice is given that the draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 10th day of August 1897.

Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the draft before the date fixed as aforesaid, will be taken into consideration by the Governor-General in Council.

DRAFT RULES.

Definitions.

1. In these rules,—

- (a) the expression "bazar" means any land set apart for occupation by natives of India, except the lines of native troops;

(b) the expression "regimental bazar" means any bazar under the management of regimental authorities ; *

(c) the expression "infectious or contagious disorder" includes cholera, leprosy, enteric fever, venereal disease and every infectious or contagious disorder ;

(d) the expression "owner" includes the person for the time being receiving the rent of lands and buildings, or either of them, whether on his own account or as agent or trustee for any person or society or for any religious or charitable purpose, or who would so receive the same if the land or building were let to a tenant ; and

(e) the expression "street" includes any way, road, lane, square, court, alley, passage or open space, whether a thoroughfare or not and whether built upon or not, over which the public have a right of way, and also the roadway and footway over any public bridge or causeway.

Information to be given of existence of infectious or contagious disorder.

2. Whoever,—

(a) being a medical practitioner, in the course of practice becomes cognizant of the existence of any infectious or contagious disorder in any dwelling, other than a public hospital or dispensary, in the cantonment, or, in default of such medical practitioner,

(b) being the owner or occupier of such dwelling, is cognizant of the existence of any infectious or contagious disorder therein, or, in default of such owner or occupier,

(c) being the person in charge of, or in attendance on, any person suffering from any infectious or contagious disorder in such dwelling, is cognizant of the existence of such disorder therein,

shall be bound to give information to the Cantonment Authority respecting the existence of such disorder :

Provided that a person not required to give information in the first instance, but only in default of some other person, shall not be held to be bound to give information under this rule if it is shown that he had reasonable cause to suppose that the information had been, or would be, duly given.

3. (1) So far as the funds at its disposal permit, the Cantonment Authority may—

Hospitals or dispensaries.

(a) provide and maintain, either within or without the cantonment, as many hospitals or dispensaries as may be necessary ; or

(b) make upon such terms as it thinks fit to impose, a grant-in-aid to any hospital or dispensary, whether within or without the cantonment, not maintained by it.

(2) Every hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under this rule shall have attached to it a ward or wards for the treatment of persons suffering from infectious or contagious disorders.

4. A medical officer to be appointed in such manner as the Local Government may direct, shall be in charge of every hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under rule 3.

5. Subject to the control over the Cantonment Fund which is vested in the Local Government by section 23 of the Cantonments Act, 1889, there shall be appointed, for every hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under rule 3, such subordinate establishment as may be necessary.

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6. So far as the funds at its disposal permit, the Cantonment Authority shall cause every hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under rule 3 to be provided with—

Medical supplies, appliances, etc.

(a) all necessary drugs, instruments, apparatus, furniture and appliances ;

(b) sufficient cots, bedding and clothing for in-patients ; and

(c) such further requisites as may be necessary.

7. Every hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under rule 3 shall be maintained in accordance with the rules made generally or specially by the Governor General in Council, or the Local Government for the conduct of hospitals and dispensaries, or in accordance with the said rules modified in such manner as the Governor General in Council or the Local Government may think proper.

8. At every hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under rule 3, the sick poor of the cantonment, persons in the cantonment suffering from infectious or contagious disorders and, with the sanction of the Cantonment Authority, any other sick persons may receive medical treatment free of cost and, if treated as in-patients, shall be either dieted gratuitously or, should the medical officer in charge so direct, granted subsistence allowance on a scale to be determined by the Cantonment Authority :

Provided that the subsistence allowance granted as aforesaid shall not be less than the lowest allowance for the time being fixed for the subsistence of judgment-debtors by the Local Government under section 338 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

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9. Any sick person who is ineligible under the last foregoing rule to receive medical treatment free of cost in any hospital or dispensary maintained or aided under rule 3, may, upon such terms as the Cantonment Authority thinks fit to impose, be admitted to treatment in such hospital or dispensary.

Paying patients.

10. If the medical officer in charge of a hos-

Power to call upon person suffering from infectious or contagious disorder to attend and remain in the hospital or dispensary.

pital or dispensary maintained or aided under rule 3 has *prima facie* grounds for believing that any person living in the cantonment is suffering from an infectious or contagious disorder, he may, by notice in writing in the form set forth in the schedule or in any similar form, call upon such person to attend at the hospital or dispensary at a time to be specified in the notice and not to quit it without the permission of the medical officer in charge unless and until such medical officer is satisfied, by examination if necessary, that such person is not in fact suffering, or is no longer suffering, from such disorder :

Provided that, if, having regard to the nature of the disorder, or the condition of the person suffering therefrom, or the general environment and circumstances of such person, the medical officer considers the attendance of such person at the hospital or dispensary inexpedient, he may dispense with such attendance and take such measures or give such directions as to him seem fit and proper.

11. If the medical officer in charge of a hos-

Power to exclude from cantonment.

pital or dispensary maintained or aided under rule 3 reports in writing to the Commanding Officer of the cantonment that any person having received a notice as provided in rule 10 has refused or omitted to attend at the hospital or dispensary, or that such person having attended at the hospital or dispensary, has quitted it without the permission of such medical officer, the Commanding Officer may, if he thinks it expedient, by order in writing, direct such person to remove from the cantonment within twenty-four hours and prohibit such person from remaining longer in, or re-entering, it without his written permission.

Removal of brothels or prostitutes.

12. The Cantonment Authority may, by notice in writing, prohibit—

- (a) the keeping of a brothel, or
- (b) the residence of a public prostitute,

in the cantonment or in any specified part thereof.

13. No public prostitute shall be permitted to

Exclusion of public prostitutes from regimental bazars.

reside within the limits of any regimental bazar situated in the cantonment.

14. No person shall, in any street or public

Loitering or importuning for sexual immorality prohibited.

place within the limits of the cantonment, loiter for the purpose of prostitution or importune any person to the commission of sexual immorality :

Provided that no person shall be charged with a breach of this rule except on the complaint of the person importuned or of a member of the British military police-force employed in the cantonment and specially authorized in this behalf by the Commanding Officer of the cantonment, or of an officer as defined in the Cantonments Act, 1889.

Penalties.**15. (1) Whoever, being bound by rule 2 to**

Penalties.

give information to the Cantonment Authority respecting the existence of an infectious or contagious disorder, fails to give information or gives false information, shall be punishable with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

(2) Whoever,—

(a) having, under rule 11, been prohibited from remaining in, or re-entering, the cantonment, remains in, or re-enters, it without the written permission of the Commanding Officer ; or

(b) fails to comply with a notice under rule 12 ; or

(c) commits a breach of rule 14 :

shall be punishable with fine, which may extend to fifty rupees, or with imprisonment for a term which may extend to eight days.

16. Any member of the police-force employed

in the cantonment may Arrest without warrant arrest without a warrant, any person committing, or charged with having committed, an offence punishable under clause (2) (a) or clause (2) (c) of the last foregoing rule :

Provided as follows :—

(i) no person shall be so arrested whose name and address are known to either the complainant or the arresting officer ;

(ii) no person shall be so arrested who consents to give his or her name and address, unless there is reasonable ground for doubting the accuracy of the name or address so given, the burden of proof of which shall be on the arresting officer :

(iii) no person so arrested shall be detained after his or her name and address have been ascertained

(iv) no person so arrested shall, except under the order of a Magistrate, be detained longer than may be necessary for bringing him or her before a Magistrate ; and

(v) no person shall be so arrested for a breach of rule 14 except—

(a) at the request of the person importuned or of an officer as defined in the Cantonments Act, 1889, in whose presence the breach was committed ; or

(b) by, or at the request of, a member of the British military police-force employed in the cantonment and specially authorised in this behalf by the Commanding Officer of the cantonment, in whose presence the breach was committed.

SCHEDULE.

(See Rule 10.)

To—

Take notice that under rule 10 of the Rules under the Cantonments Act, 1889 (XIII of 1889), published in the *Gazette of India*, 1897,

Part I, page—you are hereby called upon to attend at the _____ on _____ day, the _____, 189 , at _____ o'clock _____ M., and not to quit the said ^{hospital} ~~dispensary~~ without the permission of the medical officer in charge unless and until such officer is satisfied that you are not in fact suffering, or are no longer suffering from an infectious or contagious disorder, that is to say from _____

Medical Officer in charge of the

Dated _____, the _____, 189—

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APPOINTMENTS.

ARMY STAFF.

No. 767.—The appointment of Colonel A. A. Saunders, Royal Artillery, to be Colonel on the Staff, Royal Artillery, Head-Quarters, Madras Command, with the temporary rank of Brigadier-General, will have effect from the 24th June 1897, and not as notified in G. G. O. No. 740 of 1897.

No. 768—Captain H. R. B. Donne, Norfolk Regiment, Station Staff Officer, 1st class, Delhi, to be a Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General on the District Staff, *vice* Major E. D. J. O'Brien, whose tenure has expired. Dated 5th July 1897.

COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

No. 769.—Brevet-Colonel H. H. Harvey-Kelly, Indian Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd class, to be Assistant Commissary-General, 1st class;

Captain W. C. H. Mackintosh, Indian Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd class, to be Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd class;

Captain W. H. D. Rich, Indian Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 4th class, to be Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd class;

Captain H. W. Lowry, Indian Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 1st class, to be Assistant Commissary-General, 4th class;

Lieutenant H. L. D. Fordyce, Indian Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd class, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 1st class,—

with effect from the 6th January 1897, *vice* Colonel W. Cooke, Indian Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 1st class, promoted to Commissary-General.

(G. G. O. No. 627 of 1897 is cancelled.)

DISTRICT STAFF.

No 770.—Colonel A. Gaselee, C.B., Indian Staff Corps, Colonel on the Staff, Cawnpore, to command a 1st class district in India, with the temporary rank of Brigadier-General, while so employed, *vice* Lieutenant-General Sir A. P. Palmer, K.C.B., Indian Staff Corps, on leave, and in relief of Major-General G. C. Bird, C.B., Indian Staff Corps, appointed to the command of the Tochi Field Force. Dated 1st July 1897.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 771—The undermentioned Surgeon-Lieutenants appointed to the establishments noted below in G. G. O. No. 314 of 1897, reported their arrival at Bombay on the date specified:

Punjab Command.

Charles Henry Watson.

Bombay Command.

Charles Hope Septimus Lincoln.

Geoffrey Orr Fern Sealy.

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STAFF CORPS.

No. 772.—Lieutenant Wynyard Feeling Lang, West Yorkshire Regiment, officiating wing officer, 14th Regiment of Bombay Infantry, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 16th November 1895, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

FIELD OPERATIONS.

TOCHI.

No. 773.—The Right Hon'ble the Viceroy and Governor-General in Council directs the publication of the subjoined letter from the Adjutant-General in India, submitting, under the orders of the Commander-in-Chief, reports from Lieutenant-Colonel W. du G. Gray, Commanding the Troops in the Tochi Valley, relating to the attack made by Madda Khels on the Political Officer's Escort at Maizar on the 10th June 1897.

These reports are to be regarded as despatches.

2. The Governor-General in Council entirely concurs with His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in his appreciation of the gallantry and devotion of the British officers, and of the coolness, bravery and discipline of all ranks when deprived of their leaders and compelled to retire under the most difficult conditions.

The conduct of both officers and men on this trying occasion was worthy of the best traditions of the Punjab Frontier Force, and will add to the high reputation for soldierlike conduct which the force has ever enjoyed.

No. 181-T., "Field Operations—Tochi," dated Simla, the 8th July 1897.

From—The Adjutant-General in India,

To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department.

I have the honor, by direction of the Commander-in-Chief, to forward the enclosed letters from Lieutenant-Colonel W. du G. Gray, Commanding Tochi Valley Troops, reporting on the attack on the Political Officer's Escort at Maizar on the 10th June 1897.

2. His Excellency feels assured that there can be but one opinion as regards the behaviour of all ranks after the attack commenced. The report describes in graphic language the gallantry and devoted example of the British officers who, though wounded, continued to direct the withdrawal of the force until incapacitated by their injuries; the coolness and heroic conduct of the native officers, non-commissioned officers and men, the determined stand at the garden wall, where those who fell gave their lives to cover the withdrawal of their wounded comrades; and the admirable discipline exhibited in the deliberate and systematic withdrawal of the force, carried out as it was under a heavy fire and under most trying circumstances. These are some of the leading characteristics of the combat, and it is with a deep sense of satisfaction that His Excellency submits this record of a gallant deed of arms, second to none in the annals of the Indian Army.

3. The march performed by the reinforcements from Datta Khel, who traversed a distance of 9 miles in an hour and a half under the burning sun of a June afternoon, shows the stamina and soldierlike spirit of the party and deserves marked commendation.

4. His Excellency desires also to express his hearty concurrence in the remarks made by Lieutenant-Colonel Gray on the valuable assistance rendered to the troops by Mr. Gee, Political Officer, during the retirement.

5. The staunchness and devotion of the whole force, and particularly the excellent conduct of the native officers when thrown on their own resources, are worthy of the highest praise; and, while deploring the loss of so many brave soldiers, it is with a deep sense of admiration and appreciation of their conduct that His Excellency directs the submission of these reports, with a strong recommendation that they may be regarded as despatches and published under the orders of His Excellency the Governor-General in Council.

No. 230, "Disturbances," dated Datta Khel, the 16th June 1897.

From—LIEUTENANT-COLONEL W. DU G. GRAY, Commanding Tochi Valley Troops,

To—The Assistant Adjutant-General, Punjab Frontier Force.

I have the honour to submit the following report on the occurrences of the 10th instant.

2. An escort consisting of 12 sabres, 1st Punjab Cavalry, two guns, No. 6 Bombay Mountain Battery, 200 rifles, 1st Sikhs, and 100 rifles, 1st Punjab Infantry, under command of Lieutenant-Colonel A. C. Bunny, accompanied Mr. Gee, Political Officer, to one of the Maizar villages. Mr. Gee's object in going there was partly to discuss with the tribesmen the realization of a fine, but mainly to select a site for a levy post.

Each Infantry soldier carried 22 rounds in pouch, and there were altogether 10 boxes of ammunition in reserve.

Captain Browne, R.A., and Lieutenant Cruikshank, R.A., accompanied the guns. Lieutenant Higginson, the 1st Sikhs, and Lieutenant Seton-Browne, the 1st Punjab Infantry, Surgeon-Captain Cassidy, also accompanied the party.

3. Maizar is a group of villages, 12 miles from Datta Khel camp, situated on the right banks of the Shawal and Tochi at the junction of those two rivers and on the Bannu-Ghazni road. It does not appear on the map as Maizar, but there are some names of villages (Khaji Khel, Dilpural, etc.) entered on the site. These names, however, seem to be incorrect. The village by which the treacherous attack began is probably that shown as Dilpural in the map. On the accompanying sketch map of the scene of the affair, it is marked A.

The road from Datta Khel camp to Maizar passes close to Sheranni.

The sketch map attached is by Lieutenant Seton-Browne, 1st Punjab Infantry, from memory.

4. Maizar was reached at 9-30 A.M. The Maliks, who were believed* to be perfectly friendly and loyal, pointed out a spot under some trees, about 100 yards from a Dreplari† village, for the force to halt. (B on sketch map).

* By the Political Officer.

† The Dreplaris are a Madda Khel Section.

It will be seen from the sketch map that there are more villages to the south and east of the halting place at a distance of 200 to 400 yards.

The guns had been placed quite close to a garden of the first mentioned village.

Guards were posted. Arms were not piled by Infantry.

5. Directly after arrival, Mr. Gee, with Captain Browne, R.A., and Lieutenant Higginson, visited Dotoi (a village a few miles further up the Tochi), escorted by the 1st Punjab Cavalry sowars and accompanied by Maliks. They returned at 11-30 A.M.

A meal was now provided by the Maliks for Mussulman sepoys.

6. About 2 P.M., while the pipers of the 1st Sikhs were playing, a man was observed to wave a sword from the top of a tower of the Dreplari village. This was apparently a pre-concerted signal, as those villagers, who were among the officers and men, cleared off towards the village.

Two shots were now fired from the Dreplari village, the second of which wounded Lieutenant Seton-Browne in the thigh. Firing now commenced from the villages to the south and east, and a hot fire was opened from the Dreplari village (north).

The fire was directed on the British officers, and Colonel Bunny was almost immediately wounded mortally through the stomach while looking for a position to hold, and issuing orders to his men.

There was a large number of men at the gate of the Dreplari village who were firing and were about to charge the guns. On them the guns opened with case at a range of about a hundred yards.

Captain Browne, R.A., was now wounded in the upper arm by a bullet which severed the artery (this proved fatal); and Lieutenant Cruikshank, R.A., was shot twice in the right arm.

Sixteen rounds per gun had been carried. The shrapnel was fired reversed. The ammunition was very shortly expended.

7. At the commencement of the firing there was a general stampede among the baggage mules, and it was this that caused the very large loss of property that ensued. All the men's great-coats tied up in mule loads, most of the reserve ammunition, 1st Punjab Infantry, drums, mess-plates, etc., mule-gear, pakhsals and many other things had to be abandoned. Immediate withdrawal was imperative, and the mules were not present to be loaded.

8. It seems that the retirement which now commenced under such very trying conditions was carried out with great deliberation and in the most stubborn and gallant manner.

As it began Lieutenant Higginson was shot through the arm, and Surgeon-Captain Cassidy in the knee.

The enemy now appeared on all sides in great force.

All British military officers were now wounded, two of them mortally, yet they all continued to carry out their duties and lead their men. The circumstances must be admitted to have been trying in the extreme for the troops, and their staunchness is worthy of the highest praise. Subadars Narain Singh, 1st Sikhs, Sundar Singh, 1st Punjab Infantry, and Jemadar Sherzad, 1st Sikhs, behaved with the greatest gallantry. Getting together a party of their men they made a most determined stand by the wall of a garden (the point is marked C in the sketch), and from it they covered the first withdrawal, themselves under heavy fire, remaining till the enemy closed with them. Subadar Sundar Singh, 1st Punjab Infantry, was now killed, and by far the greater number of the casualties of the day took place here.

¹Under cover of this stand the wounded were carried and helped away, and the guns withdrawn, along a lane, to a low Kotal about 300 yards distant, where a fresh position was occupied. The survivors of the party at the garden wall then withdrew.

The retirement was continued by successive units, very deliberately and with complete regularity, positions being held on the ridges stretching from south to north (*vide* sketch), until the Sheranni plain was reached (about two miles). All this time the enemy was constantly enveloping the flanks. The main road which had been taken in the morning had been abandoned, as it was commanded on both sides, and parties of the enemy were advancing from Sheranni.

Lieutenant Higginson was, during this part of the retirement, again shot in the arm.

Eventually, about 5-30 P.M., a good position was found about a mile from the last of the above-mentioned ridges. Reinforcements began to appear in sight, and the enemy was beaten off.

The fact that the retreat over a distance of three miles occupied 3½ hours shows how stubbornly the enemy was resisted.

9. The number of the enemy at first is estimated at 500, but constant reinforcements during the retirement raised their numbers to probably much over 1,000. They are understood to have lost 90 killed and many wounded.

10. From the Kotal sowars had been sent to camp to call for reinforcements, which reached the force in the last-mentioned position about 6-15 P.M. They consisted of two companies, 1st Sikhs, under Lieutenant de Brett, R.A., accompanied by Lieutenant Stockley, R.E., and brought fresh ammunition. They had covered the distance from camp (9 miles) in less than an hour and a half.

With the ammunition now received the heights around and the village of Sheranni were shelled (the latter at 1,400 yards), with the result that the enemy finally retired, and the village was partially set on fire.

11. The remainder of the withdrawal was unmolested, and the rear-guard reached camp at 12-30 A.M.

12. Some help was given by Khidder Khels, who brought water for the wounded during the retreat; and who, during the following two days, brought in the bodies of all killed, except two which could not be found.*

The bodies so brought in had been horribly mutilated, irrespective of their religion.

13. Colonel Bunny and Captain Browne, R.A., died of their wounds on the road, and their bodies, with that of Lieutenant Cruickshank, R.A., and all the wounded, were brought in with the retirement.

Total casualties.

	Killed.	Wounded.
British officers	3	3
Native „	1	...
Non-commissioned officers and men	22	25

Several mules and horses also killed and wounded.

14. The news reached me at Miran Shah at 11 P.M. on the 10th, and I arrived at Datta Khel, with Surgeon-Captain Ozzard, at 8 A.M. the next morning.

The first matter for consideration was the recovery of the dead left on the field, and the Government and private property. As they were all left on, and close to the scene of the first assault, which could hardly have been reached without much loss (with the available troops), and as the Khidder Khels promised to bring in the bodies, and as there was small chance of finding any of the property still lying there, I was obliged to abandon the idea.

15. A statement of lost property will follow as soon as it can be compiled. It includes 8 rifles (of killed).

16. It has already been said that Colonel Bunny and Captain Browne, R.A., continued to carry on their duties after being mortally wounded, and this they continued to do until the near approach of death stopped them; and it has also been said that Subadar Sundar Singh, 1st Punjab Infantry, was killed while fighting in the most gallant and self-sacrificing manner.

The behaviour of Lieutenants Seton-Browne and Higginson, in leading their men, and, after the death of their seniors, conducting the retreat, though themselves severely wounded, is worthy of high praise.

17. The behaviour of the whole force throughout was splendid, and I propose to bring to notice the very fine conduct of some individuals, without which the account of the event would be incomplete, in a supplementary letter.

18. A list of casualties is attached on Field Service Forms.

NO. 6 (BOMBAY) MOUNTAIN BATTERY.

Return of Casualties in action at Datta Khel on 10th June 1897.

SUMMARY.

Officers—killed 2—wounded nil—missing nil.

Non-commissioned officers and men—killed 2—wounded 3—missing nil.

Followers—killed nil—wounded 1—missing nil.

NOMINAL RETURN OF OFFICERS KILLED.

Rank.	Name.	Nature of wound.
Captain	J. F. Browne, R. A.	Flesh wound, right arm. Artery severed, death from loss of blood.
Lieutenant	H. A. Cruickshank, R. A.	Shot in left arm and breast. Death instantaneous.

* Since this was written these two bodies have also been recovered.—H. G.

NOMINAL RETURN OF NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS AND MEN KILLED.

Regl. No.	Rank.	Name.	Nature of wound.
2438	Havildar . . .	Umar Din	Wound, left shoulder, and shot through forehead. Death instantaneous from second wound.
766	Driver . . .	Alif Khan	Shot through stomach.

NOMINAL RETURN OF NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS AND MEN WOUNDED.

Regl. No.	Rank.	Name.	Description of wound—dangerous, severe or slight.	Nature of wound.
2432	Lance-Naick . .	Utam Chand	Severe . . .	Shot wound through right elbow, missing bone. Shot wound in right thigh, missing bone. Latter bullet still in wound.
2530	Gunner . . .	Chet Singh	„ . . .	Bone of upper portion of nose shot away.
796	Driver . . .	Gurdit Singh	Slight . . .	Bullet wound, superficial, upper part, right arm.
	Kahar . . .	Budhai, 1st P. C.	„ . . .	Bad contusion, left calf.

DATTA KHEL ; }
11th June 1897. }

H. S. DE BRETT, *Lieutenant, R.A.,*
Commanding No. 6 (Bombay) Mountain Battery.

Roll of animals belonging to No. 6 (Bombay) Mountain Battery killed and wounded on 10th June 1897.

Class.	No.	REMARKS.
KILLED.		
Ordnance mule	28	
„ „	15	
„ „	42	
Baggage mule	61	
WOUNDED.		
Ordnance mule	10	
„ „	40	
„ „	71	
„ „	107	
„ „	63	

H. S. DE BRETT, *Lieutenant, R.A.,*
Commanding No. 6 (Bombay) Mountain Battery.

1ST REGIMENT OF SIKH INFANTRY, PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE.

Return of Casualties in action at Maizar (Tochi Valley) on 10th June 1897.

SUMMARY.

*British officers—killed 1—wounded 2—missing nil.**Non-commissioned officers, men and followers—killed 13—wounded 20—missing nil.*

NOMINAL RETURN OF OFFICERS KILLED.

Rank.	Name.	Nature of wound.
Major (Temporary Lieutenant-Colonel).	A. C. Bunny	Gun shot through body.

WOUNDED.

Rank.	Name.	Description of wound— dangerous, severe or slight.	Nature of wound.
Surgeon-Captain .	C. C. Cassidy	Severe	Gunshot in knee.
Lieutenant . .	A. J. M. Higginson	„	„ (twice in left arm).

NOMINAL RETURN OF NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS AND MEN KILLED.

Regl. No.	Rank.	Name.	Nature of wound.
4497	Sepoy	Shakar Khan	Gunshot.
4759	„	Muhammad Khan	„
274	„	Roshan Khan	„
4595	„	Sundar Singh	„
4411	Lance-Naick. .	Atar Singh	„
4613	Sepoy	Bishen Singh	„
3872	Lance-Naick .	Kesar Singh	„
3992	„	Achhar Singh	„
4474	„	Sawan Singh, 1st	„
4583	Sepoy	Sant Singh, 4th	„
4814	„	Sawan Singh, 3rd	„
157	„	Bisa Singh	„
General No. 1465	Kahar	Ganda	„

NOMINAL RETURN OF NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS AND MEN WOUNDED.

Regl. No.	Rank.	Name.	Description of wound— dangerous, severe or slight.	Nature of wound.
...	Subadar . . .	Nawab Khan	Slight	Gunshot, twice in leg.
...	Jemadar . . .	Najja Khan	"	" rib.
4990	Sepoy . . .	Imam Ali	Severe	" hand.
405	" . . .	Tika Khan	Slight	" shoulder.
4647	" . . .	Sukha Singh	Severe	" right thigh and left knee.
183	" . . .	Lal Singh	"	" heel.
227	" . . .	Hazura Singh	"	" right shoulder.
209	" . . .	Bir Singh	"	" hip.
4116	Naick . . .	Ganda Singh	"	Contusion L. E. (knee).
4281	Lance-Naick . . .	Karm Singh	"	Gunshot, buttock.
4706	Sepoy . . .	Ganesha Singh	"	" thigh.
4918	" . . .	Sahib Singh	"	" thigh.
384	" . . .	Prem Singh	"	" neck.
4776	" . . .	Ganda Singh, 2nd	Slight	" neck.
3659	Havildar . . .	Gurmukh Singh	"	" foot.
3991	" . . .	Nawab Khan	"	" foot.
3767	Sepoy . . .	Labh Singh	"	" thigh.
38	" . . .	Makhmud	Severe	" arm.
369	" . . .	Hasham Khan	Slight	" chest.
446	" . . .	Saidullah	Severe	" thigh and chest.
1374 R.P.	Mule Driver . . .	Chur Muhammad	Dangerous	" head.

DATTA KHEL ;
10th June 1897.

J. A. H. POLLOCK, Major,
Commanding 1st Sikh Infantry,
Punjab Frontier Force.

1ST REGIMENT OF PUNJAB INFANTRY, PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE.

Return of Casualties in action at Maizar (Tochi Valley) on 10th June 1897.

SUMMARY.

British officers—killed nil—wounded 1—missing nil.

Native officers—killed 1—wounded nil—missing nil.

Non-commissioned officers and men—killed 7—wounded 6—missing nil.

NOMINAL RETURN OF OFFICERS KILLED.

Rank.	Name.	Nature of wound.
Subadar	Sundar Singh	Gunshot wound.

WOUNDED.

Rank.	Name.	Description of wound— dangerous, severe or slight.	Nature of wound.
Lieutenant . . .	C. L. S. Seton-Browne	Severe	Gunshot wound of thigh.

NOMINAL RETURN OF NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS AND MEN KILLED.

Regl. No.	Rank.	Name.	Nature of wound.
295	Naick	Bur Singh	Gunshot wound. Locality not known.
4663	Lance-Naick	Kanaiya Singh	
245	Sepoy	Dalel Singh	
809	„	Dyal Singh	
1025	„	Indar Singh	
1027	„	Wariam Singh	
1031	„	Nand Singh	

NOMINAL RETURN OF NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS AND MEN WOUNDED.

Regl. No.	Rank.	Name.	Description of wound— dangerous, severe or slight.	Nature of wound.
651	Sepoy	Fakir Khan	Slight	Gunshot wound of leg.
654	„	Rassul Khan	Severe	„ „ of thigh.
993	„	Alla Singh	Slight	„ „ of back.
1026	„	Dhulip Singh	„	„ „ of back.
1022	„	Shere Singh	„	„ „ of hand.
774	„	Nur Dad	Severe	„ „ of calf.

DATTA KHEL ;
15th June 1897.

W. DU G. GRAY, *Lieutenant-Colonel,*
Commanding 1st Punjab Infantry.

No. 233, "Disturbances," dated Datta Khel, the 20th June 1897.

From—LIEUTENANT-COLONEL W. DU G. GRAY, Commanding Tochi Valley Troops,
To—The Assistant Adjutant-General, Punjab Frontier Force.

In continuation of my letter No. 230, dated 16th instant, I have the honour to report further on several instances of individual conduct.

2. After the two Royal Artillery officers had fallen, that is almost immediately after the attack began, the gunners continued to fire under the orders of their non-commissioned officers, until their ammunition was expended; in No. 3 Sub-division firing blank by the Havildar's orders when the shells were expended, until the mules were ready. The men serving this gun were—Havildar Nihal Singh, Naick Utam Chand, Gunners Jowala Singh, Chet Singh and Diwan Singh (II). The carriage mule being wounded, Havildar Nihal Singh, Naick Utam Chand and Gunner Jowala Singh carried the gun-carriage to the relief line (about 150 yards). Gunner Chet Singh was wounded in the face when limbering up, and was taken away by Gunner Diwan Singh (II).

In No. 4 Sub-division, although the gun twice turned over backwards, and two lanyards broke, the men continued to fight their gun. They were—Naick Sharaf Ali, Lance-Naick Phulla Khan, Gunner Dulla Khan and Havildar Umar Din (killed). The gun-mule in this Sub-division

was wounded just after being limbered up, and threw the gun and bolted. The gun was then carried away by Havildar-Major Muhammad Ismail, Gunner Dulla Khan and Gunner Lakhu as far as the relief line.

Driver Havildar Rudh Singh gave great help in sending back the wounded, and Salutri Kewal dressed Captain Browne's wound under fire. The drivers all behaved excellently, even loading up the great-coats on the relief line mules until ordered by Captain Browne to desist. Those whose mules were shot or broke away all helped other drivers or took their share in carrying the wounded. The Havildar-Major seems to have conducted the retirement of the section in a cool and able manner.

During this first withdrawal Lance-Naick Shah Sowar, 1st Sikhs, behaved with much gallantry, keeping the enemy off with his fire, while he accompanied and helped those carrying Captain Browne, R.A. (who had been wounded).

It is to be remembered that the guns, while being fought as above described, were at a distance of only 100 yards from a threatening enemy, and were under a converging fire from different sides.

3. The stand made at the point C (in the sketch with the previous report) has already been described. This was under the direction of Subadars Sundar Singh, 1st Punjab Infantry,* and Narain Singh, 1st Sikhs. The latter officer, also, with

* Killed.

great presence of mind, removed a large quantity of ammunition from the reserve ammunition boxes of his regiment, and rapidly distributed it. Some was also carried away by Bugler Bela Singh, 1st Punjab Infantry. The value of this ammunition to the force cannot be over-estimated; had it not been rescued, it is difficult to think how the enemy could have been kept off at all.

The following men had been sent under heavy fire to fetch away the ammunition boxes by Subadar Narain Singh: Naick Lachman Singh, 1st Sikhs; Sepoy Shiv Singh, 1st Sikhs, who went back twice, and was afterwards twice wounded; Sepoy Isar Singh, 1st Sikhs; Lance-Naick Atar Singh, 1st Sikhs (killed); and Langri Jhanda Singh, 1st Sikhs.

The conduct of Subadar Sundar Singh, 1st Punjab Infantry, at the place where he died was most heroic.

4. At this place (C) many other men also behaved with great heroism. All those who fell there gave their lives to cover the withdrawal of their comrades. Among the survivors Lance-Naik Ishar Singh, 1st Punjab Infantry, fought the enemy hand to hand very gallantly there, killing several with his bayonet, and generally rendering great help; and Bugler Bela Singh, 1st Punjab Infantry, who has been mentioned above, was again conspicuous, fighting bravely and effectively with a rifle he saved from one of the killed, and later in distributing under fire the ammunition which had been saved.

5. During the first withdrawal to the Kotal, Jemadar Sherzad, 1st Sikhs, carried Lieutenant Higginson, wounded, away under a very heavy fire. A little later, taking a rifle and ammunition from a dead sepoy, he covered the retreat of a party (consisting of Havildar Muhammad Bakhsh, Naick Khwaja Muhammad and Sepoy Isar Singh, 1st Sikhs), who were carrying Surgeon-Captain Cassidy, wounded, to the rear. He also carried Surgeon-Captain Cassidy part of the way.

Sepoy Allahyar Khan, 1st Punjab Infantry, carried Lieutenant Seton-Browne, wounded, to the Kotal.

Subadar Nawab Khan, 1st Sikhs, was one of the last to leave the scene of the outrage, and both there, and throughout the subsequent retirement, he worked in a very cool and admirable way.

6. During the general retirement from the Kotal towards the place, where the reinforcements were met, the ability and coolness of Subadar Narain Singh, 1st Sikhs, mentioned above, were of the greatest value. Lance-Naick Assa Singh, 1st Punjab Infantry, did good work in helping Lieutenant Seton-Browne along when the enemy was pressing the retreat.

Sepoy Nurdad, 1st Punjab Infantry, repulsed an attack of a party of the enemy. After shooting down two at a very short distance, he led a successful counter-charge against them, being himself severely wounded.

7. Reference was made in the previous report to the most gallant conduct of the deceased officers—Colonel Bunny, Captain Browne, R.A., and Subadar Sundar Singh. At the time it was written, I was not aware that Lieutenant Cruikshank, R.A., had also behaved in a most conspicuous manner getting up and continuing to fight his guns, after being once shot down, until he was killed by another bullet.

8. The sudden and treacherous way in which the attack began, and the fact that at the very first the men saw all their British officers shot down, make the staunchness and gallantry of the native officers, non-commissioned officers and men, even more praiseworthy than they might otherwise have been.

The indomitable spirit of No. 6 Bombay Mountain Battery is beyond all praise.

9. The conspicuous behaviour of Lieutenants Higginson and Seton-Browne in conducting the retirement, while severely wounded, has been mentioned before.

10. I trust the General Officer Commanding may see fit to recommend these two British officers and all native officers, non-commissioned officers and men mentioned by name above for a signal reward for their gallantry. And I would also ask permission to submit a list of those killed at the garden wall (the point C), with a view to the recognition of their splendid conduct being extended to their widows or heirs.

11. When the previous report was written the casualties were under-stated. They were as follows:

Unit.	KILLED.						WOUNDED.							
							Dangerously.		Severely.		Slightly.			
	British officers.	Native officers.	Non-commissioned officers and men.	Followers.	Officers' Chargers.	Horses and mules.	Non-commissioned officers and men.	Followers.	British officers.	Non-commissioned officers and men.	Native officers.	Non-commissioned officers and men.	Followers.	Horses and mules.
1st (Prince Albert Victor's Own) Punjab Cavalry.	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
No. 6 (Bombay) Mountain Battery.	2	...	2	...	...	4	1	...	...	2	...	...	1	5
1st Sikhs . . .	1	...	12	1	3	...	...	1*	2	11	2	7	...	...
1st Punjab Infantry .	...	1	7	...	1	...	...	...	1	2	...	4	...	...
Total .	3	1	21	1	4	7	1	1	3	15	2	12	1	5

* Since dead.

Total { Killed 26, and 11 horses and mules.
Wounded 35, and 5 mules.

Also 24 baggage mules missing.

12. Lists of property lost are now attached.†

13. Though it is not my business to report on civil officers, it would be unjust to omit mentioning that Mr. Gee's exertions and presence of mind were of great value in the help he rendered during the retirement and in sending to call up the reinforcements.

† These lists are not printed.

No. 774.—In G. G. O. No. 697 of 1897, opposite the name of Captain A. L. Schreiber, R.E., for "Assistant Field Engineer" read "Field Engineer."

No. 775.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 697 of 1897, the following appointments are sanctioned during the operations of the Tochi Field Force, with effect from the dates on which the officers assume their duties:

Captain F. D. J. Annesley, 1st Battalion, East Kent Regiment, and Lieutenant H. G. Maxwell, 16th Regiment of Bengal Cavalry, to be commandants of the Depôts of British and Native Troops, respectively, at Edwardesabad.

No. 776.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 697 of 1897, Lieutenant G. A. H. Beatty, 9th Regiment of Bengal Lancers to be Provost Marshal, 2nd Brigade, Tochi Field Force.

No. 777.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 697 of 1897, Major H. F. Chesney, R.E., is appointed Field Engineer, Tochi Field Force.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 778.—The following extracts are published for general information

"London Gazette," dated the 18th June 1897, pages 3377 and 3378.

INDIA OFFICE;

18th June, 1897.

The Queen has approved of the following promotions among the officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Medical Service, and admissions to the Staff Corps, made by the Government of India:

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Henry Napier McRae. Dated 25th March 1897.

To be Majors.

Major John Shakespear, C.I.E., D.S.O., from the Leinster Regiment. Dated 28th March 1896, but to rank from 12th August 1895.

Captain Hugh Harry Haworth Aspinall.
Dated 22nd March 1897.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

Dated 28th April 1897.

Arthur Knox Armstrong.
Charles Cameron Leveson-Gower.
Benjamin Proctor Simpson Rooke.
Philip Charles Palin.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant John Marshall Molesworth Collard,
from the Northamptonshire Regiment.
Dated 26th August 1895, but to rank from
28th July 1893.

Lieutenant Vere de Vere Hunt, from the
Royal Artillery. Dated 11th October
1895, but to rank from 24th July 1894.

Lieutenant Ernest Septimus Gale, from the
Royal Dublin Fusiliers. Dated 11th March
1897, but to rank from 10th January 1897.

Lieutenant Arthur Lyster Longhurst, from the
Border Regiment. Dated 25th February
1897, but to rank from 26th August 1896.

Second-Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

Dated 25th February 1897.

George Augustus Hawks.

Dated 28th February 1897.

Alexander Shairp.

Dated 16th April 1897.

George de la Poer Beresford Pakenham.

Arthur Francis Henderson.

Henry Edward ap Rhys Pryce.

William Hugh Simpson.

Charles Herbert Villiers-Stuart.

George Kendall Channer.

Charles Alexander Campbell Godwin.

Esme Cosmo William Conway-Gordon.

Oliver St. John Skeen.

Malcolm Henry Burdett Geddes.

To be Second-Lieutenants.

Second-Lieutenant George David Bruce,
from the Royal Fusiliers. Dated 27th
February 1897, but to rank from 20th May
1893.

The undermentioned Second-Lieutenants from
the Unattached List. Dated as below, but to
rank from 22nd January 1896 :

Charles Lubé Peart. Dated 30th March
1897.

Kenneth Wigram. Dated 29th March 1897.

Henry Charles Melville Northage James.
Dated 30th March 1897.

Cecil Popham Barlow. Dated 3rd April 1897.

Edward Dalton Wylie. Dated 12th March
1897.

Frederic Philip Pierrepont Rouse. Dated
30th March 1897.

Hugh William Niven. Dated 31st March
1897.

James Gervais Lyons. Dated 31st March
1897.

Algernon John Parker Coke. Dated 3rd
April 1897.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonels to be Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonels.

BENGAL ESTABLISHMENT.

Edgar Geer Russell. Dated 21st December
1896.

BOMBAY ESTABLISHMENT.

William McConaghy, M.D. Dated 4th October
1896.

Thomas Stephenson Weir. Dated 31st
March 1897.

Surgeon-Majors to be Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonels.

Dated 31st March 1897.

BENGAL ESTABLISHMENT.

William Owen, M.D.

Walter Conry.

George Jerome Kelly.

Dharmadas Basú.

Alexander William Mackenzie.

Jeremiah Mullane, M.D.

Douglas French-Mullen, M.D.

James Alexander Nelis.

Aylmer Martin Crofts.

James Crofts, M.D.

William Coates, M.D.

MADRAS ESTABLISHMENT.

Henry Augustus Fitzroy Nailer.

Nityananda Chatterjee.

BOMBAY ESTABLISHMENT.

William Keith Hatch.

Hormasji Dadabhai Masani.

Kanóbá Ranchoddás Kirtikar.

Surgeon-Captains to be Surgeon-Majors.

Dated 1st April 1897.

BENGAL ESTABLISHMENT.

Francis James Drury.

Herbert Jekyl Dyson.

Frederick Arthur Rogers, D.S.O.

Edward Richard William Charles Carroll.

The Queen has also approved of the restoration of the undermentioned officer from the half-pay list to the Effective List :

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenant Arthur Ward. Dated 12th February 1897.

The Queen has also approved of the retirement from the service of the undermentioned officers :

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Senior Assistant Surgeon, with the honorary rank of Surgeon-Captain, John Fitzpatrick, Bengal Establishment. Dated 11th November 1896.

Senior Assistant Surgeon, with the honorary rank of Surgeon-Captain, Henry Hawkes, Madras Establishment. Dated 1st January 1897.

The date of retirement of Senior Assistant Surgeon, with the honorary rank of Surgeon-Major, William Fearn, Bombay Establishment, is altered to 12th February 1897.

The Queen has also approved of the resignation of the service by the undermentioned officers:

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

Surgeon-Captain Frederic Hewlett Burton-Brown, Bengal Establishment. Dated 2nd June 1897.

Surgeon-Lieutenant Alfred Moore, Madras Establishment. Dated 15th April 1897.

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Supplement to the "London Gazette," dated the 22nd June 1897, pages 3439 and 3440.

INDIA OFFICE;

22nd June, 1897.

The Queen has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of the celebration of the completion of the sixtieth year of Her Majesty's reign, to make the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India:

To be Knights Commanders.

Major-General Montagu Gilbert Gerard, C.B., C.S.I., Indian Staff Corps.

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Colonel Howard Melliss, C.S.I., Inspector-General of Imperial Service Troops.

To be Companions.

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Surgeon-Major-General James Cleghorn, M.D., Director-General of the Indian Medical Service.

Colonel James Aloysius Miley, Deputy Secretary in the Military Department, India.

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Captain Arthur Henry McMahon, C.I.E., Indian Staff Corps.

The Queen has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of the celebration of the completion of the sixtieth year of Her Majesty's reign, to make the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire:

* * * * *

To be Knights Commanders.

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Major-General Edward Stedman, C.B., Indian Staff Corps.

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Rear-Admiral John Hext, Royal Navy (retired), C.I.E., Director of the Royal Indian Marine.

To be Companions

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Colonel Algernon George Arnold Durand, C.B., Indian Staff Corps.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Beauchamp Duff, Military Secretary to the Commander-in-Chief in India.

PROMOTIONS.

No 779.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant.

Second-Lieutenant Gerald Steuart Palmer,—16th April 1897.

MISCELLANEOUS LIST.

Bombay.

No. 780.—Conductor Alfred Thomas Reynolds, employed in the office of the Deputy Adjutant-General, Bombay Command, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary, and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

NATIVE ARMY.

No. 781.—1st Regiment of Madras Lancers—

Jemadar Abdul Latif to be Subadar and Havildar Muhammad Masum to be Jemadar, *vice* Subhan Beg, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 16th June 1897.

No. 782.—27th (Punjab) Regiment of Bengal Infantry—

Jemadar Fakir Khan to be Subadar and Havildar Ghulam Muhammad to be Jemadar, *vice* Hayat, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 1st December 1896.

Havildar Madho Khan to be Jemadar, *vice* Jafar Khan, deceased, with effect from the 5th March 1897.

No. 783.—40th (Pathan) Regiment of Bengal Infantry—

Drill-Havildar Rozi Khan to be Jemadar, *vice* Muhammad Gul, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 5th May 1897.

No. 784.—23rd Regiment of Madras (Light) Infantry—

Jemadar Ramasami to be Subadar and Havildar Muhammad Kadir to be Jemadar, *vice* Venkatasami, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 1st June 1897.

REWARDS.

ORDER OF MERIT.

No. 785.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the admission to the 3rd class of the Order of Merit of the undermentioned native officers and non-commissioned officer in recognition of the conspicuous gallantry and devotion exhibited by them during the

attack upon the Political Officer's escort at Maizar on the 10th June 1897:

Subadar Narayan Singh, 1st Sikh Infantry.

Subadar Nawab Khan, 1st Sikh Infantry.

Jemadar Sherzad, 1st Sikh Infantry.

Havildar-Major Muhammad Ismail, No. 6 (Bombay) Mountain Battery.

Subadar Narayan Singh, 1st Sikhs, Subadar Nawab Khan, 1st Sikhs, Subadar Sundar Singh, 1st Punjab Infantry, and Jemadar Sherzad, 1st Sikhs, behaved with the greatest gallantry. Getting together a party of their men they made a most determined stand by the wall of a garden and from it they covered the first withdrawal of the force. Subadar Sundar Singh, 1st Punjab Infantry, was killed at this point, giving his life to cover the withdrawal of his comrades. Under cover of this stand the wounded were carried or helped away and the guns withdrawn.

In addition to the good service mentioned above, Subadar Narayan Singh, 1st Sikhs, removed a large quantity of ammunition from the Reserve Ammunition boxes and rapidly distributed it. The value of this ammunition to the force cannot be overestimated. During the general retirement the ability and coolness which he displayed were of the greatest value.

Subadar Nawab Khan, 1st Sikhs, in addition to displaying conspicuous gallantry at the garden wall as described above, was also one of the last to leave the scene of the outrage, and both there and throughout the subsequent retirement worked in a very cool and admirable way.

Jemadar Sherzad, 1st Sikhs, also performed specially good service. During the first withdrawal of the force he carried Lieutenant Higginson, who was wounded, to a place of safety, and later on, taking a rifle and ammunition from a dead sepoy he covered the retreat of a party who were carrying a wounded officer—Surgeon-Captain Cassidy—to the rear. He also himself carried that officer part of the way.

When both the British officers with the Battery had been incapacitated, Havildar-Major Muhammad Ismail, No. 6 (Bombay) Mountain Battery, continued to fight the guns within 100 yards of a threatening enemy and under converging fire from all sides, until the ammunition was expended. A gun mule having been wounded just after one of the guns was limbered up, threw the gun and bolted. Havildar-Major Muhammad Ismail assisted to carry the gun as far as the relief line, and then conducted the retirement of the Section in a cool and able manner.

The Governor-General in Council is also pleased to notify that had Subadar Sundar Singh, 1st Punjab Infantry, survived, the distinction of the 2nd class of the Order of Merit would have been conferred upon him in consideration of the conspicuous gallantry and heroic devotion to duty on the occasion referred to. His widow is admitted to the pension of the 2nd class of the Order of Merit, with effect from the date of his death.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

No. 786.—*2nd Punjab (Simla) Volunteer Rifles*—

Captain N. F. Mackenzie resigns his commission, with effect from the 7th May 1897.

Second-Lieutenant Bertram George Beard to be Lieutenant, *vice* LeMaistre, resigned.

Second-Lieutenant John Henry McCarthy Rice to be Lieutenant, *vice* Abbott, transferred to the supernumerary list.

Frederick Thomas Dixon, Gentleman, to be Second-Lieutenant, *vice* Beard, promoted.

No. 787.—*2nd (Cadet) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles*—

Lieutenant C. F. Larmour resigns his commission.

No. 788.—*Allahabad Volunteer Rifles*—

Mohendra Nath Ohdedar, Gentleman, to be Surgeon-Lieutenant, with effect from the 28th June 1897, *vice* Toomey, transferred to the Unattached List.

No. 789.—*Mussoorie Volunteer Rifles*—

Second-Lieutenant H. D. B. Sinclair, supernumerary list, resigns his commission, with effect from the 28th June 1897.

No. 790.—*Bombay Volunteer Rifles*—

Captain (Honorary Major) James Peter Baird, supernumerary list, resigns his commission, and is permitted on retirement to retain his rank and wear the uniform of the corps.

No. 791.—*1st Battalion, Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway Volunteer Rifles*—

Rowdon Thomas Elliott Lowther Forrest, Evelyn Henry Young and William George Nash, Gentlemen, to be Second-Lieutenants, to complete the establishment.

No. 792.—*Sind Volunteer Rifles*—

Lieutenant-Colonel John Tate to be Commandant, *vice* Hunter, deceased.

William Wilson Petrie, Esquire, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, *vice* Tate, appointed Commandant.

No. 793.—*East Coast Rifle Volunteers*—

Benson Parsick Wall, Esquire, to be Captain, *vice* Shipley, transferred to the supernumerary list.

MEDALS.

No. 794.—His Excellency the Governor-General of India has been pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon the undermentioned officers of the Indian Volunteer Force, who have been duly recommended for the same, under the Royal Warrant of 24th

May 1894 (clause 101, India Army Circulars of 1894):

2nd Battalion, Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway Volunteer Rifles.

Major Frank Goodwin.

4th Administrative Battalion, North-Western Provinces Volunteers, and Ghazipur Volunteer Rifles.

Colonel John Henry Rivett-Carnac, C.I.E., (supernumerary list), Honorary A. D. C. to Her Majesty the Queen, and Honorary Commandant of the Ghazipur Light Horse.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 45.—The undermentioned officer is permitted to proceed on leave out of India on private affairs, under the leave rules contained in paragraph 131, Marine Regulations, India, Volume I, Part II; the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty:

Engineer F. S. Lamb, Royal Indian Marine, for one year.

No. 46.—The undermentioned officer has been granted an extension of leave:

Lieutenant C. J. C. Kendall, Royal Indian Marine, Assistant Surveyor, 2nd class, Marine Survey of India (m. c.), for forty days.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 47.—The following promotion is made in the Royal Indian Marine, with effect from the 1st July 1897:

To be Chief Engineer on Rs. 400 per mensem.

Chief Engineer W. A. Collins.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 48.—Mr. F. McCulloch, Chief Builder, Royal Indian Marine Dockyard, Bombay, is permitted to resign the service, with effect from the 15th May 1897.

P. J. MAITLAND, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 10th July, 1897.

No. 266.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to order the following *permanent* promotions of Executive and Assistant Engineers, attached to the several Local Administrations, with effect from the dates specified:

Names.	From	To	With effect from
Leventhorpe, J. B.	Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade.	Executive Engineer, 1st Grade.	
Monies, A.	Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade.	Executive Engineer, 1st Grade.	
James, H. W.	Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade.	Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade.	
Brij Mohan Lal	Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade.	Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade.	
Phillips, E. A. W.	Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade.	Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade.	
Stanley, E. G.	Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade.	Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade.	} 1st January 1897.
Moran, W. A.	Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, and Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, temporary.	Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade.	
Kirby, Captain N. R. E.	Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, and Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, temporary.	Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade.	} 1st January 1897.
Blakeway, Captain J. P. R.E.	Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, and Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, temporary.	Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade.	

Names.		From		To		With effect from
Swinerton, R. A. W.	Executive Grade.	Engineer, 2nd	Executive Grade.	Engineer, 1st		
Clancey, D. J.	Executive Grade.	Engineer, 3rd	Executive Grade.	Engineer, 2nd		23rd March 1897.
Cather, G. F. H.	Assistant Grade.	Engineer, 2nd	Assistant Grade.	Engineer, 1st		
Müller, H. A. C.	Assistant Grade.	Engineer, 2nd	Assistant Grade.	Engineer, 1st	j	1st April 1897.
Walsh, C. P.	Assistant Grade.	Engineer, 2nd	Assistant Grade.	Engineer, 1st		5th April 1897.
Wollaston, C. H.	Assistant Grade.	Engineer, 1st	Executive Grade.	Engineer, 3rd		26th April 1897.
Martindell, H. E. W.	Assistant Grade.	Engineer, 2nd	Assistant Grade.	Engineer, 1st		29th April 1897.

No. 267.—Mr. A. T. Stowell, Traffic Candidate, is promoted to Class III, Grade 4 of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, with effect from the 5th April 1897.

The 12th July, 1897.

No. 268.—Mr. G. W. Sweet, Government Examiner of Accounts, Indian Midland Railway, is appointed to officiate as Examiner, Public Works Accounts, North-Western Provinces and Oudh, in the rank of Examiner, Class III, during the absence on privilege leave of Colonel C. H. P. Christie, R.E.

No. 269.—Mr. P. C. Mole, Deputy Examiner of Accounts, attached to the Office of the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, North-Western Provinces and Oudh, is appointed to officiate as Government Examiner of Accounts, Indian Midland Railway, in the rank of Examiner, Class IV, *vice* Mr. G. W. Sweet.

The 13th July, 1897.

No. 270.—Mr. H. G. Billings, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, Burma, is temporarily transferred to the Assam Provincial Establishment.

The 15th July, 1897.

No. 271.—Mr. J. Elston, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, State Railways, is, on return from privilege leave, posted to the Establishment under the Director General of Railways, for employment on the Rae Bareilly-Benares Railway.

No. 272.—Mr. C. E. Vining, Deputy Traffic Superintendent of the North Western Railway, in Class I, Grade 3 (temporary rank), of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is confirmed in his present grade, with effect from the 1st July 1897.

W. S. S. BISSET, *Colonel, R.E.*,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

INCLUSION OF ONE DIVISIONAL JUDGESHIP IN THE CENTRAL PROVINCES IN THE LIST OF APPOINTMENTS OPEN TO THE PROVINCIAL SERVICE IN THOSE PROVINCES.

Nos. 561—63.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India in the Home Department (Establishments),—under date Simla, the 15th July, 1897.

Read again—

Home Department Resolution No. ^{7-Public}₄₇₋₄₉, dated the 7th January 1893, regarding the placing of certain posts in the Central Provinces on the list of appointments open to the Provincial Service.

Read also—

Letter from the Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces, No. 1926, dated the 10th March 1897.

Despatch to the Secretary of State, No. 22-Public, dated the 21st April 1897.

Despatch from the Secretary of State, No. 57-Public, dated the 27th May 1897.

RESOLUTION.

IN the Home Department Resolution of the 7th January 1893 read in the preamble certain appointments were declared as open to the Provincial Service in the Central Provinces. At the time when the question of listing superior appointments in the Central Provinces was under consideration, there were only two Divisional Judgeships in the cadre of the Commission, and no post of Divisional Judge was included among the listed appointments. The number of Judgeships has now been raised to four, and the Chief Commissioner has recommended that one of them should be listed as open to the Provincial Service. This proposal having been approved by the Secretary of State, the Governor General in Council declares that one Divisional Judgeship in the Central Provinces shall be included in the list of appointments open to the Provincial Service, the pay of the appointment when held by a Provincial officer being fixed at Rs. 1,600, Rs. 1,400, or Rs. 1,200 a month, according to the grade in which such officer may be.

ORDER.—Ordered, that a copy of this Resolution, with copies of the Despatches to and from the Secretary of State, be forwarded to the Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces, and the Department of Finance and Commerce for information; and that it be published in the *Gazette of India* for general information.

[True Extract.]

J. P. HEWETT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

**Weather Review of India for the Week ending at 8 a.m. on
Saturday, July 10th, 1897.**

A very considerable and important change has occurred in the weather over the Indian region during the week under review. At the commencement of the week the unfavourable conditions, to which attention has been directed during the two previous weeks, held steadily over India. Pressure was low along the foot of the Himalayas and abnormally high over the Bombay and Arabian Sea area, and hot dry westerly and north-westerly winds prevailed suggesting the middle of May instead of the beginning of July. On the 5th pressure began to give way over the Arabian Sea and to rise along the foot of the Himalayas, and these changes continued until the high pressures over the Arabian Sea area noticed above had completely given way, and the usual trough of low pressure stretched from North-West India to the head of the Bay. Accompanying these changes and the alterations in the winds there occurred a great change in the weather, which became damper and more seasonable. Heavy rain fell along the West Coast, and showers occurred all over Bengal and at many stations in the Gangetic Plain and Upper India. Towards the close of the week a small storm formed at the head of the Bay and passed west-north-westward into the eastern districts of the Central Provinces. The storm was throughout feeble, but it had the effect of increasing the rainfall in its immediate vicinity. The mean temperature was higher than usual over nearly the whole country throughout the week, but, with the gradual extension of rain and the change in the weather, the amount of this abnormal excess decreased, and on the last day of the week was little more than half of that which obtained on the first day. The most marked feature in the temperature conditions has been the very excessive heat over the Gangetic Plain and the North Punjab. The highest temperatures recorded have been registered daily in the Punjab.

Daily Summary.—*Sunday, July 4th.*—The barometer had given way throughout the Indian region. Readings were highest in the extreme south, lowest in the West Punjab and relatively low over the Gangetic Plain. The barometer read below the normal average, except over the Bombay Presidency, Rajputana, Central India, the west of the Central Provinces and the Deccan, and gradients were steeper than usual. Very strong westerly and south-westerly winds prevailed over a large part of the country, but along the West coast the monsoon was only about half its normal strength. Fair rain had occurred over North-East India and light showers along the West coast, but elsewhere the weather was practically rainless. The heat was slightly less than usual at a few places in North-West and North-East India, but was excessive elsewhere. In the central parts of the country and the Gangetic Plain the abnormal excess was between 10° and 12° .

Monday, July 5th.—Pressure had decreased briskly along the Bombay coast and increased briskly over Bengal and part of Burma, but elsewhere the changes were slight. The general distribution of pressure was similar to that reported on the previous day, but there was a change along the West coast, where the isobars ran nearly due south. Southerly winds were blowing along the West coast, and the strong westerly current which had prevailed over a large part of the country for so long was giving way. The heat was less than usual over Sind, the south of the Peninsula and at a few stations in North-East India, but was excessive elsewhere—most so over the Gangetic Plain. Fair monsoon rainfall had been received over North-East India and moderate rain in Malabar, but elsewhere the rainfall had been light and unimportant.

Tuesday, July 6th.—The barometer had risen briskly over the Indus Valley and along the foot of the Himalayas, but had changed little elsewhere. The distribution was irregular as regards the West coast and pointed to the existence of a low pressure area over the Arabian Sea, but it was fairly regular elsewhere, and the trough of low pressure over the south Gangetic Plain on which the south-easterly wind in Northern India depends was well marked. The wind was southerly along the Bombay coast and over Sind and the Punjab, but was westerly or variable elsewhere. The distribution of temperature relatively to the normal was the same as on the 5th. The heat was very excessive over the Gangetic Plain and the North Punjab. Rain had fallen fairly generally over Burma and south Bengal, scattered showers had been received at the hill and submontane stations of Upper India, and fair rain had fallen along the West coast, while elsewhere only widely scattered showers had been received.

Wednesday, July 7th.—Pressure had changed slightly, and the only important change was the appearance of a slight cyclonic storm over the head of the Bay. The winds were cyclonic in the neighbourhood of this small storm and had returned to west along the Bombay coast, but in other parts of the Indian region there was no change. With few exceptions the mean temperature exceeded the normal, and the abnormal excess remained greatest in the North Punjab and over the Gangetic Plain. The rainfall had been heavier along the West coast. Moderate rain had been received over North-East India, while elsewhere only scattered showers were reported.

Thursday, July 8th.—Pressure had increased in parts of North-East and of North-West India, but had decreased elsewhere. The distribution of pressure was fairly regular, with the exception of the storm at the head of the Bay, which, however, can hardly be regarded as exceptional at this season. Except in the neighbourhood of the storm and on the North Bombay coast the winds were normal and the force was rising at Colombo. Temperature remained generally excessive, but the abnormal excess was less than on the preceding days. Showers had been received over North-East India, and general fairly heavy rain along the West coast. Elsewhere the weather had been showery to fine.

Friday, July 9th.—Pressure had increased over Burma and along the foot of the hills and had decreased elsewhere. The depression at the head of the Bay had intensified. Readings were lowest in the West Punjab, relatively low right across the centre of the country, relatively high along the foot of the hills and highest in Tenasserim. The winds were cyclonic around the north-east of the Arabian Sea and around the north-west of the Bay of Bengal, but blew from about the normal monsoon directions elsewhere. The heat was still very generally excessive. The rainfall was still light and scattered over the Gangetic Plain, the Punjab, Gujarat, the Bombay Deccan, Sind and Madras, but elsewhere had been fairly general and along the West coast heavy.

Saturday, July 10th.—The barometer had fallen over North Bombay, Rajputana and the neighbouring districts, but had risen elsewhere. The storm noticed over the Bay had moved westward to the Central Provinces and largely filled up, while, on the contrary, the depression over the north Arabian Sea had developed a centre. The winds were cyclonic in North Bombay, but elsewhere the ordinary monsoon winds were blowing. The mean temperature had fallen fast in the Punjab. There had been no rain over Sind, Baluchistan, a large part of Madras and of Rajputana, and only scattered showers over the Punjab and the Gangetic Plain, but elsewhere more or less general rain had been received. Along the West coast the amounts were large.

Temperature.—The absence of rain during the two preceding weeks had occasioned an abnormally high temperature over India, an effect which had reached its maximum on the first day of the present week when the mean temperature of India was over 5° above the normal. After that day a change gradually extended over the country. The air grew damper and regular, though somewhat feeble, monsoon conditions were slowly established. As these changes progressed there occurred a slow decrease in the amount of the excess, but the

rainfall was neither heavy enough nor extensive enough to obliterate altogether the abnormal heat which had resulted from the two weeks of practical rainlessness which had preceded the week under review.

The following table gives the temperature data for the week :

PROVINCE.	JULY 1897.							Mean variation of week.
	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	
	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°
Burma	+0.8	+0.5	+1.3	+0.2	+1.0	-0.6	+0.9	+0.6
Bengal and Assam	+5.0	+3.0	+1.8	+2.6	+2.2	+2.3	+0.9	+2.5
North-Western Provinces and Oudh	+9.4	+9.2	+7.9	+6.4	+7.7	+4.8	+4.8	+7.2
Punjab	+6.5	+6.6	+7.1	+6.7	+5.7	+5.6	+0.4	+5.5
Bombay	+3.4	+2.9	+2.8	+2.2	+0.9	+1.5	+0.8	+2.1
Central Provinces and Berar	+9.2	+8.1	+7.3	+7.1	+6.7	+4.6	+3.2	+6.6
Central India and Gujarat	+5.9	+6.0	+6.6	+7.4	+7.2	+6.4	+5.1	+6.4
Sind and Rajputana	+2.7	+3.1	+5.0	+4.7	+5.7	+5.7	+6.8	+4.8
Madras	+4.4	+3.9	+3.1	+1.6	+2.5	+2.2	+3.0	+3.0
Mean for whole of India	+5.3	+4.8	+4.8	+4.3	+4.4	+3.6	+2.9	+4.3

The above shows that the excess of the mean temperature over the normal has been remarkably steady and universal. On one day, the 9th, and in one province, *viz.*, Burma, the average mean temperature was below the normal, but this forms the only exception to the generally prevailing excess of heat.

The following are the highest maximum temperatures recorded on each day :

July 4th	113.0	at Peshawar.
" 5th	111.5	" "
" 6th	113.0	" " and Rawalpindi.
" 7th	112.5	" "
" 8th	111.9	" Khushab.
" 9th	112.6	" Montgomery.
" 10th	113.4	" Mooltan.

Rain.—The rainfall returns of the present have been generally similar to those of last week, that is to say, rain has been received during the week over by far the greater part of the country, but the amounts in nearly all cases have been less than the normal. The returns for the week show that in the divisions of Sind and Baluchistan no rain whatever was received, and that in the divisions of North Oudh and the East Coast South the average actual rainfall was less than one-tenth of an inch for the period. Compared with last week this is an improvement, as on that occasion there were six divisions which had actually no rain, and no less than sixteen in which the average actual rainfall was less than one-tenth of an inch. The very unfavourable rainfall conditions which prevailed during the two last weeks lasted during the week under review during the three first days, but then a change set in, the weather became more showery, and these showers gradually merged into the heavier rainfall of the monsoon. It was to this change that the improvement in the rainfall returns of the present, as compared with the two preceding weeks, was due. This improvement extended to all parts of the country, except parts of the Punjab and Sind and the greater part of Madras, where fine weather and deficient rainfall characterised the whole week. As mentioned above, the change in the weather set in gradually over the greater part of the country, the showers being at first light, so that the rainfall of the latter half of the week did not wholly compensate for the dry weather at the commencement, and the total rainfall of the whole week was hence lighter than the normal. In Burma, Assam, part of Bengal

and the west of the Peninsula rain fell throughout the week, but the same influence was observable in these as in other parts of India, the fall during the latter part of the week having been much heavier than that in the earlier part.

The average actual amounts reported within the area of effective rainfall range as is shown by the first column of the table from 15·54 inches in Malabar, 14·70 inches in Coorg and 14·01 inches in Tenasserim to 0·11 inch in the south Punjab and 0·13 inch in central Madras. The third column of the table shows that the rainfall of the week exceeded the normal average only in nine of the rainfall divisions, *vis.*, Tenasserim, central and Upper Burma, Orissa, Malabar, South-central Madras, Coorg, Khandesh and the east of the Central Provinces, while it was normal in the East Coast (North) and Madras (South) and deficient in all the other divisions. The excess was large in Malabar and Coorg. The abnormal deficiency was as much as 6·11 inches in the Assam Hills, 5·41 inches in Arakan, over 3 inches in Cachar, North Oudh and the Konkan and over 2 inches in North Bengal, North Bihar, South Oudh, the North-West Provinces (Submontane and Hills), the Punjab Hills and Gujarat.

The three concluding columns of the table show that the monsoon rainfall up to date has been excessive only in six divisions, *vis.*, South Bihar, the North Punjab, Malabar, Coorg, Baluchistan and South Madras; it has been normal, *i.e.*, has varied by less than 20 per cent. from the average in 14 divisions, *vis.*, Tenasserim, Deltaic Burma, East Bengal, Deltaic Bengal, Orissa, Chota Nagpur, the North-West Provinces (East, West and East Submontane), South-Central Madras, Mysore, the Bombay Deccan, the east of the Central Provinces and Central Madras, while it has been deficient in all other divisions. The deficiency is more than 50 per cent. in parts of Assam, Bengal, the North-West Provinces, the Punjab, the Central Provinces and Berar, North Bombay, Rajputana and the Nizam's Dominions.

The following are the principal large totals recorded this week :

Burma	Moulmein	14·01 inches.
	Kindat	8·29 „
	Sadoway	9·43 „
Bengal	Kishoregunj (Mymensingh)	9·11 „
	Falakata (Jalpaiguri)	7·46 „
	False Point	6·90 „
Assam	Cherra Poonjee	12·45 „
	Jorhat (Sibsagar)	7·48 „
Bihar	Jahanabad (Gaya)	3·96 „
North-West Provinces.	Chunar (Mirzapur)	3·79 „
	Hata (Gorakhpur)	2·70 „
Punjab	Ballabgarh (Delhi)	2·42 „
	Rupar (Umballa)	5·20 „
West Peninsula	Karkal (Mangalore)	35·12 „
	Bhatkal (Karwar)	17·47 „
	Bavda (Kolhapur)	12·67 „
Central Districts.	Baroor (Amraoti)	4·59 „
	Bargarh (Sambalpur)	8·10 „
Madras	Sompeta (Ganjam)	3·60 „
	Vizagapatam	2·55 „
	Trukasi (Tinnevely)	2·33 „

PROVINCE.	DIVISION.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING JULY 10TH, 1897.			RAINFALL DATA FROM MAY 30TH TO JULY 10TH, 1897.		
		Average actual rainfall of division.	Average normal rainfall of division.	Excess or defect in inches.	Average actual rainfall of season to date.	Average normal rainfall, May 30th to July 10th.	Excess or de- fect of (sea- sonal) rain- fall expressed as a per- centage.
		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Per cent.
BURMA	1. Tenasserim	14'01	11'21	+ 2'80	53'21	57'05	- 7
	2. Lower Burma Deltaic	5'08	5'29	- 0'21	31'62	29'02	+ 9
	3. Central do.	2'67	2'57	+ 0'10	11'83	15'10	- 22
	4. Upper do.	2'32	1'31	+ 1'01	8'09	11'46	- 29
	5. Arakan	5'70	11'11	- 5'41	57'32	71'46	- 20
BENGAL AND ASSAM	6. Eastern Bengal	2'82	4'12	- 1'30	21'70	26'08	- 17
	7. Assam Surma	2'00	5'71	- 3'71	15'42	35'19	- 57
	8. Do. Hills	3'63	9'74	- 6'11	19'44	47'37	- 59
	9. Do. Brahmaputra	3'84	4'26	- 0'42	14'17	21'76	- 35
	10. Deltaic Bengal	1'14	2'55	- 1'41	15'44	14'29	+ 8
	11. Central do.	1'50	2'03	- 1'43	10'67	14'57	- 27
	12. North do.	2'86	5'46	- 2'60	15'49	31'83	- 51
	13. Bengal Hills	...	...	...	...	...	...
	14. Orissa	3'40	2'46	+ 0'94	11'69	12'22	- 4
	15. Chota Nagpur	2'44	2'58	- 0'14	9'59	11'32	- 15
	16. South Bihar	1'14	2'86	- 1'72	14'31	9'31	+ 54
	17. North do.	0'79	3'70	- 2'97	9'96	13'15	- 24
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES AND ODDH.	18. N.-W. P. East	0'78	2'17	- 1'39	6'56	6'65	- 1
	19. South Oudh	0'15	2'36	- 2'21	3'74	6'86	- 46
	20. North do.	0'08	3'16	- 3'08	4'36	8'29	- 47
	21. N.-W. P. Central	0'20	2'15	- 1'95	4'37	5'00	- 22
	22. Do. West	0'68	1'76	- 1'08	3'50	4'23	- 17
	23. Do. East Submontane	0'53	2'84	- 2'31	7'48	8'58	- 13
	24. Do. West do.	0'77	3'08	- 2'31	3'74	7'81	- 52
	25. Do. Hills	0'72	3'55	- 2'83	5'06	9'86	- 49
PUNJAB	26. South-East Punjab	0'52	1'06	- 1'44	1'04	4'69	- 59
	27. South do.	0'11	1'04	- 0'93	0'98	2'77	- 65
	28. Central do.	0'43	0'76	- 0'33	1'64	2'42	- 32
	29. Punjab Submontane	0'07	1'88	- 0'91	2'39	4'68	- 49
	30. Do. Hills	1'73	4'57	- 2'84	5'84	10'82	- 46
	31. North Punjab	0'53	0'05	- 0'12	2'71	1'98	+ 37
	32. West do.	0'14	0'44	- 0'30	0'92	1'26	- 27
BOMBAY AND MALABAR COAST DISTRICTS (MADRAS).	33. Malabar	15'54	7'46	+ 8'08	58'15	45'52	+ 28
	34. Madras South-Central	1'49	1'17	+ 0'32	8'02	0'84	+ 17
	35. Coorg	14'70	9'59	+ 5'11	48'60	37'24	+ 31
	36. Mysore	1'11	1'48	- 0'37	7'49	6'90	+ 8
	37. Konkan	7'86	11'10	- 3'24	30'29	40'17	- 24
	38. Bombay Deccan	1'05	1'66	- 0'61	6'47	7'44	- 13
	39. Hyderabad North	...	...	...	...	...	...
	40. Khandesh	1'61	1'30	+ 0'31	3'61	6'77	- 48
CENTRAL PROVINCES AND BERAR.	41. Berar	1'26	1'88	- 0'62	3'00	8'78	- 66
	42. Central Provinces West	2'23	2'34	- 0'11	5'78	13'93	- 59
	43. Do. do. Central	1'66	3'38	- 1'72	6'12	11'95	- 49
	44. Do. do. East	4'87	3'49	+ 1'38	10'68	12'61	- 15
BOMBAY (NORTH)	45. Gujarat	1'26	4'21	- 2'95	3'96	10'28	- 61
	46. Kathiawar	0'64	1'98	- 1'34	0'88	4'89	- 82
	47. Sind	0	0'36	- 0'36	0'08	0'64	- 88
	48. Baluchistan Hills	0	0'11	- 0'11	0'36	0'20	+ 80
RAJPUTANA AND CEN- TRAL INDIA.	49. Central India East	0'09	2'48	- 1'40	7'51	10'42	- 28
	50. Rajputana East, Central India West.	0'45	2'03	- 1'58	1'53	6'84	- 78
	51. West Rajputana	0'16	0'76	- 0'60	0'26	2'69	- 90
MADRAS	52. East Coast North	1'59	1'59	0	5'07	6'76	- 25
	52-A. Do. do.	2'05	2'48	- 0'43	7'65	13'73	- 44
	53. Hyderabad South	0'40	1'22	- 0'82	2'24	6'50	- 66
	54. Madras Central	0'13	0'71	- 0'58	3'47	3'72	- 7
	55. East Coast Central	0'64	0'88	- 0'24	2'46	3'88	- 36
	56. Do. South	0'09	0'65	- 0'56	2'13	3'19	- 33
	57. Madras South	0'19	0'19	0	2'11	1'57	+ 35

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Weekly Report on the state of the Season and Prospects of the Crops.

Madras.—*For week ending 10th July.*—Rainfall in excess on West Coast; normal in Ganjam; in considerable defect elsewhere, especially in the Deccan. The water-supply for drinking purposes is insufficient in parts; for irrigation it is generally insufficient, except under Godavari, Kistna, Kurnool, Cuddapah, Tanjore, and Tinnevely irrigation systems. Early agricultural operations continue, but more rain is urgently wanted for this purpose and for crops already sown, which are in precarious position where unprotected by wells or other irrigation sources. Harvests are very limited. Pasture is generally scarce; further rain is much required to sustain improvement due to previous fall. Fodder is insufficient in the Deccan; generally available elsewhere, but is scarce and dear. Condition of cattle in the Deccan is bad, deaths from starvation being reported from Anantapur; elsewhere generally normal. Prices have risen everywhere, except in Vizagapatam, Tinnevely, and Travancore; the rise is most marked in dry grains, especially in the Deccan where prices have risen by 10 per cent. Large addition to area of distress in Vizagapatam owing to high prices and lateness of rain. Prospects are generally gloomy. The numbers on relief are:—relief workers—144,271 men, 247,856 women, 88,698 children; total 480,825 in the Deccan and Circars. Test-workers—20 men, 908 women, 271 children; total 1,199 in Ganjam. Weavers—14,710 men, 12,618 women, 1,245 children with 6,121 unspecified; total 34,694 relieved at their own trade in the Deccan and Circars. Total relief workers 516,718. Kitchen inmates in the Deccan and Circars: (dependants)—332 men, 574 women, 19,611 children with 32 unspecified; total 20,549. Others—4,398 men, 9,299 women, 22,632 children; total 36,329. Otherwise gratuitously relieved—22,882 men, 58,897 women, 65,754 children; total 146,533. Total on gratuitous relief 203,411. Grand total on Government relief 720,129. Figures are incomplete for Vizagapatam. There were also 8,634 persons employed on zamindari works in Ganjam. Prices by which wages are regulated are:—Ganjam, Bellary, and Kurnool 10, Vizagapatam $10\frac{1}{2}$, Cuddapah $11\frac{1}{2}$, Bhadrachalam $12\frac{1}{2}$, and Anantapur 13 seers per rupee. Loans disbursed in affected districts since commencement of distress Rs. 10,18,421.

Bombay.—*For week ending 12th July.*—Rain good in Konkan; slight in Gujarat, the Deccan, Karnatak, and Sind; more wanted in the Deccan, Karnatak, Surat, and Thana. Sowing operations are in progress; rice transplanting continues in parts of Karachi, Thana, Kolaba, Ratnagiri, and Kanara. Locusts have caused slight damage in one taluka of Upper Sind Frontier, two of Karachi, and very slight damage throughout Shikarpur. Fodder is sufficient, except in the Deccan, Belgaum, and parts of Karachi and Surat. Condition of agricultural stock is deteriorating in Khandesh, Poona, Ahmednagar, Sholapur, Satara, and Bijapur; healthy elsewhere, except in one taluka of Karachi, Thar and Parkar, Kanara, and two of Thana. Prices continue high in Karachi, Shikarpur, Nasik, Surat, and Thana; are rising in Upper Sind Frontier and parts of Kolaba and Bijapur; and are stationary in parts of Kolaba and Bijapur. Prices in affected districts are—Belgaum 9, Bijapur $7\frac{3}{4}$, Sholapur $7\frac{1}{3}$, Ahmednagar $7\frac{1}{3}$, Poona $7\frac{1}{2}$, Nasik $7\frac{5}{8}$, Satara $7\frac{4}{5}$, Khandesh $6\frac{3}{4}$, and Dharwar $9\frac{1}{7}$ seers per rupee. The average number on relief works, including dependants, was—Bijapur 82,731, Sholapur 88,467, Ahmednagar 70,334, Poona 8,617, Nasik 17,140, Satara 12,524, Khandesh 15,222, Belgaum 12,116, and Dharwar 652; total 307,803, of whom 245,982 are relief workers and 61,821 dependants. Large increase in Ahmednagar and Bijapur, owing to absence of rain. Of relief workers—76,583 are men, 107,326 women, and 62,073 children. Of dependants—464 are men, 4,734 women, and 56,623 children. On gratuitous relief—Bijapur 15,257, including 783 in poor-

houses, Sholapur 9,357, including 126 in poor-houses, Ahmednagar 11,342, including 679 in poor-houses, Poona 10,950, Nasik 1,500, Satara 1,130, Belgaum 723, and Dharwar 730; total 50,989, of whom 25,189 are men, 14,843 women, and 10,957 children. Total number on relief 358,792.

Bengal.—*For week ending 12th July.*—There has been rain in all parts of the Province during the week; it has improved agricultural prospects to some extent, but in parts especially in North Bihar more rain is urgently required for the transplanting of winter rice and for cultivation generally; elsewhere transplantation is going on. Early rice, jute, and sugarcane are doing well; in North Bengal and parts of East Bengal early rice is being harvested. Prices continue almost stationary in the distressed districts. The prices of the staple food-grain on which the famine wage is based are:—Nadia, common rice $7\frac{1}{2}$ seers; Murshidabad, common rice 7 to $7\frac{1}{2}$ seers; Khulna, common rice 8 seers; Shahabad, common rice 8 seers and peas $10\frac{1}{2}$ seers; Saran, barley 11 seers; Champaran, Burma rice $8\frac{3}{4}$ seers and peas $10\frac{1}{2}$ seers; Muzaffarpur, barley and *rahar* (*Cajanus indicus*) 11 seers; Darbhanga, common rice $8\frac{3}{4}$ seers and indian-corn 9 seers; Bhagalpur, common rice 8 to $8\frac{1}{2}$ seers and *marua* (*Eleusine coracana*) 12 to 13 seers; Sonthal Parganas, common rice $7\frac{1}{2}$ to 8 seers and maize 7 to 12 seers; Puri, common rice 9 to 12 seers; Hazaribagh, rice 6 to 7 seers and *mahua* (*Bassia latifolia*) 16 to 32 seers; Lohardaga, rice $6\frac{1}{2}$ seers; Manbhum, common rice $7\frac{3}{4}$ seers per rupee. In the following statement persons relieved from the Indian Famine Charitable Relief Fund are shown separately from those in receipt of Government relief. The numbers relieved from the Indian Famine Charitable Relief Fund:—Bankura 2,914, Nadia 2,224, Murshidabad 3,757, Khulna 199, Rajshahi 6,901, Pabna 532, Saran 3,104, Champaran 5,697, Muzaffarpur 6,802, Bhagalpur 4,717, Cuttack 3,261, Hazaribagh 1,061, Lohardaga 948; total 42,117 against 25,093 in the preceding week. The numbers on Government relief on Saturday, the 10th July, were:—Bankura 8,717, Nadia 88,719, Murshidabad 4,331, Khulna 11,870, Rajshahi, works closed, Pabna 1,888, Patna 224, Shahabad 23,347, Saran 64,812, Champaran 113,090, Muzaffarpur 112,709, Darbhanga 225,963, Bhagalpur 5,636, Sonthal Parganas 2,886, Puri 4,007, Hazaribagh 6,329, Lohardaga 623, Palamau 4,094, Manbhum 15,707, Singhbhum 29; total 694,981 against 694,540 in the preceding week. These totals are distributed as follows:—Relief workers—men 117,655, women 110,605, children 29,912; total 258,172. Dependants—men 1,256, women 45, children 12,938; total 14,239. In poor-houses and kitchens—men 2,165, women 2,478, children 11,967; total 16,610. Otherwise relieved—men 62,461, women 208,310, children 122,824; total 393,595. Test-workers—men 5,750, women 4,855, children 1,960; total 12,365. Indian Famine Charitable Relief Fund—men 7,442, women 21,535, children 10,181; total 39,158 *plus* 2,959 in Muzaffarpur, sex not recorded. Private relief—relief works—Darbhanga Raj—Darbhanga—men 4,194, women 2,001, children 555; total 6,750. Darbhanga Raj—Muzaffarpur—men 199, women 102, children 23; total 324. Hatwa—men 494, women 658, children 216; total 1,368. Sonthal Parganas—Jamtara—men 561, women 546, children 89; total 1,196. Gratuitous relief:—Darbhanga Raj—Darbhanga—men 2,503, women 5,721, children 4,329; total 12,553. Darbhanga Raj—Muzaffarpur—men 31, women 104, children 105; total 240. Hatwa—men 183, women 253, children 305; total 741. Manjha—men 49, women 16, children 17; total 82. Total on private relief 23,254.

North-Western Provinces and Oudh.—*For week ending 14th July.*—Light rain fell in some districts during the week, but after the close of the week good rain fell in most districts. Autumn sowings are in active progress, save in a few places where more rain is needed. Locusts appeared in a few districts and caused slight damage to the crops. The numbers in receipt of relief on Saturday, the 10th July, in seventeen districts officially recognised as distressed were as follows:—Agra 38,785, Etawah 5,128, Cawnpore 11,108, Fatehpur 11,834, Banda 219,533, Hamirpur 49,464, Allahabad 106,103, Jhansi 31,218, Jalaun 61,268, Mirzapur, 36,215, Family Domains of Maharaja of Benares 13,650, Jaunpur 35,535, Gorakhpur 29,485, Azamgarh 25,590, Lucknow 58,002, Unao 31,504, Rae Bareilly 32,841, Hardoi 115,276; total 912,519. This total is

distributed as follows among the various methods of relief prescribed by the Famine Code which are in operation:—employed on relief works 434,993; relieved as dependants 82,346; relieved in poor-houses 35,134; relieved under other provisions of the Code, including 52,780 from Charitable Relief Fund, 360,046; total 912,519. The numbers relieved in nineteen districts which are under observation and not officially recognised as distressed were on the same date as follows:—relieved on test-works 13,920; relieved in poor-houses 8,924; relieved under other provisions of the Code, including 14,659 from the Charitable Relief Fund, 53,557; total 76,401. The grand total in receipt of relief on the last day of the week was therefore 988,920. Supplies are sufficient. Prices are fluctuating. The price of the staple grain on which the famine wage is based varied from $9\frac{1}{16}$ to 12 seers in the districts officially recognised as distressed. The numbers shown as relieved from the Indian Famine Charitable Fund represent the operations of the fund so far only as they are carried out through official agency.

Punjab.—*For week ending 12th July.*—Rain has fallen averaging about 3 inches in Umballa, $1\frac{1}{3}$ inch in Rawal Pindi, $\frac{4}{5}$ in Shahpur, $\frac{3}{5}$ in Ferozepore, $\frac{1}{2}$ in Rohtak, Sialkot, and Gujranwala, $\frac{2}{5}$ in Gurgaon, $\frac{1}{3}$ in Hissar and Dera Ismail Khan, and $\frac{1}{10}$ in Amritsar. There has also been a general fall in Jullundur and about one inch at Delhi Sadr. Harvesting of spring crops is nearly over. Ploughings and sowings of autumn crops are in progress. Standing crops are generally reported average; outturn of extra spring crops average. The stocks of food-grain are said to be sufficient everywhere, except at Hissar, where they have been exhausted. Standing crops have been injured by drought in Gurgaon. Locusts appeared in Rawal Pindi and Dera Ismail Khan, but did little or no damage. Cattle are generally in poor condition owing to want of green fodder or overwork, and 186 have died of hunger in Rohtak. Fodder is scarce in most districts. The average number of relief workers, dependants, etc., was:—29,550 men, 25,274 women, 10,332 children. Dependants—209 men, 294 women, 7,306 children. Relieved in poor-houses—159 men, 149 women, 1,230 children. Otherwise relieved—3,285 men, 5,055 women, 3,480 children. Test-workers—58 men. The total number under famine relief was 86,331 against 97,640 last week. Out of this 69,000 are in Hissar only. The decrease is in Hissar and Rohtak; in others there is a slight increase. Prices continue high generally. Wheat is rising in price in Delhi, Umballa, Jullundur, Ferozepore, Mooltan, Amritsar, Sialkot, Gujranwala, Shahpur, and Rawal Pindi; has remained almost unchanged in Lahore and Peshawar, and fallen in Gurgaon and Dera Ismail Khan, which is attributable to the recent fall of rain. Wheat is selling from $9\frac{1}{2}$ to 12, great millet 8 to 10, barley 13 to $13\frac{1}{8}$, gram 10 to $11\frac{1}{2}$, maize $8\frac{1}{2}$ to 12, bulrush-millet $6\frac{1}{4}$ to 8, and rice $6\frac{3}{4}$ to 7 seers per rupee. Prices of staple food-grain on which the famine wage is reckoned are:—Hissar—Bir Ditch, barley flour $11\frac{3}{8}$; South Ghaggar, maize flour $8\frac{1}{16}$; North Ghaggar, barley and gram flour $9\frac{3}{4}$; Karnal, wheat flour 9 to $9\frac{1}{4}$; Rohtak, barley 12; Delhi, wheat $9\frac{3}{4}$; Umballa, maize 11; and Ferozepore, barley and gram $11\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee.

Central Provinces.—*For week ending 12th July.*—Weather generally cloudy with beneficial rain in most districts. Sambalpur has received $8\frac{1}{2}$ inches; Mandla, Betul, Chhindwara, and Bilaspur about 5 inches; Seoni, Nimar, Nagpur, Balaghat, and Raipur $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 3 inches; in the other districts the showers have been lighter and more rain is required, especially in Saugor, Bhandara, and Chanda, the south-east of Seoni, the Sohagpur Tahsil of Hoshangabad, and parts of Narsinghpur. The rain came most opportunely after the long break and has revived the withering seedlings. Sowings have been resumed almost everywhere and resowings are in progress where necessary, but in Chanda and Bhandara operations are retarded owing to insufficient moisture. Land is also being prepared for winter sowings. Scarcity of fodder is still experienced in seven districts, but the recent rain is bringing on the grass. A scarcity of plough-bullocks is reported from Hoshangabad. The numbers on relief works have increased by 59,000, the increase being general, but most marked in the northern districts, the Nerbadda Valley, and Balaghat; the accession may be attributed to the holding off of the rains. The numbers in receipt of gratuitous

relief have risen by 20,000, principally in Damoh, Jubbulpore, Narsinghpur, Bhandara, Balaghat, and Bilaspur, the last district accounts for one-fourth of the whole on this class of relief throughout the Provinces. The numbers on private works have remained almost the same. Prices fluctuate with a tendency to fall somewhat in five or six districts; rates are very high in Chanda and have risen in Bhandara. The numbers on relief works were—Saugor 23,572, Damoh 40,796, Jubbulpore 31,101, Mandla 10,199, Seoni 7,303, Narsinghpur 24,337, Hoshangabad 27,792, Nimar 127, Betul 10,797, Chhindwara 15,311, Wardha 3,017, Nagpur 12,827, Chanda 7, Bhandara 19,544, Balaghat 35,854, Raipur 38,385, Bilaspur 34,543, and Sambalpur 845; total 336,357. Numbers on gratuitous relief—Saugor 16,560, Damoh 10,900, Jubbulpore 27,626, Mandla 5,361, Seoni 4,332, Narsinghpur 10,639, Hoshangabad 9,576, Nimar 910, Betul 2,199, Chhindwara 4,188, Wardha 37, Nagpur 5,474, Bhandara 10,640, Balaghat 19,141, Raipur 22,207, Bilaspur 54,171, and Sambalpur 51; total 213,012. Total number on relief 549,369. There were also 64,963 persons employed on railway and other private works. Details of relief workers—men 96,763, women 163,738, and children 75,856. Dependants—men 2,008, women 3,328, and children 47,202 with 220 unclassified. Poor-houses—men 9,296, women 10,491, and children 14,574. Otherwise relieved—men 19,627, women 39,553, and children 34,412 with 32,301 unclassified. Wage prices—Nagpur 9½, Jubbulpore, Narsinghpur, and Bilaspur 9, Wardha and Chanda 8½, Bhandara and Raipur 8½, Saugor and Chhindwara 8½, Seoni 8½, Damoh, Hoshangabad, and Nimar 8, Mandla 7½, Balaghat 7, and Betul 6½ seers per rupee.

Burma.—*For week ending 10th July.*—In Lower Burma ploughing and sowing are progressing; transplanting has commenced in Thongwa, Amherst, and Thaton. In Upper Burma reaping of early wet weather paddy is completed in Mandalay; outturn good. Good rain fell during the week in Mandalay, Bhamo, Myitkyina, Katha, Ruby Mines, Shwebo, Sagaing, Upper Chindwin, Lower Chindwin, Thayetmyo, and Pakokku, and prospects in these districts and in Kyaukse are good. Minbu and Magwe received ½ inch, but only very small amounts fell in Meiktila and Yamethin; Myingyan received nearly 3 inches, and sowing of early sessamum and other early crops continues. The early sessamum in Taungtha and in parts of Myingyan is withered, but cotton has revived owing to the recent rain. In Minbu seven-tenths of the sessamum crop in two townships have withered from drought and more water is wanted in the canals. Standing crops are withering in parts of Taungdwingyi Sub-division of Magwe. Some damage to standing crops in Meiktila has been caused by insects and more rain is wanted for all standing crops in Yindaw Township of Yamethin; one-third of the standing crops have been destroyed by drought and more rain is required for all crops in the Yamethin Sub-division. Numbers on relief works—Meiktila 8,168, Myingyan 11,763. On gratuitous relief—Meiktila 1,704, Myingyan 3,312, and Yamethin 305. Total number on relief 25,252. Price of rice—Meiktila 7 seers 10 chittacks and Myingyan 9 seers 3 chittacks per rupee.

Assam.—*For week ending 13th July.*—Weather seasonable and rainfall sufficient. Harvesting of early and transplanting of late rice continue. Prospects of early rice and tea are generally good. Prices—common rice—Silchar and Tezpur 7½, Sylhet, Sibsagar, and Dibrugarh 8, and Gauhati 7¾ seers per rupee.

Mysore and Coorg.—*For week ending 12th July.*—**MYSORE.**—52 cents rain in Civil and Military station and good rain in parts of Hassan, Kadur, and Shimoga; slight elsewhere. Prices have risen in Kolar, Mysore, and Kadur. *Ragi (Eleusine coracana)* sown in parts.

COORG.—Rainfall 22 inches 36 cents. Ploughing for rice crop continues. *Ragi (Eleusine coracana)*, coffee, and cardamom crops are thriving. Prices of food-grains are rising. Water and fodder for cattle are abundant.

Berar and Hyderabad.—*For week ending 12th July.*—**BERAR.**—Weather warm and occasionally cloudy. Light showers in some places. Crops

sown have germinated, but show signs of withering. Ploughing of fields for the monsoon crops nearing completion. Sowing operations in progress throughout the Province. Scarcity of fodder and water prevails. Agricultural stock in poor condition. No material change in high prices of food-grains. Relief workers—Akola 12,008, Basim 698, Buldana 2,233, and Wun 6,221. On gratuitous relief—Akola 2,761, Basim 176, Buldana 524, and Wun 1,418. Occupants of poor-houses—Akola 1,682, Basim 226, and Buldana 1,060. Total number on relief 29,007. Figures for Amraoti not received. Prices—*jowar*—Akola 8, Amraoti $8\frac{1}{2}$, Basim $9\frac{1}{4}$, Buldana 8, and Wun 11 seers per rupee. Ellichpur report not received.

HYDERABAD.—Rain during week 39 cents. Great distress reported in consequence of rise in prices. Crops are withering generally, and sowings are suspended in consequence of rain holding off. If good rain does not fall at an early date autumn crops will be almost a total failure. Scarcity of fodder and water exists. The aggregate number of persons employed on relief works in Gulburga, Raichur, Lingsagar, Naldrug, and Mahbubnagar—12,493. Prices in affected districts are— $7\frac{1}{4}$ seers per rupee in Lingsagar, $7\frac{3}{4}$ in Gulburga, and $8\frac{1}{4}$ in Raichur, Naldrug, and Mahbubnagar. 516 persons on gratuitous relief in Lingsagar, 845 in Naldrug, and 102 in Mahbubnagar. Total number on relief 13,956. Prices—wheat $5\frac{1}{2}$, coarse, rice $6\frac{1}{2}$, and *jowari* $10\frac{1}{4}$ seers per current sicca rupee.

Central India.—*For week ending 12th July.*—Good rain fell in all agencies during the week. Sowing operations are in progress. Agricultural stock and pasturage are in fair condition in all agencies, except in Gwalior. Prices are steady in Gwalior and Bundelkhand; above normal in other agencies. The number of persons employed on famine relief works was—19,008 in Gwalior, 26,606 in Bundelkhand, and 34,373 in Baghelkhand. On gratuitous relief—11,068 in Gwalior, 6,018 in Bundelkhand, and 4,983 in Baghelkhand. Total number on relief 102,056. Prices—9 to $9\frac{1}{2}$ in Gwalior, $8\frac{1}{2}$ to $10\frac{1}{2}$ in Bundelkhand, and 9 seers per rupee in Baghelkhand. Report from Bhopawar not received.

Rajputana.—*For week ending 14th July.*—Rain in Abu 11.51 inches, over $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches in Serohi and Kotah; over $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches in Pertabgarh, Meywar, and Jeypore; over one inch in Jhallawar, Kishengarh, and Dholepore; nearly an inch in Kherwara; 89 cents in Tonk, over 12 cents in Ajmere and Bhurtpore; 31 cents in Marwar; 26 cents in Bundi; and below 20 cents in Ulwar and Deoli; none in Bikanir and Jaisalmer. Agricultural operations are generally in progress, but are retarded for want of rain in Bikanir and Jaisalmer. Prospects are favourable in Jeypore. Agricultural stock is in poor condition in Kherwara, Bhilatpora, and Jaisalmer. Pasturage or fodder is scarce in Kherwara, in some tehsils of Jhallawar, Jeypore and failing in Bhurtpore. Prices are rising in Kherwara, Meywar, Jhallawar, Tonk, and Bikanir; fluctuating in Pertabgarh; falling in Jeypore and Ajmere; steady elsewhere. The number of persons on relief works was—Marwar 5,689, Tonk 1,944, Dholepore 1,955, Bikanir 4,595, Jaisalmer 1,259. On ordinary works—Tonk 359, Bhurtpore 4,811, Dholepore 2,200, Bikanir 1,362, and Jaisalmer 25. On gratuitous relief—Marwar 1,311, Tonk 2,541, Chabra 62, Bundi 307, Deoli 8, Dholepore 1,457, Bhurtpore 392, Bikanir 1,806, and Jaisalmer 353. Total number on relief 23,679. Prices—Marwar 9, Tonk $10\frac{7}{8}$, Deoli $12\frac{2}{3}$, Dholepore $11\frac{7}{8}$, Bhurtpore 11, Bikanir $8\frac{3}{4}$ and 7, and Jaisalmer $8\frac{1}{4}$ seers per rupee.

Kashmir.—*For week ending 13th July.*—Weather fine. Wheat and barley crop reapings still going on in some places. Transplantation of rice crops also still in progress. Water ample for irrigation. Prices continue little below normal.

JAMMU PROVINCE.—*For week ending 13th July.*—Good rain. Fodder scanty. Prices stationary.

Nepal.—*For week ending 10th July.*—Rain 4·18 inches. The weather continues very warm, but some good showers have fallen which have benefited the crops, but more rain is urgently needed. Prices—7½ seers per rupee.

The total numbers in receipt of relief during the preceding and present weeks are as follows :

NAME OF PROVINCE.	PRECEDING WEEK.			PRESENT WEEK.			Increase or decrease.
	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	
			(a)			(b)	
Madras . . .	451,220	168,885	620,105	502,573	217,556	720,129	+ 100,024
Bombay . . .	270,400	46,843	317,243	307,803	50,989	358,792	+ 41,549
Bengal . . .	276,387	442,729	719,116	284,776	410,205	694,981	— 24,135
North-Western Provinces and Oudh . . .	415,095	446,736	861,831	531,259	457,661	988,920	+ 127,089
Punjab . . .	84,773	12,867	97,640	73,023	13,308	86,331	— 11,309
Central Provinces	277,649	192,529	470,178	336,357	213,012	549,369	+ 79,191
Burma . . .	18,348	4,611	22,959	19,931	5,321	25,252	+ 2,293
Berar . . .	20,982	11,438	32,420	21,160	7,847	29,007	— 3,413
Hyderabad . . .	13,033	1,030	14,063	12,493	1,463	13,956	— 107
Central India . . .	100,881	22,939	123,820	79,987	22,069	102,056	— 21,764
Rajputana . . .	16,585	8,008	24,593	15,442	8,237	23,679	— 914
TOTAL . . .	1,945,353	1,358,615	3,303,968	2,184,804	1,407,668	3,592,472	+ 288,504

(a) and (b) Figures incomplete for one district.

(c) Exclusive of 42,117 relieved from Indian Charitable Relief Fund.

(d) Includes 67,439 relieved from Indian Charitable Relief Fund.

(e) Incomplete.

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		Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.
Madras.													
1	Cuddapah	64,614	23,445	88,059	72,149	23,759	96,208	75,200	26,010	101,210	84,667	25,628	110,295
2	Kurnool	96,368	22,710	119,078	104,981	26,999	131,982	113,120	34,165	147,285	124,958	40,190	165,148
3	Bellary	103,074	16,601	119,675	103,372	19,508	122,880	111,339	19,871	131,210	120,830	20,766	141,596
4	Anantapur	43,859	10,198	54,057*	55,124	10,534	65,658	58,663	9,741	68,404	59,400	9,808	69,208
5	Ganjani	22,818	40,004	62,822*	28,811	36,985	65,796*	35,631	49,645	85,276	36,129	54,867	90,996
6	Vizagapatam	13,896	2,201	16,097	15,787	3,129	18,914	18,687	6,439	25,126*	25,236	17,626	42,862
7	Godavari	4,674	240	4,914*	2,210	588	2,807	...	268	268*	(not reported.)	...	...
TOTAL MADRAS		349,303	(1)115,399	464,702	382,730	(1)121,502	504,241	412,640	(2)148,139	558,779	451,220	(*)108,883	620,105
Bombay.													
1	Bijapur	53,862	10,964	64,826	56,261	11,797	68,060	64,879	12,175	77,054	67,397	13,787	81,184
2	Sholapur	104,638	8,201	112,839	102,890	8,316	111,206	97,981	8,749	106,730	93,160	8,935	102,095
3	Ahmednagar	52,677	6,928	59,605	46,059	7,386	53,445	43,404	8,156	51,560	52,117	9,417	61,534
4	Poona	25,030	8,161	33,191	21,596	9,656	31,252	18,945	10,172	29,117	11,359	10,472	21,831
5	Nasik	21,064	775	21,839	18,263	980	19,243	15,401	1,122	16,523	15,225	1,635	16,860
6	Satara	8,523	383	8,906	8,441	438	8,879	9,094	504	9,598	10,743	658	11,401
7	Khandesh	16,780	...	16,780	12,874	...	12,874	12,044	...	12,044	10,830	...	10,830
8	Belgaum	9,256	623	9,879	7,775	660	8,435	7,275	772	8,047	9,204	820	10,024
9	Dharwar	648	902	1,550	240	833	1,076	82	1,018	1,100	365	1,119	1,484
10	Ratnagiri	219	...	219	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL BOMBAY		292,697	36,937	329,634	274,401	40,066	314,470	269,105	42,668	311,773	270,400	46,843	317,243
Bengal.													
1	Champani	112,715	83,632	196,347	98,573	84,941	183,512	61,903	85,513	147,416	56,359	85,321	141,671
2	Shahabad	10,397	20,404	30,801	7,411	21,543	28,956	3,197	18,897	22,094	2,158	19,161	21,319
3	Nadia	32,670	66,587	99,257	41,055	68,166	109,222	37,582	68,878	106,460	24,502	68,426	92,928
4	Patna	142	142	284	157	157	314	...	187	187	...	188	188
5	Khulna	5,878	7,055	12,933	3,390	9,522	12,915	741	9,523	10,264	1,018	10,434	11,452
6	Saran	27,000	53,117	80,117	20,302	52,235	72,627	18,238	47,375	65,613	14,545	47,705	62,250

‡ Exclusive of 6,913 relieved from the Indian Charitable

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	Relief works.	Gratui- tous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratui- tous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratui- tous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratui- tous relief.	Total.
North-Western Provinces and Oudh—contd.												
Almorah	151	1,140	1,291	174	1,159	1,333	300	1,166	1,526	840	1,282	2,128
Oranabad	1,215	2,616	3,831	758	2,638	3,396	1,776	2,786	4,562	2,362	2,894	5,256
Sevilly	885	1,788	2,673	800	1,451	2,251	1,879	1,354	3,233	1,713	1,593	3,306
Uttra	4,133	4,728	8,861	4,114	4,740	8,854	2,593	4,742	7,335	3,119	4,651	7,770
Shah . . . . .	...	1,241	1,241	...	1,445	1,445	...	1,880	1,880	...	2,183	2,183
Alampur . . . . .	...	1,486	1,486	...	536	536	...	1,401	1,401	...	470	470
Oranabad	107	3,498	3,605	67	3,809	3,876	25	3,714	3,739	38	3,608	3,646
Idaun	294	1,398	1,692	326	1,235	1,561	...	164	164	...	175	175
Aljahanpur	384	2,990	3,374	354	3,833	4,187	337	4,250	4,587	231	4,291	4,522
Libhit	1,384	2,767	4,151	1,422	2,954	4,376	1,005	2,787	3,792	1,605	3,534	5,139
Heri	1,281	103	1,384	1,288	107	1,395	449	206	655	1,253	281	1,534
Itampur	2,615	1,722	4,337	2,071	2,267	4,338	275	1,950	2,225	269	2,394	2,663
Oranabad	2,550	3,615	6,165	1,731	3,442	5,173	20	3,795	3,815	318	3,772	4,090
Oranabad . . . . .	...	2,591	2,591	...	2,888	2,888	...	4,645	4,645	...	4,700	4,700
Oranabad	5,793	9,203	14,996	4,579	9,102	13,681	2,639	8,108	10,747	2,787	8,690	11,477
Oranabad	13,809	8,308	22,117	7,171	9,100	16,271	4,642	14,358	19,000	3,114	17,257	20,371
Oranabad	2,353	12,575	14,928	1,167	12,595	13,762	150	12,312	12,462	...	12,033	12,033
Oranabad	780	473	1,253	500	955	1,455	...	481	481	...	568	568
Oranabad	2,132	1,811	3,943	2,240	2,200	4,440	471	1,939	2,410	170	2,110	2,280
TOTAL FOR N.-W. P. & O.	1,086,592	399,950	1,486,542	953,489	399,519	1,353,008	433,599	426,654	860,153	412,999	*412,039	†855,038
Punjab.												
Amritsar	67,212	8,344	75,556	61,267	8,236	72,503	65,093	8,103	73,166	69,058	7,783	76,841
Amritsar	10,496	2,285	12,781	9,102	2,137	11,239	9,210	2,126	11,336	8,223	2,135	10,358
Amritsar	982	829	1,811	1,201	901	2,102	1,174	165	1,339	1,528	945	2,473
Amritsar	4,519	1,304	5,823	3,173	1,221	4,394	3,018	1,573	4,591	4,826	1,370	6,196
Amritsar	1,786	2,296	4,082	1,172	2,236	3,408	492	2,097	2,589	460	634	1,094
Amritsar	458	...	458	454	...	454	416	...	416	535	...	535
Amritsar	3,948	381	4,329	3,536	196	3,732	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amritsar . . . . .	...	...	...	61	...	61	24	...	24	143	...	143
TOTAL PUNJAB	89,401	15,449	104,850	82,966	14,927	97,893	79,397	14,064	93,461	84,773	12,867	97,640
Central Provinces.												
Amritsar	44,812	15,119	59,931	37,447	15,593	53,040	18,873	16,198	35,071	20,662	14,882	35,544
Amritsar	31,095	12,201	43,296	30,564	12,405	42,969	27,296	12,751	40,047	37,999	13,108	51,107
Amritsar	43,910	22,569	66,479	44,812	22,627	67,439	23,415	21,718	45,133	27,437	22,494	49,931
Amritsar	27,417	3,335	30,752	26,737	3,255	29,992	23,496	3,622	27,118	13,648	3,746	17,394
Amritsar	10,465	2,989	13,454	9,484	2,758	12,242	7,418	2,825	10,243	7,390	3,168	10,558
Amritsar	54,511	4,067	58,578	8,980	4,509	13,489	24,122	4,854	28,976	16,521	5,835	22,356
Amritsar	43,319	1,060	44,379	37,144	3,616	40,760	23,739	3,816	27,555	28,061	3,909	31,970
Amritsar	236	599	835	128	581	709	151	624	775	75	838	913
Amritsar	10,387	1,831	12,218	5,917	2,294	8,211	7,553	2,240	9,793	7,808	2,258	10,066
Amritsar	15,788	2,219	18,007	12,319	2,949	15,268	11,968	2,151	14,119	13,581	2,425	16,006
Amritsar	14,196	1,174	15,370	14,799	1,229	16,028	13,805	1,632	15,437	15,462	2,527	17,989
Amritsar	134	...	134	101	...	101	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amritsar	49,807	5,361	55,168	32,268	5,361	37,629	20,787	5,971	26,758	18,849	6,245	25,094
Amritsar	57,467	9,369	66,836	52,023	9,548	61,571	36,092	9,051	45,743	34,406	10,061	44,467
Amritsar	85,657	14,570	100,227	73,502	14,062	87,564	51,789	14,370	66,159	46,230	15,179	61,409
Amritsar	39,150	25,436	64,586	36,211	29,137	65,348	30,274	34,283	64,557	37,950	44,021	81,971
Amritsar	2,024	...	2,024	2,808	...	2,808	289	...	289	143	...	143
Amritsar	7,115	...	7,115	2,847	...	2,847	2,095	...	2,095	3,054	...	3,054
TOTAL CENTRAL PROV.	538,090	121,899	659,989	428,091	129,924	558,015	323,162	136,706	459,868	329,276	150,696	479,972†
Burma.												
Amritsar	5,414	941	6,355	5,902	1,089	6,991	7,200	1,410	8,610	7,804	1,551	9,155
Amritsar	5,664	1,563	7,227	} (not reported).			8,570	2,532	11,102	10,744	2,756	13,500
Amritsar . . . . .	...	362	362				...	297	297	...	304	304
TOTAL BURMA	11,078	2,866	13,944	5,902	1,089	6,991	15,770	4,239	20,009	18,848	4,611	22,959

* Includes 56,486 relieved from the Indian Charitable Relief Fund.

† There were also 48,977 persons employed on railways and other public works.

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		Relief works.	Gra- tuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gra- tuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gra- tuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gra- tuitous relief.	Total.
Berar.													
1	Akola	7,517	1,993	9,510	7,781	2,338	10,119	8,537	1,895	10,432	9,874	3,333	13,257
2	Basim	1,836	527	2,363	819	428	1,247	866	422	1,288	955	489	1,444
3	Ellichpur	2,172	...	2,172	(not reported)	...	...	1,792	1,949	3,741	1,592	3,966	5,558
4	Amraoti	1,583	1,056	2,639	1,522	1,160	2,672	1,491	1,501	2,992	2,892	1,654	4,546
5	Buldana	2,351	...	2,351	2,388	1,121	3,509	2,013	1,198	3,211	3,355	1,946	5,301
6	Wun	6,016	...	6,016	5,845	...	5,845	5,554	...	5,554	2,314	...	2,314
TOTAL BERAR		21,475	3,576	25,051	18,355	5,037	23,392	20,253	6,965	27,218	20,982	11,438	32,420
Hyderabad.													
1	Raichur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	Naldurg	*25,407	741	26,148	*16,601	276	16,877	*17,579	202	17,781	*13,033	469	13,502
3	Gulbarga . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Lingsagar . . . . .	...	412	412	...	438	438	...	448	448	...	479	479
5	Bir . . . . .	...	1,822	1,822	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Mahbubnagar . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	71	71	...	82	82
TOTAL HYDERABAD		25,407	2,975	28,382	16,601	714	17,315	17,579	721	18,300	13,033	1,030	14,063
Central India.													
1	Bundelkhand	64,562	7,550	72,112	37,543	7,658	45,201	47,446	7,528	54,974	39,720	7,006	46,726
2	Baghelkhand	68,799	4,980	73,779	66,820	5,014	71,834	61,414	4,720	66,134	33,884	4,671	38,555
3	Gwalior	45,963	14,292	59,355	31,536	11,792	43,328	30,500	10,497	40,997	27,277	11,262	38,539
TOTAL CENTRAL INDIA		178,424	26,822	205,246	135,899	24,464	160,363	139,360	22,745	162,105	100,881	22,939	123,820
Rajputana.													
1	Marwar	5,757	1,314	7,071	6,587	1,348	7,935	5,932	1,342	7,274	6,164	1,336	7,500
2	Dholpur	2,132	949	3,081	1,894	1,167	3,061	1,517	1,179	2,696	2,088	1,283	3,371
3	Bikanir	5,794	3,118	8,912	5,210	2,751	7,961	4,890	2,341	7,231	4,979	2,019	6,998
4	Jaisalmir	1,371	259	1,630	1,513	367	1,880	1,602	409	1,911	1,579	409	1,988
5	Bhurtpur . . . . .	...	369	369	...	308	308	...	367	367	...	366	366
6	Tonk	1,338	2,015	3,353	1,624	2,227	3,851	1,524	2,227	4,151	1,775	2,280	4,055
7	Deoli . . . . .	...	8	8	...	8	8	...	8	8	...	8	8
8	Bundi . . . . .	...	300	300	...	300	300	...	307	307	...	307	307
TOTAL RAJPUTANA		16,392	8,332	24,724	16,828	8,476	25,304	15,765	8,180	23,945	16,585	8,008	24,593†
GRAND TOTAL FOR ALL PROVINCES		3,029,651	1,137,493	4,167,144	2,725,694	1,177,382	3,903,076	2,025,073	1,250,417	3,275,490	1,994,884	1,312,085	3,306,969

* Includes Gulbarga, Raichur, Naldurg, Lingsagar, Bir and Mahbubnagar.

† Besides 11,324 on ordinary work.

The dates at the head of the table are the dates of the *Gazette of India* in which the Provincial totals were published. The figures however usually show the numbers on relief on each preceding Saturday. All previous returns should be read subject to a similar correction.

Dated 17th July 1897.

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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
RAILWAY STATISTICS.**

STATEMENT OF APPROXIMATE GROSS EARNINGS OF INDIAN RAILWAYS FROM 1ST JANUARY TO 30TH JUNE 1896, AND FROM 1ST JANUARY TO 30TH JUNE 1897.

N.B.—As regards the figures in column Total Earnings from 1st January 1897, audited figures have been used as far as possible.

RAILWAY.	Average earnings per mile per week during the 1st-half of 1896.	LAST 10 DAYS OF JUNE 1896.				LAST 11 DAYS OF JUNE 1897.				Earnings from 1st January to 30th June 1896.	Earnings from 1st January to 30th June 1897.	Increase.	Decrease.
		Mean mileage worked.	Earnings.		Mean mileage worked.	Earnings.							
			Total.	Per mile open.		Total.	Per mile open.						
State Lines worked by companies.	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>Miles.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>Miles.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	
<i>Standard gauge—</i>													
East Indian	614	1,735	12,26,324	707	1,736	16,45,000	948	4,77,30,660	3,02,86,000	25,55,340	...	...
Bengal Central (a)	120	125	20,487	212	125	26,400	211	4,19,652	4,56,000	36,348	...	...
Bengal-Nagpur	160	802	1,31,271	152	862	1,76,000	204	37,19,635	35,07,000	...	2,12,635	...	
Indian Midland (b)	141	752	65,804	88	752	1,58,000	210	27,44,248	31,21,000	3,56,752	...	...
Bezwada extn. (East Coast state)	160	21	5,034	240	21	3,600	171	89,569	83,700	5,869	...	...
Mad.-Farrukh sec. (Bezwada-Mad.)	157	9	2,147	239	9	1,800	200	(c) 24,670	34,000	9,330	...	...
<i>Metre gauge—</i>													
Rajputana-Malwa (d)	257	1,815	4,04,660	223	1,815	5,49,000	302	1,20,12,352	1,02,03,000	...	18,09,352	...	
Patanpur-Deesa	70	17	710	42	17	1,000	59	31,556	22,100	...	9,256	...	
South Indian	170	1,042	3,05,691	293	1,042	3,24,000	311	45,95,386	45,83,000	...	12,386	...	
Máyavaram-Mutpet	87	54	9,008	167	54	9,100	169	1,22,179	1,31,000	8,821	...	...
Southern Mahratta (e)	129	1,105	1,45,292	125	1,105	2,70,000	232	38,97,990	37,73,000	...	1,24,990	...	
Bengal and North-Western (f)	165	750	1,07,016	142	815	1,79,000	220	3,44,430	33,35,000	99,170	...	...
Lucknow-Bareilly section (Rohilkhand and Kumaon)	84	200	16,806	84	200	24,500	123	4,92,300	4,66,000	...	26,309	...	
Assam-Bengal	86	159	15,836	100	156	21,400	137	3,54,510	5,21,000	1,66,490	...	...
Burma (g)	121	886	1,45,265	104	886	2,33,000	263	43,10,439	51,09,000	7,98,561	...	...
TOTAL	256	9,598	26,07,351	272	9,655	35,21,800	375	6,38,09,985	6,56,31,000	18,21,015	...	...
State Lines worked by the State.													
<i>Standard gauge—</i>													
North-Western (h)	235	2,056	8,04,195	303	2,883	9,74,000	338	1,59,05,395	1,48,19,000	...	10,86,395	...	
Oudh and Rohilkhand (including the metre gauge link)	238	797	2,27,778	286	875	2,92,000	334	49,28,179	44,24,000	...	5,04,179	...	
Eastern Bengal (including metre and 2' 6" gauges)	290	813	3,99,790	479	814	3,38,000	415	61,30,014	59,25,000	...	2,05,014	...	
East Coast	108	488	56,919	117	535	1,75,000	327	12,56,307	1,35,40,000	97,633	...	...
<i>Special gauges—</i>													
Jorhat	44	...	...	...	...	(i) ...	...	(j) 26,061	(k) 43,200	17,139	...	...
Cherra-Companyganj	60	...	...	...	...	(i) ...	...	(j) 12,228	(k) 10,600	...	1,628	...
TOTAL	231	4,754	14,78,682	311	5,107	17,79,000	348	2,82,58,244	2,65,75,800	...	16,82,444	...	
Lines worked by guaranteed cos.													
<i>Standard gauge—</i>													
Great Indian Peninsula (l)	541	1,490	6,42,652	431	1,401	7,28,000	488	2,09,44,177	1,55,47,000	...	53,97,177	...	
Bombay, Baroda and Central India	810	461	3,42,235	742	461	4,07,000	853	97,07,391	79,99,000	...	17,08,391	...	
Madras	251	840	3,03,958	362	840	3,72,000	443	54,68,400	57,91,000	3,22,600	...	...
TOTAL	498	2,791	12,88,845	462	2,702	15,07,000	540	3,61,10,068	2,93,37,000	...	67,82,068	...	
TOTAL (GUARANTEED AND STATE) ASSISTED COMPANIES.	289	17,143	53,74,878	314	17,554	69,07,800	394	12,81,88,197	12,15,43,800	...	66,44,397	...	
State Lines worked by native states and worked by other agencies.													
<i>Standard gauge—</i>													
Delhi-Umballa-Kalka	159	161	28,849	179	160	37,300	233	6,65,184	6,70,000	4,816	...	...
Takessur	300	22	9,297	423	22	8,800	400	1,73,351	1,78,000	4,649	...	...
<i>Metre gauge—</i>													
Rohilkhand and Kumaon (Coy.'s sec.)	120	66	33,790	512	66	11,700	177	2,21,778	2,04,000	...	17,779	...	
Bengal-Doonars	112	36	10,026	462	36	5,500	153	1,05,742	99,900	...	8,842	...	
Dibru-Sadiya	160	78	23,073	296	78	28,600	367	3,22,768	3,94,000	71,232	...	...
Ahmedabad-Parantij . . . . .	...	...	...	...	41	2,800	68	...	(m) 15,300	15,300	...	...
<i>Special gauge—</i>													
Darjeeling-Himalayan	301	51	31,960	627	51	36,000	706	3,09,172	3,47,000	...	52,172	...	
TOTAL	175	414	1,43,604	347	454	1,30,700	288	18,87,095	19,05,200	17,205	...	...
Lines owned by native states and worked by other agencies.													
<i>Standard gauge—</i>													
Bana-Coona	22	74	2,783	38	74	4,000	54	40,304	62,600	22,296	...	...
Bhopal-Ujjain	45	114	11,395	100	114	13,100	118	1,23,303	2,22,000	88,697	...	...
Nagda-Ujjain . . . . .	...	...	...	...	35	3,800	109	...	61,400	...	...	...
The Nizam's guaranteed state	200	333	80,649	242	333	1,05,000	315	17,35,824	17,57,000	21,176	...	...
The Gaekwar's Pettad	228	13	1,723	133	13	1,800	138	70,164	30,600	...	48,564	...	
Rajputana-Bhatinda	220	108	50,361	466	108	22,100	205	6,17,638	3,29,000	...	2,88,638	...	
Kolar Gold-fields	270	10	3,307	331	10	4,900	490	70,213	97,900	27,687	...	...
<i>Metre gauge—</i>													
Mysore sec. (Southern Mahratta) (n)	98	362	40,226	111	362	73,800	201	9,10,598	10,28,000	1,08,402	...	...
The Gaekwar's Melsana	111	93	6,345	68	93	13,000	140	2,67,421	1,77,000	...	90,421	...	
Kolhapur	87	29	2,773	96	29	4,100	141	65,403	58,000	...	7,403	...	
<i>Special gauges—</i>													
The Gaekwar's Dabhoi	90	72	3,984	55	72	4,900	68	1,67,903	1,27,000	...	40,903	...	
Cooch Behar	66	...	...	...	...	(i) ...	...	(o) 35,264	(p) 36,000	736	...	...
TOTAL	130	1,208	2,03,546	168	1,243	2,50,800	202	41,32,035	30,86,500	...	1,45,535	...	
Lines owned & worked by n. states													
<i>Metre gauge—</i>													
Bhavnagar-Gondal-Junagarh-Porbandar	145	334	38,175	114	334	56,700	170	12,53,906	10,96,000	...	1,57,906	...	
Jetalsar-Rajkot	88	46	4,490	100	46	7,000	152	1,05,455	1,05,000	...	255	...	
Jamnagar . . . . .	...	...	...	...	51	4,000	78	...	(q) 29,100	29,100	...	...
Jodhpur-Bikaneri	75	364	26,599	73	364	37,800	104	7,00,582	6,91,000	...	18,582	...	
Oudypore-Chitor (r)	43	60	2,539	42	60	3,700	62	65,180	60,700	...	7,480	...	
<i>Special gauge—</i>													
Morvi	87	94	7,051	75	94	11,900	127	2,14,580	2,00,000	...	14,580	...	
TOTAL	101	898	78,960	88	949	1,21,100	128	23,52,203	21,81,800	...	1,70,403	...	
GRAND TOTAL	268	19,603	58,00,688	295	20,200	74,10,400	367	13,65,60,430	12,66,17,300	...	69,43,130	...	

(a) Although for convenience classed amongst state railways, this line is the property of the Bengal Central Railway Company. The working of this line has been taken over by the Company from the 1st January 1897.

(b) Includes the Bhopal-Itarsi railway.

(c) Total earnings from the 22nd February to the 30th June 1896.

(d) Includes the Godhra-Kutlam-Nagdā railway.

(e) Includes the Guntakal-Mysore frontier section.

(f) Includes the Tirhoot state railway. Although for convenience classed amongst state railways, the company's section of this line is the property of the Bengal and North-Western Railway Company.

(g) Transferred for working to the Burma Railways Company with effect from the 1st September 1896.

(h) Includes the Jammu and Kashmir and the Hyderabad-Shadi-palli railways.

(i) Return not received.

(j) Total earnings from the 1st January to the 6th June 1896.

(k) Total earnings from the 1st January to the 5th June 1897.

(l) Includes the Wardha Coal, the Dhond-Mannād, the Khámgaon, and the Amráoti railways.

(m) Total earnings from the 1st May to the 30th June 1897.

(n) Includes the Mysore-Nanjangud and the Yesvantpur-Mysore frontier sections.

(o) Total earnings from the 1st January to the 13th June 1896.

(p) Total earnings from the 1st January to the 12th June 1897.

(q) Total earnings from the 8th April to the 30th June 1897.

(r) This line is being worked by the Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway Company as a temporary measure.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
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No. XII of 1897-98.
STATEMENT OF APPROXIMATE GROSS EARNINGS OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.
N.B.—As regards the figures in column *Total earnings from 1st April 1897*, audited figures have been used as far as possible.

RAILWAY.	LAST 10 DAYS OF JUNE 1896.				LAST 11 DAYS OF JUNE 1897.				Earnings from 1st April to 30th June 1896.	Earnings from 1st April to 30th June 1897.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Average earnings per mile per week in 1896-97.	Mean mileage worked.	Earnings.		Mean mileage worked.	Earnings.						
			Total.	Per mile open.		Total.	Per mile open.					
State lines worked by companies.	Rs.	Miles.	Rs.	Rs.	Miles.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
<i>Standard gauge—</i>												
East Indian	605	1,735	12,26,324	707	1,730	10,45,000	948	1,28,71,053	1,47,70,000	18,98,347	...	
Bengal Central (a)	140	125	26,487	212	125	20,400	211	2,08,087	2,27,000	18,913	...	
Bengal-Nagpur	137	802	1,31,271	152	862	1,70,000	204	15,67,076	15,81,000	13,024	...	
Indian Midland (b)	139	752	65,804	88	752	1,58,000	210	13,62,768	10,27,000	2,64,232	...	
Bezwada extn. (East Coast state)	134	21	5,034	240	21	3,900	171	37,043	33,000	...	3,143	
Mad.-Ennur sec. (Bezwada-Mad.)	163	9	2,147	239	9	1,800	200	10,793	15,800	...	993	
<i>Metre gauge—</i>												
Rajputana-Malwa (c)	211	1,815	4,04,660	223	1,815	5,40,000	302	57,04,105	50,82,000	...	7,12,195	
Pálanpur-Deesa	58	17	710	42	17	1,000	59	20,001	11,500	...	9,491	
South Indian	165	1,042	3,05,091	293	1,042	3,24,000	311	24,34,240	24,00,000	...	25,240	
Máyavaram-Mutupet	91	54	9,008	167	54	9,100	169	6,409	60,300	...	169	
Southern Mahratta (d)	116	1,165	1,45,292	125	1,165	2,70,000	242	20,55,879	21,01,000	45,121	...	
Bengal and North-Western (e)	140	750	1,07,016	142	815	1,70,000	220	10,12,230	18,00,000	2,53,774	...	
Lucknow-Bareilly sec. (Rohilkund and Kumaon)	70	200	16,806	84	200	24,300	123	2,33,049	2,50,000	16,951	...	
Assam-Bengal	61	159	15,836	100	156	21,400	137	1,53,870	2,43,000	89,124	...	
Burma (f)	176	886	1,45,265	164	886	2,33,000	203	18,71,179	21,07,000	3,55,521	...	
TOTAL	230	9,508	26,01,351	272	9,655	36,21,800	375	3,03,09,724	3,24,83,500	21,73,776	...	
State lines worked by the State.												
<i>Standard gauge—</i>												
North-Western (g)	211	2,656	8,04,105	203	2,883	9,74,000	338	70,15,539	72,52,000	...	3,63,539	
Oudh and Rohilkhand (including the metre gauge link)	193	797	2,27,778	285	875	2,92,000	334	23,42,080	23,58,000	15,020	...	
Eastern Bengal (including metre and 2' 6" gauges)	354	813	3,89,790	479	814	3,38,000	415	29,06,539	27,80,000	...	1,17,539	
East Coast	94	488	56,919	117	535	1,75,000	347	6,01,051	7,38,000	66,049	...	
<i>Special gauges—</i>												
Jorhát	73	...	...	...	...	(h)	...	(i) 14,144	(j) 18,400	4,256	...
Cherra-Companyganj	61	...	...	...	...	(h)	...	(i) 5,058	(j) 4,200	...	858
TOTAL	219	4,754	14,78,682	311	5,107	17,79,000	348	1,35,45,311	1,31,49,600	...	3,95,711	
Lines worked by guaranteed cos.												
<i>Standard gauge—</i>												
Great Indian Peninsula (k)	407	1,490	6,42,652	431	1,401	7,28,000	488	98,00,438	73,04,000	...	24,96,438	
Bombay, Baroda and Central India	630	401	5,42,235	742	461	4,07,000	884	50,22,830	44,20,000	...	6,02,830	
Madras	253	840	3,03,958	302	840	3,72,000	443	28,20,004	20,84,000	1,57,096	...	
TOTAL	397	2,701	12,88,845	462	2,702	15,07,000	540	1,76,49,272	1,47,08,000	...	29,41,272	
TOTAL (GUARANTEED AND STATE) Assisted companies.	257	17,143	53,74,878	314	17,554	69,07,800	394	6,15,04,307	6,03,41,100	...	11,63,207	
<i>Standard gauge—</i>												
Delhi-Umballa-Kalka	157	161	28,849	170	160	37,300	233	3,30,343	3,42,000	11,057	...	
Tarkessur	273	22	9,207	423	22	8,800	400	88,945	90,500	1,555	...	
<i>Metre gauge—</i>												
Rohilkund and Kumaon (Coy.'s sec.)	131	66	33,790	512	66	11,700	177	1,44,515	1,05,000	...	39,515	
Bengal-Doonars	146	36	10,626	462	36	5,500	153	50,554	43,200	...	13,354	
Dibru-Sadiya	167	78	23,073	296	78	28,600	307	1,03,440	2,03,000	39,554	...	
Ahmedabad-Parántij	...	...	...	...	41	2,800	68	...	(l) 15,300	15,300	...
<i>Special gauge—</i>												
Darjeeling-Himalayan	287	51	31,960	627	51	36,000	706	2,31,061	2,07,000	...	24,961	
TOTAL	176	414	1,43,004	347	454	1,30,700	288	10,15,764	10,06,000	...	9,764	
Lines owned by native states and worked by other agencies.												
<i>Standard gauge—</i>												
Mina-Goonia	28	74	2,785	38	74	4,000	54	23,755	31,700	7,945	...	
Bhopal-Ujjain	80	114	11,395	100	114	13,400	118	1,18,274	1,03,000	...	15,274	
Nágda-Ujjain	53	...	...	...	35	3,800	100	...	34,200	34,200	...
The Nizam's guaranteed state	191	333	80,649	242	333	1,08,000	315	5,20,516	8,00,000	33,484	...	
The Gaekwar's Petlád	159	13	1,723	133	13	1,800	138	50,049	18,000	...	41,049	
Rájputa-Bhátinda	159	108	50,361	466	108	22,100	205	3,34,203	1,43,000	...	1,91,263	
Kolar Gold-fields	330	10	3,307	331	10	4,000	490	34,468	45,900	11,432	...	
<i>Metre gauge—</i>												
Mysore sec. (Southern Mahratta) (m)	68	362	40,226	111	362	73,800	204	4,65,446	5,72,000	1,06,554	...	
The Gaekwar's Mehsána	85	93	6,345	68	93	13,000	140	1,76,807	1,00,000	...	76,807	
Kolhapur	70	29	2,773	96	29	4,100	141	33,009	31,000	...	2,009	
<i>Special gauges—</i>												
The Gaekwar's Dabhoi	63	72	3,084	55	72	4,000	68	82,477	67,300	...	15,177	
Cooch Behar	63	...	...	...	...	(h)	...	(n) 15,720	(o) 14,700	...	1,020
TOTAL	120	1,208	2,03,546	168	1,243	2,50,800	203	21,60,784	20,20,800	...	1,48,984	
Lines owned & worked by n. states												
<i>Metre gauge—</i>												
Bhánagar-Gondal-Junágarh-Porbandar	108	334	38,175	114	334	56,700	170	6,05,476	5,52,000	...	53,476	
Jetalsar-Rájkot	81	46	4,596	100	46	7,000	152	51,885	53,500	1,815	...	
Jámnagar	...	...	...	...	51	4,000	78	...	29,100	29,100	...
Jodhpur-Bickaneer	67	364	26,599	73	364	37,800	104	3,20,776	3,34,000	4,224	...	
Oodypore-Chitor (q)	42	60	2,539	42	60	3,700	62	33,262	30,200	...	3,062	
<i>Special gauge—</i>												
Morvi	78	94	7,051	75	94	11,000	127	1,19,033	1,07,000	...	12,033	
TOTAL	82	898	78,960	88	949	1,21,100	128	11,30,232	11,05,800	...	33,432	
GRAND TOTAL	230	9,508	26,01,351	272	9,655	36,21,800	375	6,54,20,087	6,44,73,700	...	13,55,387	

(a) Although for convenience classed amongst state railways, this line is worked by the State.

- (a) Although for convenience classed amongst state railways, this line is the property of the Bengal Central Railway Company. The working of this line has been taken over by the Company from the 1st January 1897.
- (b) Includes the Bhopal-Itánsi railway.
- (c) Includes the Godhra-Rutlam-Nágdá railway.
- (d) Includes the Guntakal-Mysore frontier section.
- (e) Includes the Tirhoot state railway. Although for convenience classed amongst state railways, the company's section of this line is the property of the Bengal and North-Western Railway Company.
- (f) Transferred for working to the Burma Railways Company with effect from the 1st September 1896.
- (g) Includes the Jammu and Kashmir and the Hyderabad-Shadipalli railways.

- (h) Return not received.
- (i) Total earnings from the 1st April to the 6th June 1896.
- (j) Total earnings from the 1st April to the 5th June 1897.
- (k) Includes the Wardha Coal, the Dhond-Manmád, the Khámgaon, and the Amráoti railways.
- (l) Total earnings from the 1st May to the 30th June 1897.
- (m) Includes the Mysore-Nanjangud and the Yeswantpur-Mysore frontier sections.
- (n) Total earnings from the 1st April to the 13th June 1896.
- (o) Total earnings from the 1st April to the 12th June 1897.
- (p) Total earnings from the 8th April to the 30th June 1897.
- (q) This line is being worked by the Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway Company as a temporary measure.

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PART II.

Notifications by High Court, Comptroller General, etc.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

NOTICE.

The 13th March, 1897.

From the 3rd April next, till further notice, Parts I, IV, V and VI of the *Gazette of India*, and the Weather and Crop Report will be published at Simla. After the 27th March all Notifications and other matter intended for publication in those Parts should be addressed to the Officiating Publisher at Simla.

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WM. ROSS,

Publisher, Gazette of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

INVENTIONS and DESIGNS.

Calcutta, the 16th July, 1897.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2010 P.—APPLICATIONS in respect of the undermentioned inventions have been filed, under the provisions of the Inventions and Designs Act of 1888, in the office of the Secretary appointed under that Act, during the week ending 10th July 1897:—

No. 256 of 1897.—George Falvey Beyts, district engineer, East Indian railway, Allahabad, North-Western Provinces, for a collapsible wash-hand stand suitable for military and other purposes.

No. 257 of 1897.—Amended application.—*See* No. 195 of 1897.

No. 258 of 1897.—The Doherty Iron Castings Process, Limited, of 32 Victoria street, Westminster, London, for improvements in the process of melting iron.

No. 259 of 1897.—Amended application.—*See* No. 194 of 1897.

No. 260 of 1897.—Richard Moreland, engineer, of Richard Moreland & Son, Limited, 3 Old street, London, for an improvement in the manufacture of tea.

No. 261 of 1897.—Walter Max Schlesinger, gentleman, of 27 Martins lane, Cannon street, London, for a new or improved case or holder for velocipede pumps and the like.

No. 262 of 1897.—George Turnbull Cleghorn, manager, Behar iron works, Mozaffarpur Behar, for an automatic top water and indigo mal drainer, to be called "Cleghorn's patent indigo drainer."

No. 263 of 1897.—Jules Emringer and Prosper Emile Marchand, makers of aerated water apparatus, both of 57 rue Meslay, Paris, for apparatus for making aerated liquids.

No. 264 of 1897.—John Whittle, gentleman, of 27 Frampton place, Boston, Lincolnshire, for improvements relating to locomotive type of engines.

No. 265 of 1897.—Christian Wilhelm Luther, manufacturer of wooden articles, of Reval, Russia, for an improved manufacture of waterproof glue.

No. 266 of 1897.—John Mervyn Wrench, chief engineer, Indian Midland Railway Company, Jhansi, for a cheap system of interlocking main and distant signals at small roadside stations.

No. 267 of 1897.—Joseph Henry Johnson, mechanical engineer, Aligarh, for a split pin, to be called "Johnson's safety split pin."

No. 268 of 1897.—C. P. C. Muhl, manager and engineer, Mysore mills, Bangalore, Mysore, for indicating automatically the sinking of the level (surface) of water and other fluids below a certain mark in a tank or other receptacle of fluid, to be called "the Victoria automatic short water indicator."

No. 2011 P.—SPECIFICATIONS of the undermentioned inventions have been filed, under the provisions of the Inventions and Designs Act of 1888, in the office of the Secretary appointed under that Act, and copies have been sent to the Governments of Fort St. George, Bombay, and Burma, and the Director of the department of land records and agriculture, North-Western Provinces and Oudh. These and other specifications are open to public inspection, from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M., at the Secretary's office (Imperial Secretariat, Government Place, West, Calcutta), on payment of a fee of one rupee, and a certified copy of any one of them will be supplied on payment of the fixed expenses of copying:—

No. 113 of 1897.—James Davidson, tea planter, of 11 Waring street, Belfast, for improvements in the manufacture of products from tea. (Specification filed 2 July 1897.)

No. 197 of 1897.—Edward Anderson Blanton, junior, engineer, of 43 Threadneedle street, London, for improvements in and connected with means for securing cams and the like upon shafts. (Specification filed 2 July 1897.)

No. 2012 P.—THE fees prescribed in Schedule 4 of Act V of 1888 have been paid for the continuance of exclusive privilege in respect of the undermentioned inventions for the periods shown against each :—

No. 9 of 1889.—George Woods and Edwin Woods, wire manufacturers, of Warrington, in the county of Lancaster, for improvements in the seats and backs of railway and tramway carriages. (From 18 July 1897 to 18 July 1898.)

No. 139 of 1890.—Charles Cheers Wakefield, manager, of 51 Russian drive, Stonycroft, near Liverpool, for improvements in sight feed lubricators. (From 10 July 1897 to 10 July 1898.)

No. 165 of 1891.—Alfred William MacIlwaine, managing director of the Hull Oil Manufacturing Company, Limited, of Stoneferry, Hull, in the county of York, for improved means for cleaning or removing extraneous matter from rape and other seeds. (From 5 October 1897 to 5 October 1898.)

No. 85 of 1892.—John Isaac Thornycroft, engineer, of Church wharf, Chiswick, in the county of Middlesex, for improvements in propelling and steering apparatus for ships or vessels. (From 5 August 1897 to 5 August 1898.)

No. 200 of 1893.—Theodore Guilleaume, cable manufacturer, of Cologne, in the German Empire, for improvements in electric cables. (From 5 September 1897 to 5 September 1898.)

No. 2013 P.—WHEREAS the inventors of the undermentioned inventions have respectively failed to pay, within the time limited in that behalf by the fourth schedule to the Inventions and Designs Act (V of 1888), the fees hereinafter respectively mentioned, it is hereby notified that under the provisions of section 8, sub-section (2) of the said Act, the exclusive privilege of making, selling, and using the said inventions in British India and of authorizing others so to do has ceased :—

No. 189 of 1892.—Christopher Edward Phipps' invention for an improved travelling cash chest, to be called "Phipps' patent secure travelling cash chest." (Specification filed 8 April 1893.)

No. 250 of 1892.—Humphry Aram Hole's invention for an improved tea drying machine which can also be used for withering fresh tea leaf. (Specification filed 4 April 1893.)

No. 266 of 1892.—Levi Hildreth Young's invention for improvements in locking nuts on bolts used in fastening the fish plates on the rails of railroads and for like purposes. (Specification filed 4 April 1893.)

No. 297 of 1892.—Louis Teweles and Thomas Arthur Robinson's invention for improvements in looms for weaving two widths of fabric simultaneously. (Specification filed 6 April 1893.)

No. 321 of 1892.—Sigmund Adolf Rosenthal and Villeroy Corney Doubleday's invention for improvements in secondary batteries. (Specification filed 6 April 1893.)

Fee in respect of the continuance of an exclusive privilege—

(4) (a) After the filing of the specification and before the expiration of the fourth year from the date of filing thereof—

The sum of ₹50 for each of the said inventions.

NOTICES.

All communications relating to Act V (the Inventions and Designs Act) of 1888 should be addressed to the "Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Revenue and Agriculture (PATENTS BRANCH), CALCUTTA."

The office of the Secretary under the Act is open for the transaction of business from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M. on all days except Sundays and gazetted holidays.

W. D. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.

BOARD OF REVENUE, MADRAS.

NOTIFICATION UNDER SECTION 30 OF ACT XII OF 1882.

(The Indian Salt Act.)

In exercise of the powers conferred by the 2nd paragraph of Notification No. 759, dated 11th February, 1888, issued by the Governor General of India in Council (in the Department of Finance and Commerce), under section 28 of Act XII of 1882, and published at pages 67—72 of the *Gazette of India*, dated 11th February, 1888, the Commissioner of Salt, Abkari and Separate Revenue, Madras Presidency, under section 30 of Act XII of 1882, authorises the person named below to exercise the powers of a Salt Revenue Officer :—

Locality.	Name.	Rank.	REMARKS.
Province of Orissa . . .	Kunja Behera . . .	3rd grade Peon .	Vice Hari Prosad Mahanti, discharged.

BOARD OF REVENUE:
(SEPARATE REVENUE),
7th July, 1897.

Acting Secretary.

ADMINISTRATOR GENERAL OF BENGAL.

Notice of death sent to the Administrator General of Bengal under Section 64 of Act II of 1874.

Name of deceased.	Place of death.	Date of death.	By whom death reported and when.	REMARKS.
Mrs. Caroline Watson	Nagpur . . .	4th November, 1896 .	The Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Nagpur, on 28th June, 1897.	Deceased was widow of the late pensioned Apothecary Henry Watson. No Will found. No application.
Leonard E. Butterworth.	Presidency Hospital.	General 24th June, 1897	The District Judge, 24-Pergunnahs, Alipur, on 28th June, 1897.	Deceased served on board the S. S. <i>Austrasia</i> . No Will found. No application.

L. P. D. BROUGHTON;

Administrator General of Bengal.

7, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET ;
Calcutta, the 14th July, 1897.

BANK OF BENGAL.

NOTICE.

The Annual General Meeting of the Proprietors and Shareholders of the Bank of Bengal will be held at the Bank on Monday, the 2nd proximo, at 10-15 A.M., for the transaction of the following business:—

- I.—To receive the Directors' Report and the audited accounts up to the 30th June, 1897.
- II.—To elect two Directors in the room of Mr. A. B. Miller and L. P. D. Broughton who go out by rotation, but who are eligible for re-election.
- III.—To elect two Auditors and to fix their remuneration.

By Order of the Directors,

W. D. CRUICKSHANK,

Secretary and Treasurer.

BANK OF BENGAL;

Calcutta, 12th July, 1897.

TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 9th July, 1897.

No. 14.—Offices reported opened and closed during June, 1897:—

Name of Office.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
<i>Government Telegraph Offices</i>			
		1897.	
Baffa . . .	Punjab . . .	21st June	Opened.
Barkur . . .	Madras . . .	1st "	Ditto.
Digwara . . .	Bihar . . .	12th "	Ditto.
Daronda . . .	Ditto . . .	1st "	Closed.
Ganeshkhind . . .	Bombay . . .	7th "	Opened.
Gulmarg . . .	Kashmir . . .	6th "	Ditto.
Hungarcutta . . .	Madras . . .	1st "	Closed.
Karaput . . .	Ditto . . .	18th "	Opened.
Khusalgarh . . .	Punjab . . .	17th "	Ditto.
Mahabaleshwar . . .	Bombay . . .	15th "	Closed.
Matheran . . .	Ditto . . .	15th "	Ditto.
Mirpur-Khas . . .	Sind and Baluchi- stan.	14th "	Opened.
Morelganj . . .	Bengal . . .	15th "	Ditto.
<i>Railway Telegraph Offices.</i>			
		1897.	
Anchraghat . . .	Eastern Bengal Railway.	24th June	Closed.
Bairagnia . . .	Tirhoot State Rail- way.	19th "	Ditto
Bhavnagar-Bundar . . .	Bhavnagar-Gon- dal-Junagad- Porbandar Rail- way.	29th "	Ditto
Borachak Hut . . .	East Indian Rail- way.	25th "	Opened.
Debiganj . . .	Eastern Bengal Railway.	24th "	Closed.
Garakota Road . . .	Indian Midland Railway.	29th "	Ditto.
Lidhara . . .	Ditto . . .	29th "	Ditto.
Nandurbar . . .	Tapti Valley Rail- way.	16th "	Opened.
Padra . . .	Gackwar Dabhoi Railway.	19th "	Ditto.

J. J. ALLEN,

Director, Traffic Branch.

ORDERS BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR
AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA
UNIVERSITY.

1. The following eight Natural Orders in Botany have been selected for the next Preliminary Scientific M.B. and L.M.S. Examinations:—

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| 1. Malvaceæ. | 5. Nyctagineæ. |
| 2. Leguminosæ. | 6. Urticaceæ. |
| 3. Loganiaceæ. | 7. Liliaceæ. |
| 4. Scrophularineæ. | 8. Gramineæ. |

2. At the ensuing M.A. Examination in Mathematics, in the 4th paper in Group A, for every question on Higher Plane Curves, an alternative question on Solid Geometry will be set.

3. The undermentioned candidate has passed the Entrance Examination, 1897, in the 3rd Division:—

Ghosh, Binodbihari . 19-3 Private student.

J. H. GILLILAND,

Registrar.

SENATE HOUSE;

The 12th July, 1897.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

NOTICE.

The Senate will proceed, in the month of August, 1898, to the election of a Tagore Professor of Law for the term of one year, to commence on the 1st November, 1898.

The salary of the Professor is Rs.9,000 payable in twelve equal monthly instalments, and the Professor will be expected to deliver a course of not less than twelve lectures on one of the following subjects:—

- (1) The Interpretation of Deeds, Wills and Statutes in British India.
- (2) The Law of Easements in British India.
- (3) The Law of Torts in British India.

Candidates for the Professorship are requested to forward their applications to the Registrar on or before the 1st May, 1898, stating on which of the above-named three subjects they are prepared to lecture. Each candidate will forward with his application one hundred copies of a brief synopsis of his proposed lectures, and, if he so pleases, the same number of copies of his introductory lecture.

The Professor will be expected to commence his lectures in November, 1898, to complete the delivery thereof in the following January, and to hold an examination of the students who have attended his lectures. He will be further required to send to the Registrar a complete manuscript copy of his lectures within five months from the commencement of the delivery thereof.

J. H. GILLILAND,

Registrar.

SENATE HOUSE;

The 16th July, 1897.

DIRECTOR-GENERAL, INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 5th July, 1897.

No. 46.—The services of No. 193, Senior Hospital Assistant Murtaza Khan, of the Military Establishment, Bengal, are permanently placed at the disposal of the Government of Burma, for employment in the Civil Department, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of his duties in the Military Department.

The 13th July, 1897.

No. 47.—The services of first class Military Assistant Surgeon George Robert Allan, of the Indian Subordinate Medical Department, Madras Command, are temporarily placed at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab for employment on special plague duty at Wazirabad.

JAMES CLEGHORN, *M.D.*,
Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

SURVEY OF INDIA DEPARTMENT, TRIGONOMETRICAL BRANCH.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Dehra Dun, the 5th July, 1897.

No. 40.—Mr. J. Keating, Extra Assistant Superintendent, 6th grade, Survey of India, is granted privilege leave for three months, under the provisions of Article 291 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th instant.

The 13th July, 1897.

No. 41.—Mr. W. A. Fielding, Extra Assistant Superintendent, 6th grade, Survey of India, is granted privilege leave for two months, under the provisions of Article 291 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th instant, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of the same.

ST. G. GORE, *Lieut.-Col., R.E.*,
Supdt., Trigonometrical Surveys.

SURVEY OF INDIA DEPARTMENT. REVENUE BRANCH.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 12th July, 1897.

No. 10—*R. 48-195.*—Mr. A. G. Wyatt, Extra Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade, is granted privilege leave for three months, with effect from the 26th May, 1897, under Article 291 of the Civil Service Regulations.

F. B. LONGE, *Major, R.E.*,
for Offg. Deputy Surveyor-General,
In charge Revenue Branch.

AGENT TO THE GOVR.-GENERAL IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Ziarat, the 3rd July, 1897.

No. 1113-C.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 (i) of the Punjab Frontier Crimes Regulation IV of 1887, as applied to the territories administered by the Agent to the Governor-General in Baluchistan as such Agent, the Agent to the Governor-General is pleased to appoint the Assistant Political Agent, Upper Zhob, to be *ex officio* an Additional District Magistrate within the limits of the Zhob District.

The 7th July, 1897.

No. 1168-C.—Under the provisions of Article 371 of the Civil Service Regulations, Khan Bahadur Alladad Khan, Native Assistant in the Bolan Pass, is granted furlough for 11 months and 16 days, with effect from the 15th July, 1897, or such subsequent date as he may be able to avail himself of it.

By Order,
F. MACDONALD, *Captain,*
First Assistant.

DIRECTOR GENERAL OF RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 7th July, 1897.

No. 53.—Mr. W. P. Milne, Executive Engineer, 1st grade, is granted furlough for seven months, under Article 340 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the forenoon of the 30th June, 1897.

The 8th July, 1897.

No. 54.—Lieutenant W. A. Watts-Jones, R.E., Assistant Engineer, 2nd grade, is granted leave out of India (medical certificate) for six months, under the leave rules applicable to regimental officers of the British Army serving in India.

No. 55.—Mr. R. R. Gales, Executive Engineer, 3rd grade, is, on return from leave, posted to the East Coast Railway and appointed Assistant Manager of that line until further orders.

The 9th July, 1897.

No. 56.—With reference to Public Works Department Notification No. 250, dated the 28th June, 1897, 2nd-Lieutenant A. Brough R.E., Assistant Engineer, 3rd grade, is posted to the East Coast Railway.

F. R. UPCOTT,
Offg. Director-General.

NORTHERN INDIA SALT REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Agra, the 10th July, 1897.

LEAVE.

No. 121.—Mr. R. G. Rose, Superintendent, Pachbhadra Division, is granted privilege leave for 15 days, under Article 291, Section ii, Chapter XII, of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of that sanctioned by order No. 106, dated 26th June, 1897.

No. 122.—Mr. J. J. Durham, Superintendent, Didwana Division, is granted privilege leave for three months, under Article 291, Section ii, Chapter XII, of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 27th July, 1897.

TRANSFERS AND POSTINGS.

No. 123.—Mr. A. D. C. McIver, Assistant Superintendent, Gudha Manufacture, Sambhar Division, is transferred temporarily to the Didwana Division, to do duty during the absence on leave of Mr. J. J. Durham, Superintendent.

A. B. PATTERSON,

Commissioner, N. I. Salt Revenue Dept.

TREASURE TROVE.

NOTICE.

In accordance with the provisions of section 5 of Act VI of 1878, notice is hereby given, to all whom it may concern, that certain treasure, consisting of 200 Chandvadi rupees, was found by one Dhondo Chintaman Kale in the compound of his house in Majre Amritwadi of the village of Pachwad, Taluka Wai of the Satara District, on the 5th May, 1897, and all persons claiming the said treasure, or any part thereof, are hereby requested to appear personally, or by agent, before the Mamlatdar of Taluka Wai, on the 22nd November, 1897, at Wai, or where the Mamlatdar encamps on that day, when the Mamlatdar will proceed to hold enquiry in accordance with the provisions of law.

C. B. WINCHESTER,

Collector of Satara.

SATARA;

The 9th July 1897.

NOTICE.

It is notified for information that the deserter Corporal F. L. Young of this Battalion has been accidentally run over and killed by a railway engine at Howrah.

R. M. FEILDEN, *Lieut. & Adj.,*
and Oxf. Lt. Infantry.

FEROZEPUR;

The 7th July, 1897.

REPORT OF DESERTION.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 18th Hussars of Cavalry, dated at Lucknow, this 9th day of July, 1897.

Number, Rank, and Name, 3971, Private Thomas Forsythe.	Parish and County in which born,—Loughgill, Ballymoney, Antrim.
Age,—24 years 11 months.	Date of Desertion or Absence,—7th July, 1897.
Height,—5 feet 6½ inches.	Place of Desertion or Absence,—Lucknow.
Colour of—	Marks,—Scar, centre of forehead; shamrock back of left forearm.
Complexion, fresh; hair, fair; eyes, grey.	Not on furlough.
Trade,—Blacksmith.	Under 5 years' service.
Date of Enlistment,—27th February, 1891.	
Place of Enlistment,—Hamilton.	

M. CURZON, *Capt.,*

Comdg. 18th Hussars.

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 9th July, 1897.

No. 1436-C.—P. Anantha Charlu, B.A., Rai Bahadur, Superintendent of Post Offices, officiating in the 2nd grade, is granted privilege leave for 25 days, with effect from the 21st June, 1897, or from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

The following acting appointments are made during his absence on privilege leave, or until further orders:—

Mr. A. Wilson, Superintendent of Post Offices, 3rd grade, to act in the 2nd grade.

Mr. M. R. Muthusawmy Naidu, Superintendent of Post Offices, 4th grade, to act in the 3rd grade.

Mr. J. Home to act as Superintendent of Post Offices, 4th grade.

No. 1443-C.—The following acting appointments are made in consequence of the deputation of Mr. W. T. Vansomerén, Superintendent of Post Offices, 1st grade, with the Tochi Field Force:—

Mr. C. J. Dease, Superintendent of Post Offices, 2nd grade, to act in the 1st grade.

Lala Mul Raj, Superintendent of Post Offices, 3rd grade, to act in the 2nd grade.

Mr. C. J. Stowell, Superintendent of Post Offices, 4th grade, on privilege leave, to act in the 3rd grade.

Mr. E. M. Nicholl to act as Superintendent of Post Offices, 4th grade.

No. 1445-C.—The following officers are deputed for service with the Tochi Field Force in connection with the Postal arrangements:—

Mr. W. T. Vansomerén, Superintendent of Post Offices, 1st grade, to be Superintendent in charge.

Mr. J. P. Oliver, to be Postmaster of the Edwardesabad Base Office.

The 12th July, 1897.

No. 1475-C.—Notification No. 613-C., dated the 28th May, 1897, published in the *Gazette of India* of the 5th June, 1897, Part II, page 689, is cancelled.

No. 1484-C.—Mr. A. Lane Ryan is appointed to act as Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 4th grade, during the absence on deputation of Mr. H. C. Sheridan, or until further orders.

A. U. FANSHAW,

Dir. Genl. of the Post Office of India.

Unclaimed Letters held in the Calcutta General Post Office on the 12th July, 1897.

Baxter, McDonald & Co.	Hannay, H. M., care of John Anderson.	Orr & Co. Patrick, J. Ringer, Brothers & Co.
Boyd Jas. & Son.	Hutchinson & Co.	Selig, Sonnetthal & Co.
Burn Robert, P. Carter & Co.	Indian Fencing Review.	Spicers, J. C., Esq.
Davies, W. H., & Co.	King, Harman & Co.	Ware, C.
Editor, "Daily Indian Standard."	Langlois & Co.	Winter & Durer.
Everett, W. H., & Son.	Manciff, S., Mrs.	
Hab & Son.	Neal and Wilkinson.	
	Newham & Co.	

Letters marked "Care of Post Office."

Abbott, E. R.	Harper, Alex.	Patrick, F. S.
Albrute, C. B.	Harvey, G. P.	Parkins, H.
Andree, R. M.	Harvey, Mrs. D. P.	Radmore, F.
Argo, Mr.	Heinesteir, F.	Rhode, Capt. J. H.
Atkins, F. T.	Hemming, Wm. P.	Robbins, Capt. J. A.
Back, Fanny.	Hirsch, Rosina.	Roche, Mr.
Baxter, Mrs.	Hoyle, Mr.	Rodrick, J. H.
Bitsatsh Solomon.	Jacobson, Bertha.	Roman, Major T. E.
Bloom Annette, Miss.	James, Herbert.	Roussac, J.
Braham, A.	Johnson, Miss.	Schibli, Robert.
Bride, Mrs. C.	Johnson, Mrs. G.	Scolfield, Robert.
Brothers & Co., R.	Jones, Alfred.	Sett, H.
Brownlow, E. O.	Jordan, Mrs. H.	Shuhan, G. M. R.
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- Resolution Reviewing the Reports on the working of the District Boards in Bengal during the year 1895-96. R1 (2a.)
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Report on the working of the Native Passenger Ships Act, 1887, in Bengal, for 1895-96. 41. (1a.)

REVENUE.

Report of the Honorary Committee for the Management of the Zoological Garden for the year 1895-96. 8a. (1a.)

The Board's Rules, 1896. R1-8 (5a.)

The Revenue Officer's Manual, 1896. R1. (41)

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Annual Report of the Dumraon Experimental Farm for 1895-96. 2a. (1a.)

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Report on Wards' and attached Estates in the Lower Provinces for 1895-96. R1-8 (2a.)

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Triennial Report on the Administration of the Registration Department in Bengal for the years 1893-94, 1894-95, and 1895-96. R1-8 (3a.)

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Subsidiary Jail Code. Revised Edition, 1896. R1 (3a.)

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PART III.

Advertisements and Notices by Private Individuals and Corporations.

Abstract Statement of the Uncovenanted Service Family Pension Fund for the Quarter ending 31st October 1896, being the Second Quarter of the year 1896-97, compared with the corresponding quarter of the year 1895-96.

PARTICULARS.	For the quarter ending 31st October 1896.		For the quarter ending 31st October 1895.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	R	a. p.	R	a. p.	R	a. p.	R	a. p.
Balance at credit of the Fund on the Government books at the end of the previous quarter	1,33,02,481	1 2	1,29,64,158	6 3	3,38,322	10 11	.....
ADD RECEIPTS—								
Subscriptions from 1st August to 31st October 1896 in the Widows' Fund	1,34,143	1 3	1,33,399	14 0	743	3 3	.....
Subscriptions from 1st August to 31st October 1896 in the Children's Fund	83,113	0 3	84,382	8 3	.....		1,269	8 0
Entrance fees and stamps	307	3 3	355	6 2	.....		48	2 11
Amount at credit of subscribers under Rule 55 transferred to divisible surplus	285	9 0	3	12 0	281	13 0	.....
TOTAL RECEIPTS	2,17,848	13 9	2,18,141	8 5	1,025	0 3	1,317	10 11
GRAND TOTAL	1,35,20,329	14 11	1,31,82,299	14 8	A 3,39,347	11 2	1,317	10 11
DEDUCT DISBURSEMENTS—								
Pensions payable to incumbents in the Widows' Fund	1,25,430	9 8	1,24,465	1 5	965	8 3	.....
Pensions payable to incumbents in the Children's Fund	81,085	13 9	78,043	10 5	3,042	3 4	.....
Establishment, including house-rent, contingencies and commission to Actuary and Messrs. Coutts & Co.	14,480	0 7	11,480	0 4	3,000	0 3	.....
Loss by exchange on remittances out of India	22,744	13 1	25,331	14 9	.....		2,587	1 8
Commission paid on account of money-orders	619	12 0	595	11 0	24	1 0	.....
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	2,44,361	1 1	2,39,916	5 11	B 7,031	12 10	2,587	1 8
Balance in favour of the Fund	1,32,75,968	13 10	1,29,42,383	8 9	C 3,32,315	14 4	1,269	6 9
GRAND TOTAL	1,35,20,329	14 11	1,31,82,299	14 8	3,39,347	11 2	1,317	10 11
Proportion of divisible surplus payable to qualified members of more than five years' standing	95,561	11 0	92,597	4 0	2,964	7 0	.....

	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.
Number of subscribers	1,494	969	1,491	996	3	...	...	...
Ditto of incumbents	561	780	549	769	12	...	...	...
Ditto of subscribers sharing abatement	1,241	795	1,249	804	...	...	8	...

A.—Net increase in grand total of receipts 3,38,030 0 3
B.—Net increase in total of disbursements 4,444 11 2
C.—Net increase in balance 3,33,585 5 1

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Accountant.

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The 2nd June 1897.

E. W. KELLNER,
Secretary, U. S. F. P. Fund.

PROMISSORY NOTES.**Destroyed by fire.**

The Government Promissory Note, No. 13839 Bom. of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1865, for ₹1,000, originally standing in the name of the Accountant General, Bombay, and last endorsed to Girdhurlal Amrutlal Desai, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for accrued interest and for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor after two years from the date of last advertisement.

Name of the Advertiser—

DESAI GIRDHURLAL AMRUTLAL.

Residence—

Tailor's Street in Chungpore in Ahmedabad.

Stolen.

The Government Promissory Notes, No. 024223, for ₹1,000, Nos. 047591 and 047592, for ₹500 each, all of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1865, and No. 043841, for ₹1,000, of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1842-43, standing in the name of Raj Kristo Chatterji, the proprietor, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person.

Payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and at the Burdwan Treasury, for which they are enfaced, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietor.

ROMA NAUTH BANERJI, for RAJ KRISTO CHATTERJI,
Paper Currency Office, Calcutta, the 1st July, 1897.

UNCOVENANTED SERVICE FAMILY PENSION FUND.

Result of votes on the question submitted in Circular No. 4, dated 27th March, 1897.

Subject.	Yes.	No.
Whether a house shall be purchased for the accommodation of the Fund Office and its Secretary as proposed in the Circular	1,001	71

By order of the Directors,

E. W. KELLNER,

Secretary.

U. S. F. P. FUND OFFICE,

Calcutta, the 9th July, 1897.



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OFFICIAL PAPERS.

A SUPPLEMENT to the GAZETTE OF INDIA will be published from time to time, containing such Official Papers and information as the Government of India may deem to be of interest to the Public, and such as may usefully be made known. The Debates of the Legislative Council of His Excellency the Governor General will in future be published in PART VI of the GAZETTE.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

PRINCIPAL PORTS—

		Week ending 10th July 1897.	1st November 1896 to 10th July 1897.
CALCUTTA	Imports . .	215,890	9,135,196
	Exports . .	103,631	4,367,744
		+ 112,259	+ 4,767,452
RANGOON	Imports . .	5,674	295,941
	Exports . .	743,582	24,910,280
		— 737,908	— 24,614,339
MADRAS	Imports . .	31,700	904,600
	Exports . .	17,800	228,800
		+ 13,900	+ 675,800
BOMBAY	Imports . .	164,000	7,748,300
	Exports . .	45,900	3,994,600
		+ 118,100	+ 3,753,700
KARÁCHI	Imports . .	110,600	887,771
	Exports . .	160,300	2,651,076
		— 49,700	— 1,763,305

PROVINCES AND DISTRICTS—

BENGAL—

Patna Division—

			30th January to 10th July 1897.
PATNA	Imports . .	26,700	767,900
	Exports . .	28,000	664,900
		— 1,300	+ 103,000
GAYA	Imports . .	10,300	152,800
	Exports . .	1,400	93,300
		+ 8,900	+ 59,500
SHAHABAD	Imports . .	9,200	203,100
	Exports . .	10,700	294,000
		— 1,500	— 90,900
SÁRAN	Imports . .	23,800	956,700
	Exports . .	9,600	143,200
		+ 14,200	+ 813,500
CHAMPÁRAN	Imports . .	15,000	422,500
	Exports . .	1,000	33,100
		+ 14,000	+ 389,400
MUZAFFARPUR (incomplete)	Imports . .	21,300	715,984
	Exports . .	2,300	48,442
		+ 19,000	+ 667,542
DARBHANGA (preceding week)	Imports . .	31,800	960,100
	Exports . .	7,800	91,200
		+ 24,000	+ 868,900

Bhágampur Division—

MONGHYR (preceding week)	Imports . .	16,100	182,700
	Exports . .	35,200	910,100
		— 19,100	— 727,400

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE —continued.
(*Indian maunds*).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 10th July 1897.	30th January to 10th July 1897.
BENGAL—contd.			
Bhágálpur Division—contd.			
BHÁGALPUR (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports Exports	10,400 17,900 —7,500	257,770 794,764 —536,994
PURNEA	Imports Exports	6,700 13,600 —6,900	80,989 142,837 —61,848
MALDA	Imports Exports	300 100 +200	300 1,000 —700
SANTHAL PARGANAS (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports Exports	10,200 1,200 +9,000	144,294 391,485 —247,191
Rajshahi Division—			
RAJSHAHI (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports Exports	6,000 1,000 +5,000	340,900 45,798 +295,102
DINAJPUR (")	Imports Exports	200 15,400 —15,200	27,100 392,100 —365,000
JALPAIGURI	Imports Exports	20,700 70 +20,630	247,203 4,088 +243,115
DARJEELING (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports Exports	2,000 100 +1,900	111,400 3,500 +107,900
RANGPUR	Imports Exports	3,600 200 +3,400	33,800 29,700 +4,100
BOGRA	Imports Exports	1,100* 9,400* —8,300	5,400 293,100 —287,700
PABNA (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports Exports	800 100 +700	260,200 21,100 +239,100
Dacca Division—			
DACCA	Imports Exports	200 800 —600	10,500 15,400 —4,900
NARAINGANJ	Imports Exports	... ... ...	25,800* 159,100 —133,300
MAIMENSINGH	Imports Exports	51 1,292 —1,241	75,755 8,711 +67,044
FARIDPUR	Imports Exports	23,700 1,800 +21,900	163,500 112,400 +51,100
BACKERGANJ	Imports Exports	... 5,100 —5,100	1,200 39,400 —38,200

* 26th June to 10th July.



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Nothing for publication.

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Nothing for publication.

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Nothing for publication.

SUPPLEMENT No. 35.

PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 27th August, 1897.

No. 626.—The services of Mr. R. S. Greenshields, of the Indian Civil Service, a Deputy Commissioner in Assam, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the date on which his furlough expires.

No. 629.—The services of Mr. A. Butterworth, of the Indian Civil Service, Madras Establishment, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Madras.

EXAMINATIONS.

The 27th August, 1897.

No. 292.—The following Regulations respecting the examination of candidates for the Civil Service of India, to be held in August 1898, are published for general information:

COPIES OF THESE REGULATIONS MAY BE OBTAINED ON APPLICATION TO THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA IN THE HOME DEPARTMENT.

EXAMINATIONS FOR THE CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA.

An open Competitive Examination for admission to the Civil Service of India will be held in London, under the subjoined Regulations, commencing on the 2nd August, 1898.

The number of persons to be selected at this Examination will be announced hereafter.

No person will be admitted to compete from whom the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, has not received on or before the 31st May, 1898, an application on the prescribed form, accompanied by a list of the subjects in which the Candidate desires to be examined.

The Order for admission to the Examination will be posted on the 19th July, 1898, to the address given on the Form of Application. It will contain instructions as to the time and place at which candidates will be required to attend, and as to the manner in which the fee (£6) is to be paid.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

July, 1897.

REGULATIONS.

* * * The following Regulations, made by the Secretary of State for India in Council, are liable to alteration from year to year.

1. An Examination for admission to the Civil Service of India, open to all qualified persons, will be held in London in August of each year. The date of the Examination and the number of appointments to be made for each Province will be announced beforehand by the Civil Service Commissioners.

2. No person will be deemed qualified who shall not satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners :

(i) That he is a natural-born subject of Her Majesty.

(ii) That he had attained the age of twenty-one, and had not attained the age of twenty-three, on the first day of the year in which the Examination is held.

[N.B.—In the case of Natives of India it will be necessary for a Candidate to obtain a certificate of age and nationality signed, should he be a resident in British India, by the Secretary to Government of the Province, or the Commissioner of the Division within which his family resides, or should he reside in a Native State, by the highest Political Officer accredited to the State in which his family resides.]

(iii) That he has no disease, constitutional affection, or bodily infirmity unfitting him, or likely to unfit him, for the Civil Service of India.

(iv) That he is of good moral character.

3. Should the evidence upon the above points be *prima facie* satisfactory to the Civil Service Commissioners, the Candidate, on payment of the prescribed fee, will be admitted to the Examination. The Commissioners may, however, in their discretion at any time prior to the grant of the Certificate of Qualification hereinafter referred to, institute such further inquiries as they may deem necessary; and if the result of such inquiries, in the case of any Candidate, should be unsatisfactory to them in any of the above respects, he will be ineligible for admission to the Civil Service in India, and, if already selected, will be removed from the position of a Probationer.

4. The open Competitive Examination will take place only in the following branches of knowledge :

	Marks.
English Composition	500
Sanskrit Language and Literature	500
Arabic ditto ditto	500
Greek ditto ditto	750
Latin ditto ditto	750
English ditto ditto (including special period named by the Commissioners) (a)	500
French Language and Literature	500
German ditto ditto	500
Mathematics (pure and applied)	900
Advanced Mathematical subjects (pure and applied)	900
Natural Science, i.e., any number not exceeding three of the following subjects :	
Elementary Chemistry and Elementary Physics	600
(N.B.—This subject may not be taken by those who offer either Higher Chemistry or Higher Physics.)	
Higher Chemistry	600
Higher Physics	600
Geology	600
Botany	600
Zoology	600
Animal Physiology	600
Greek History (Ancient, including Constitution)	400
Roman History (Ancient, including Constitution)	400
English History	500

(a) A Syllabus, defining the character of the Examination in the various subjects, may be obtained on application to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission.

	Marks.
General Modern History (one of the periods specified in the syllabus issued by the Commissioners) (a)	500
Logic and Mental Philosophy (Ancient and Modern)	400
Moral Philosophy (Ancient and Modern)	400
Political Economy and Economic History	500
Political Science (including Analytical Jurisprudence, the Early History of Institutions, and Theory of Legislation)	500
Roman Law	500
English Law. Under the head of "English Law" shall be included the following subjects, <i>vis.</i> : (1) Law of Contract ; (2) Law of Evidence ; (3) Law of the Constitution ; (4) Criminal Law ; (5) Law of Real Property ; and of these five subjects Candidates shall be at liberty to offer any four, but not more than four	500

Candidates are at liberty to name any or all of these branches of knowledge (a). None is obligatory.

5. The merit of the persons examined will be estimated by marks ; and the number set opposite to each branch in the preceding regulation denotes the greatest number of marks that can be obtained in respect of it.

6. The marks assigned to Candidates in each branch will be subject to such deduction as the Civil Service Commissioners may deem necessary (b) in order to secure that no credit be allowed for merely superficial knowledge.

7. The Examination will be conducted on paper and *viva voce*, as may be deemed necessary.

8. The marks obtained by each Candidate, in respect of each of the branches in which he shall have been examined, will be added up, and the names of the several Candidates who shall have obtained, after the deduction above-mentioned, a greater aggregate number of marks than any of the remaining Candidates, will be set forth in order of merit, and such Candidates shall be deemed to be selected Candidates for the Civil Service of India, provided they appear to be in other respects duly qualified. Should any of the selected Candidates become disqualified, the Secretary of State for India will determine whether the vacancy thus created shall be filled up or not. In the former case, the Candidate next in order of merit, and in other respects duly qualified, shall be deemed to be a selected Candidate. A Candidate entitled to be deemed a selected Candidate, but declining to accept the nomination as such, which may be offered to him, will be disqualified for any subsequent competition.

9. Selected Candidates before proceeding to India will be on probation for one year, at the end of which time they will be examined, with a view of testing their progress in the following subjects (c) :

Compulsory—

	Marks.
1. Indian Penal Code and Criminal Procedure Code	500
2. The principal Vernacular Language of the Province to which the Candidate is assigned	400
3. The Indian Evidence Act and the Indian Contract Act	500

Optional.—[Not more than two of the following subjects, of which one must be either the Code of Civil Procedure or Hindu and Muhammadan Law.] Candidates offering one subject only are restricted to a choice between the two Law subjects specified.

1. The Code of Civil Procedure	400
2. Hindu and Muhammadan Law	450
*3. Sanskrit	400
*4. Arabic	400
5. Persian	400
6. History of British India	350
7. Chinese (for Candidates assigned to the Province of Burma only)	400

* These subjects may not be offered by any Candidate who has offered them at the open competition.

(a) A Syllabus, defining the character of the Examination in the various subjects, may be obtained on application to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission.

(b) No deduction will be made from the marks assigned to Candidates in Mathematics or English Composition.

(c) Instructions, showing the extent of the Examination, will be issued to the successful Candidates as soon as possible after the result of the Open Competition is declared.

In this Examination, as in the open competition, the merit of the Candidates examined will be estimated by marks (which will be subject to deductions in the same way as the marks assigned at the open competition), and the number set opposite to each subject denotes the greatest number of marks that can be obtained in respect of it. The Examination will be conducted on paper and *viva voce*, as may be deemed necessary. This Examination will be held at the close of the year of probation, and will be called the "*Final Examination*."

10. The selected Candidates will also be tested during their probation as to their proficiency in Riding.

The examinations in riding will be held as follows :

- (1) Shortly after the result of the Open Competitive Examination has been declared, or at such time or times as the Commissioners may appoint during the course of the probationary year.
- (2) Again, at the time of the Final Examination, Candidates, who may fully satisfy the Commissioners of their ability to ride well and to perform journeys on horseback, shall receive a Certificate which shall entitle them to be credited with 200 or 100 marks, according to the degree of proficiency displayed, to be added to their marks in the Final Examination.
- (3) Candidates, who fail to obtain this Certificate, but who gain a Certificate of minimum proficiency in riding, will be allowed to proceed to India, but will be subjected on their arrival to such further tests in riding as may be prescribed by their Government, and shall receive no increase to their initial salary until they have passed such tests to the satisfaction of that Government. A Candidate, who fails at the end of the year of probation to gain at least the Certificate of minimum proficiency in riding, will be liable to have his name removed from the list of Selected Candidates.

11. The selected Candidates who, at the Final Examination, shall be found to have a competent knowledge of the subjects specified in Regulation 9, and who shall have satisfied the Civil Service Commissioners of their eligibility in respect of nationality, age, health, character, and ability to ride, shall be certified by the said Commissioners to be entitled to be appointed to the Civil Service of India, provided they shall comply with the regulations in force, at the time, for that Service.

12. Persons desirous to be admitted as Candidates must apply on Forms, which may be obtained from "The Secretary, Civil Service Commission, London, S.W.," at any time after the 1st December, in the year previous to that in which the Examination is to be held. The Forms must be returned so as to be received at the office of the Civil Service Commissioners on or before the 31st May (or, if that date should fall upon a Sunday or public holiday, then, on or before the first day thereafter on which their office is open), in the year in which the Examination is to be held.

The Civil Service Commissioners are authorized by the Secretary of State for India in Council to make the following announcements :

(i) *Selected Candidates will be allotted to the various provinces upon a consideration of all the circumstances, including their own wishes; but the requirements of the Public Service will rank before every other consideration.*

(ii) *An allowance amounting to £ 100 will be given to all Candidates who pass their probation at one of the Universities or Colleges which have been approved by the Secretary of State, viz., the Universities of Oxford, Cambridge, Dublin, Glasgow, Edinburgh, St. Andrews, and Aberdeen; Victoria University, Manchester; University College, London; and King's College, London; provided such Candidates shall have passed the Final Examination to the satisfaction of the Civil Service Commissioners, and shall have conducted themselves well and complied with such rules as may be laid down for the guidance of Selected Candidates. The whole probation must ordinarily be passed at the same Institution. Migration will not be permitted, except for special reasons approved by the Secretary of State.*

(iii) *The allowance of £ 100 will not be paid to any Selected Candidate until he has been certified by the Civil Service Commissioners to be entitled to be appointed to the Civil Service of India; and every Certificated Candidate must, before receiving his allowance, give a written undertaking to refund the amount in the event of his failing to proceed to India.*

(iv) *All Candidates obtaining Certificates will be also required to enter into covenants, by which, amongst other things, they will bind themselves to make such payments as under the rules and regulations for the time being in force, they may be required to make towards their own pensions or for the pensions of their families. The stamps payable on these covenants amount to £ 1.*

(v) *The seniority in the Civil Service of India of the Selected Candidates will be determined according to the order in which they stand on the list resulting from the combined marks of the Open Competitive and Final Examinations.*

(vi) *Selected Candidates will be required to report their arrival in India within such period after the grant of their Certificate of Qualification as the Secretary of State may in each case direct.*

(vii) *Candidates rejected at the Final Examination held in any year will in no case be allowed to present themselves for re-examination.*

CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA.

OPEN COMPETITION OF 1898.

FORM TO BE FILLED UP BY CANDIDATES FOR EXAMINATION.

* * *The order for admission to the Examination will not be issued unless this Form, filled up by the Candidate himself, is received by the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission on or before the 31st May, 1898.*

Date_____

SIR,

I beg to inform you that I wish to be a Candidate at the Examination for the Civil Service of India, which is appointed to commence in London on the 2nd of August, 1898.

I hereby declare that I was born on the _____ day of 18____, and that therefore I had attained the age of 21 years and had not attained the age of 23 years on the 1st of January, 1898; I also declare that I have no disease, constitutional affection, or bodily infirmity unfitting me, or likely to unfit me, for the Civil Service of India; and that I am of good moral character, and otherwise eligible under the Regulations.

This should be given on the form attached.

I send herewith a statement of the subjects in which I desire to be examined.

Candidates who are not Natives of India should strike out this paragraph.

I also send herewith a certificate of my Birth issued under Notification of the Government of India, No. 2252, dated 21st August, 1888.

Candidates not born within the British Dominions should state this fact in a separate letter.

I have also to state, with reference to section 2, clause (i) of the Regulations, that I am a natural-born subject of Her Majesty.

* If you have never been examined, insert here the word "never."

† If you have been examined, give the date, etc., of the last occasion.

I beg further to add that I have*_____ been examined under the directions of the Civil Service Commissioners in the year 18____,† as a Candidate for the situation of_____

I am,

SIR,

Your obedient Servant,

Name in full_____

Address to which it is desired that the Order for Examination should_____


‡ If a London address, state postal district; if a country, state the post town.

Date_____

To the Secretary,

Civil Service Commission.

No Certificates of age, health, and character, except as mentioned above, should be supplied until the result of the Examination is known.

 *If Candidates, who fill up and return this Application Form do not receive an acknowledgment of it within four complete days, they should write to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, London, S.W.*

N.B.—Attention is drawn to the annexed Form, which must be filled up by every Candidate.

EVIDENCE OF AGE TO BE REQUIRED FROM CANDIDATES FOR THE CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA.

I. Every Candidate born in the United Kingdom should be prepared to produce, when required, a Certificate from the Registrar-General of Births, Marriages, and Deaths, or from one of his provincial Officers. This Certificate may be obtained from the Registrar-General in London, Dublin or Edinburgh, or from the Superintendent Registrar of the District in which the birth took place.

II. A Candidate born of European parents in India should be prepared to produce, when required, a Certificate of Baptism from the district in which he was baptised. If this does not also mention the date of birth, it should be accompanied by a statutory declaration by one of the Candidate's parents, stating the date and place of birth. When such Certificates are not in the possession of the Candidates an Extract from the Registers kept at the India Office will probably be obtainable.

III. A Candidate who is a Native of India must, *before he can be admitted to the Competition*, have his age and nationality certified by the Government of India, or of the Presidency or Province in which he may have resided.

[No Certificates, except those issued under Notification of the Government of India, No. 2252, dated 21st August, 1888, will be accepted for this Competition.]

Except as noted in paragraphs II and III, every Candidate who proves to be successful is expected to produce a Certificate of *Birth*. The Civil Service Commissioners will not in ordinary cases accept a Certificate of Baptism, or other testimony, unless they are first satisfied that a Certificate of Birth cannot be procured.

Official Certificates of Birth may generally be obtained as follows :

- (a) *For persons born in England or Wales since 30th June, 1837.*—From the Registrar-General, Somerset House, London ; or from the Superintendent Registrar of the District in which the birth took place.
- (b) *For persons born in Scotland since 31st December, 1854.*—From the General Register Office, Edinburgh ; or from the Registrar of the parish or district in which the birth took place.
- (c) *For persons born in Ireland since 31st December, 1863.*—From the General Register Office, Dublin ; or from the Superintendent Registrar of the District in which the birth took place.
- (d) *For persons of English, Scottish, or Irish parentage born on board British ships since the dates mentioned in (a), (b), and (c) respectively.*—From the General Register Office, London, Edinburgh, or Dublin, according to parentage.
- (e) *For persons born in India of European parents.*—From the India Office, London.

Any Candidate who cannot produce a Certificate of Birth from one of the authorities named should, if possible, procure a Certificate of Baptism, and should then apply to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, for further instructions.

CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA.

OPEN COMPETITION OF 1898.

SELECTION OF SUBJECTS TO BE FILLED UP AND RETURNED WITH THE FORM OF APPLICATION.

* Place your Initials against the subjects which you select, and sign your name in the place indicated on the next page.

INITIALS.	
.....	English Composition.
.....	Sanskrit Language and Literature.
.....	Arabic Language and Literature.
.....	Greek Language and Literature.
.....	Latin Language and Literature.
.....	English Language and Literature.
.....	† French Language and Literature.
.....	† German Language and Literature.
.....	Mathematics (pure and applied).
.....	Advanced Mathematical Subjects (pure and applied).
.....	Natural Science, viz. :
.....	‡ Elementary Chemistry and Elementary Physics.
	(N.B.—This subject may not be taken up by those who offer either Higher Chemistry or Higher Physics.)
.....	‡ Higher Chemistry.
.....	‡ Higher Physics.
.....	‡ Geology.
.....	‡ Botany.
.....	‡ Zoology.
.....	‡ Animal Physiology.
.....	Greek History.
.....	Roman History.
.....	English History.
.....	General Modern History.
	Period.....
.....	Logic and Mental Philosophy.
.....	Moral Philosophy.
.....	Political Economy and Economic History.
.....	Political Science.
.....	Roman Law.
.....	English Law.

In addition to the Written Examination there will be an Oral Examination in each of the subjects marked thus †, and a Practical Examination in each of the subjects marked thus ‡.

The Oral Examinations in Modern Languages being intended as colloquial tests, no marks will be given at them to Candidates who are not able to converse.

Any Candidate, who wishes to decline the Oral Examination or the Practical Examination in any of the subjects selected by him, should state this in the blank space below—

Signature_____

Date_____

To the Secretary,
Civil Service Commission,
London, S. W.

MEDICAL.

The 27th August, 1897.

No. 986.—The services of Surgeon-Captain J. L. T. Jones, M.B., I.M.S. (Bombay), are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Bombay, with effect from the 12th January 1897.

No. 988.—The services of Surgeon-Lieutenant A. Gwyther, M.B., C.M., I.M.S. (Bengal), are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the 28th July 1897.

SANITARY.

The 26th August, 1897.

No. 2039.—It is notified for general information that the port of Karachi has been declared healthy within the meaning of Chapter 2, Section 2, of the Venice Sanitary Convention of 1897.

The 27th August, 1897.

No. 2048.—The following Notification regarding quarantine and trade restrictions imposed in Italy in consequence of the existence of bubonic plague in India is published for general information :

*Notification by the Board of Trade.**London, August 3, 1897.*

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Representative at Rome, enclosing the following Quarantine Notice, *vis.* :—

(Translation.)

Marine Sanitary Ordinance No. 6.

Taking into consideration, etc., it is decreed :—

Decree.

Article 1. Raw dried hides are no longer to be included among goods whose importation from places infected with the bubonic plague is prohibited, and they may be freely introduced into the Kingdom.

Article 2. Sentence (c), of Article 4,* of the Marine Sanitary Ordinance No. 3, of May 8th, 1897, and Article 2* of the similar Ordinance of the same date, No. 4, are modified in this sense.

The prefects and the port captains and officials will see to the carrying out of the present Ordinance.

Rome, July 15, 1897.

* Published in the *Gazette of India* under Home Department Notification No. 1750, dated the 25th June 1897.

POLICE.

The 28th August, 1897.

No. 490.—In continuation of the Notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 39, dated the 24th January 1896, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that in the Notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 4, dated the 6th January 1891, after the words "the Western Rajputana State Railway" the words "the Palanpur-Decsa Railway" shall be added.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 21st August, 1897.

No. 326.—The services of the Reverend L. Klugh, Chaplain of Meerut, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Military Department for employment with the Malakand Field Force.

J. P. HEWETT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 26th August, 1897.

No. 3251-I. A.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6, 8 and 9, respectively, of the Indian Christian Marriage Act, 1872 (XV of 1872 as modified by Act II of 1891), the Governor-General in Council is pleased :

- (a) to grant a license to Mr. J. H. Aston, a Missionary belonging to the Brethren, to solemnize marriages within the territories of Mysore including the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore ;
- (b) to appoint the said Mr. J. H. Aston to be a marriage Registrar within the said territories ; and
- (c) to grant a license to the said Mr. J. H. Aston authorising him to grant certificates of marriage between Native Christians within the said territories.

No. 3244-I. B.—Whereas His Highness the Nizam of Hyderabad has ceded to the British Government* full civil and criminal jurisdiction within the lands lying within his State which are, or may hereafter be, occupied by the Barsi Light Railway (including the lands occupied by stations, by out-buildings and for other railway purposes) ;

In exercise of such jurisdiction and of the powers conferred by sections 4 and 5 of the Foreign Jurisdiction and Extradition Act, 1879 (XXI of 1879), and of all other powers enabling him in this behalf, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to provide as follows for the administration of justice within the said lands :

1. All laws for the time being in force in the Sholapur District of the Presidency of Bombay shall be in force in the said lands.

2. The Governor of Bombay in Council and all Officers subordinate to the Government of Bombay for the time being exercising executive authority (other than in connection with the administration of the Police) in the Sholapur District shall exercise the like authority within the said lands.

3. All Criminal Courts having for the time being jurisdiction within the Sholapur District and all Civil Courts having for the time being jurisdiction within the Sholapur-Bijapur District shall have the like jurisdiction, respectively, within the said lands.

4. The administration of the Police within the said lands shall be vested in the Superintendent of the Great Indian Peninsula Railway Police, who shall exercise within the said lands the same police powers as he may for the time being exercise on the portion of the Great Indian Peninsula Railway which lies within the Sholapur District, in subordination to the authorities to whom he may be for the time being subordinate when exercising those powers on that portion of that railway.

5. The said lands shall be deemed to be included for the purposes of clauses 2 and 3, respectively, of this Notification within such taluka or other subdivision of the Sholapur and Sholapur-Bijapur Districts as the Governor of Bombay in Council shall from time to time, by Notification in the Bombay Government Gazette, direct.

No. 3248-I. B.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 21 of the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), as applied to the Hyderabad Assigned Districts, the Governor-General is pleased to direct that the following shall be substituted for clause (2) of the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 1877-I., dated the 1st June 1894, namely :

“(2) All members and ex-members of the Legislative Councils of the Governor-General, the Governors of Madras and Bombay, and the Lieutenant-Governors of Bengal, the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, the Punjab, and Burma.”

No. 3260-I. B.—*Erratum.*—In paragraph 2 of the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 564-I. B., dated the 12th February, 1897, placing the

Local Corps in Central India and Rajputana under the orders of the Commander-in-Chief in India—

For "Sukia" read "Sukhta."

Notification No. 3118-I. B., dated the 19th August, 1897, is cancelled.

No. 3264-I. A.—Whereas the Governor-General in Council has certain jurisdiction within the Satara Jagirs, otherwise known as the States of Akalkot, Aundh, Bhor, Jath (including the estate of Daphlapur), and Phaltan :

In exercise of this jurisdiction and of the powers conferred by sections 4 and 5 of the Foreign Jurisdiction and Extradition Act, 1879 (XXI of 1879), and of all other powers enabling him in this behalf, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to issue the following orders with respect to such jurisdiction :

PART I.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE.

For the purpose of the exercise in respect of the said jagirs of such jurisdiction as aforesaid in criminal cases :

- (1) The Political Agent for the time being for each of the aforesaid States shall exercise in respect of such State the powers of a Court of Session as described in the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1882, in every case wherein the offence or one of the offences charged is punishable under any of the provisions of Chapter VI, or Chapter VII, or under section 302, or section 303, or section 305, or under the final paragraph of section 307, of the Indian Penal Code, and shall, in the exercise of such powers, follow the procedure laid down by the said Code for the trial of cases by Courts of Session, with the following modifications, namely :
 - (a) The trial of any such case may, (i) subject to the orders of the Governor of Bombay in Council, be held in such place as the Political Agent may in his discretion fix for the purpose, and may (ii) with the sanction of the Governor of Bombay in Council, be conducted without jury or the aid of assessors.
 - (b) Every sentence of death or transportation for life passed by the Political Agent in any such case shall be referred for confirmation to the Governor of Bombay in Council, who may either confirm the sentence, or pass any other sentence warranted by law, or may annul the conviction and order a new trial on the same or an amended charge, or may acquit the accused person.
- (2) Nothing in this Part of these orders shall apply to—
 - (a) any proceedings against European British subjects or persons jointly charged with European British subjects ; or
 - (b) any proceedings pending at the date of this Notification, which should be carried on as if this Notification had not been issued.

PART II.

CIVIL JUSTICE.

For the purpose of the exercise within the said jagirs of such jurisdiction as aforesaid in civil cases :

The Political Agent for the time being of each of the aforesaid States shall henceforth cease to exercise civil jurisdiction therein : provided that nothing in this Notification shall affect any appeal or proceeding instituted before the date thereof.

PART III.

The Notifications of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 83-J., dated the 4th June, 1875, Nos. 3490-I. and 3491-I., dated the 15th October, 1885, No. 394-I., dated the 28th January, 1888 (in so far as the same is still in force), and No. 2384-I., dated the 5th June, 1891, are hereby cancelled, but without prejudice to anything done or commenced thereunder.

No. 3265-I. A.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 6 of the Foreign Jurisdiction and Extradition Act, 1879 (XXI of 1879), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that in the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 393-A. I., dated the 28th January, 1888, for the word "Bijapur" the word "Kolhapur" shall be substituted.

No. 1307-G.—The following substantive promotions and appointment are made in and to the graded list of the Political Department, with effect from the 4th August, 1897, consequent on the death of Major I. MacIvor, C.I.E., Indian Staff Corps, a Political Agent of the 2nd Class,—

Captain P. J. Melvill, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Agent of the 3rd Class, to be a Political Agent of the 2nd Class.

Mr. E. H. S. Clarke, a Political Assistant of the 1st Class, to be a Political Agent of the 3rd Class.

Captain W. M. Cubitt, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, to be a Political Assistant of the 1st Class.

Captain H. L. Showers, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 3rd Class, to be a Political Assistant of the 2nd Class.

Lieutenant C. J. Windham, Indian Staff Corps, to be a Political Assistant of the 3rd Class.

These arrangements are made without prejudice to superior acting appointments held by any of the above-mentioned officers on the dates specified.

The 27th August, 1897.

No. 1311-G.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Chevalier O. Ghilardi to hold charge of the Italian Consulate-General at Calcutta during the absence of Commander J. Gallian.

The 28th August, 1897.

No. 3287-I. B.—Whereas His Highness the Dewan of Palanpur has ceded to the British Government full jurisdiction within those lands within his State which are, or may hereafter be, occupied by the Palanpur-Deesa Railway (including the lands occupied by stations, by out-buildings and for other railway purposes);

In exercise of this jurisdiction and of the powers conferred by sections 4 and 5 of the Foreign Jurisdiction and Extradition Act, 1879 (XXI of 1879), and of all other powers enabling him in this behalf, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to provide as follows for the administration of justice within the aforesaid lands:

- (1) All laws for the time being in force in the lands occupied by the Western Rajputana State Railway within the Palanpur State shall be in force in the said lands.
- (2) All Courts having for the time being jurisdiction in the lands occupied by the Western Rajputana State Railway within the Palanpur State shall exercise the like jurisdiction within the said lands.

No. 3289-I. B.—Whereas the Governor-General in Council has full jurisdiction within the lands which are, or may hereafter be, occupied by the Palanpur-Deesa Railway (including the lands occupied by stations, by out-buildings and for all other railway purposes) and which lie within the Palanpur State;

In exercise of this jurisdiction and of the powers conferred by sections 4 and 5 of the Foreign Jurisdiction and Extradition Act, 1879 (XXI of 1879), and of all other powers enabling him in this behalf, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following addition shall be made to the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 3573-I., dated the 29th October, 1895, namely:

In the schedule, after the entries referring to the Indian Midland Railway the following entry shall be added:

- (7) Palanpur-Deesa Railway . . . | Palanpur.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

ESTIMATES AND ACCOUNTS.

Simla, the 25th August, 1897.

No. 3799-A.—Monthly Preliminary Statement of Receipts and Payments at Civil Treasuries in India.

July 1897.

(Lakhs of Rupee)

	IN JULY.		TO END OF JULY.		WHOLE YEAR.	
	1897-98.	1896-97.	1897-98.	1896-97.	Budget, 1897-98.	Actuals, Preliminary, 1896-97.
[For the explanation of these heads, see <i>Gazette of India</i> , dated 22nd December 1883, Part I, page 497.]						
Civil Revenue.						
Land Revenue (including Land Revenue due to Irrigation)	1,26	1,31	6,75	7,30	26,59	24,8
Opium	52	50	1,87	2,19	5,82	6,4
Salt	59	58	2,00	3,10	8,73	8,4
Stamps	46	48	1,60	1,70	4,84	4,7
Excise	45	47	1,79	1,92	5,67	5,6
Provincial Rates	23	19	1,17	1,23	3,62	3,5
Customs	31	35	1,30	1,44	4,49	4,4
Assessed Taxes	16	19	46	51	1,72	1,7
Forest (Madras and Bombay only)	4	5	12	13	57	5
Registration	5	5	18	17	44	4
Tributes from Native States	2	2	14	17	90	8
Other Civil Revenue	29	31	1,10	1,12	3,84	3,6
TOTAL CIVIL REVENUE DIRECTLY BROUGHT TO ACCOUNT : GROSS	4,38	4,59	19,56	20,98	67,23	65,3
Civil Expenditure.						
Interest on Ordinary Debt and that on Railways and Irrigation Works	— 49	— 44	— 1,28	— 1,23	— 3,79	— 3,7
Opium	— 4	— 3	— 1,42	— 1,45	— 2,65	— 2,4
Famine Relief	— 38	—	— 1,29	— 3	— 1,49	— 6
Other Civil Expenditure	— 2,15	— 2,17	— 8,27	— 8,09	— 26,77	— 25,8
TOTAL CIVIL EXPENDITURE DIRECTLY BROUGHT TO ACCOUNT : GROSS	— 3,06	— 2,64	— 12,26	— 10,80	— 34,70	— 32,6
Receipts into Civil Treasuries from, and issues from those Treasuries to, the following Non-Civil Departments :						
[The figures comprise Revenue, Expenditure, and Debt and Remittance Transactions.]						
Post Office (Net : + Receipts more, — Receipts less, than Issues)	... 1	+ 22	+ 6	+ 92	+ 56	+ 50
Forest, Marine (Net as above)	+ 1	+ 3	— 3	— 3	+ 31	+ 25
Guaranteed and Subsidized Railways (Net as above)	+ 21	+ 14	+ 1,09	+ 1,28	+ 2,94	+ 2,91
Repayment of Surplus Profits, etc.	...	...	...	...	— 16	— 45
Military Receipts	+ 3	+ 11	+ 15	+ 25	+ 71	+ 84
Issues	— 1,40	— 1,38	— 5,32	— 5,33	— 16,41	— 16,91
Telegraph Receipts	+ 6	+ 5	+ 23	+ 22	— 1	+ 76
Issues	— 5	— 6	— 20	— 23	— 1	— 71
Public Works Department—						
State Railways—Receipts	+ 97	+ 91	+ 4,47	+ 4,10		+ 13,12
Issues	— 80	— 90	— 3,70	— 3,53		— 11,67
East Indian Railway—Receipts	+ 38	+ 33	+ 1,81	+ 1,54		+ 5,03
Issues	— 18	— 13	— 81	— 59	— 2,68	— 2,15
Ordinary Branches—Receipts	+ 40	+ 31	+ 1,04	+ 81		+ 2,83
Issues	— 1,10	— 59	— 4,36	— 2,27		— 8,92
TOTAL NON-CIVIL DEPARTMENTS	— 1,47	— 96	— 5,57	— 2,86	— 14,74	— 14,48
Civil Debt and Remittance Transactions.						
Permanent Debt and Special Loans (Net : + Receipts more, — Receipts less, than Payments)	— 3	+ 2,75	— 12	+ 2,71	+ 3,42	+ 5,33
Mint Certificates and Bullion Advances (Net as above)	...	...	— 3	— 3	...	— 12
Exchange on Remittance Accounts	— 57	— 1,04	— 2,18	— 4,81	— 8,62	— 9,44
Council Bills paid (including Telegraphic) at Rs. 10 per £	— 92	— 1,25	— 3,45	— 5,46	— 13,00	— 14,97
Other Debt Heads (Net as above)	— 29	— 35	— 60	— 59	+ 27	— 1,63
TOTAL DEBT AND REMITTANCE TRANSACTIONS	— 1,81	+ 11	— 6,38	— 8,18	— 17,93	— 20,83
GRAND TOTAL RECEIPTS AND ISSUES	— 1,96	+ 1,10	— 4,65	— 86	— 14	— 2,63
Opening Cash Balance in Treasuries and Presidency Banks	11,18	14,54	13,87	16,50	13,46	16,50
Closing Cash Balance in Treasuries and Presidency Banks	9,22	15,64	9,22	15,64	13,32	13,87

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

The 23rd August, 1897.

No. 3760-Gl.—Notification in this Department No. 2413-Gl, dated the 31st May 1897, sanctioning the grant of privilege leave to Mr. A. H. Clarke, Chief Superintendent in the Office of the Comptroller, Assam, and appointing Mr. J. A. Prazer to act as Chief Superintendent, is hereby cancelled.

The 24th August, 1897.

No. 3770-Gl.—The following reversions of officers of the Account Department during the month of July 1897 are notified :

With effect from the 17th July 1897,—

Mr. A. H. Anthony to officiate in Class III instead of in Class II,
Mr. L. E. Pritchard to officiate in Class IV instead of in Class III,
Mr. F. D. Gordon to officiate in Class V instead of in Class IV, and
Mr. W. D. Woollam to officiate in Class VI instead of in Class V, of the Enrolled List.

With effect from the 18th July 1897,—

Mr. H. Oung to officiate in Class III instead of in Class II,
Mr. M. N. Bhattacharya to revert to Class IV,
Mr. W. J. F. Williamson to officiate in Class V instead of in Class IV, and
Mr. M. K. Ghatak to officiate in Class VI instead of in Class V, of the Enrolled List.

With effect from the 28th July 1897,—

Mr. R. N. Ray to revert to Class II, and
Mr. R. C. Chapman to revert to Class III, of the Enrolled List.

The 25th August, 1897.

No. 3777-Gl.—Mr. C. W. C. Carson, Probationer in the Office of the Comptroller, Hyderabad, is granted privilege leave for one month and nineteen days, with effect from the 15th September 1897.

Mr. A. Srinivasa Row, Superintendent in the Office of the Comptroller, Hyderabad, is appointed to act as a Supernumerary Chief Superintendent in that office, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. Carson, or until further orders.

No. 3782-Gl.—Mr. W. D. Woollam, Probationer in the Office of the Accountant General, Bengal, is granted privilege leave for one month and three days, with effect from the 27th August 1897.

STATISTICS & COMMERCE.

COMMERCE & TRADE.

*Lights and Light-Dues.**The 23rd August, 1897.*

No. 3750-S. R.—In accordance with the provisions of section 16 of Act IX of 1879 (an Act to amend the law relating to coast-lights in the eastern part of the Bay of Bengal), the Governor General in Council has directed the publication of the following statement of receipts and expenditure on account of the Burma Coast-lights, during the year ending the 31st March 1897.

Receipts.			Expenditure.		
	Rs.	A. P.		Rs.	A. P.
Gross Receipts	2,73,235	12 0	1. Alguada Reef	14,316	0 0
Refunds	2,063	5 6	2. Double Island	4,984	0 0
			3. China Buckeer	5,835	0 0
			4. Eastern Grove	4,603	0 0
			5. Reef Island	2,419	0 0
			6. Savage Island	6,825	0 0
			7. Table Island (Cocos) . .	9,090	0 0
			8. Oyster Island	14,103	0 0
			9. F. L. V. <i>Kemendine</i> . . .	28,542	0 0
			10. F. L. V. <i>Martaban</i> . . .	4,277	0 0
			11. F. L. V. <i>Danidaw</i> . . .	11,556	0 0
			12. Relief establishment . .	7,574	0 0
			13. Allowance to Inspector, Medical Officer, and Civil Engineer.	1,531	0 0
NET RECEIPTS	2,71,172	6 6	TOTAL EXPENDITURE . . .	1,15,055	0 0

Note.—The sums stated above are exclusive of interest at 4 per cent. on the capital cost of light-houses and light-vessels, namely :

Total expenditure to end of 1896-97	Rs. 34,59,146
Interest at 4 per cent. on the said expenditure	1,38,365

J. F. FINLAY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.*Simla, the 27th August 1897.***APPOINTMENTS.****ARMY STAFF.**

No. 947.—Brevet Colonel F. C. Burton, 2nd Regiment of Bengal Lancers, officiating Assistant Adjutant-General, Rawal Pindi District, to be an Assistant Adjutant-General on the Establishment, *vice* Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel E. G. Barrow, confirmed in the appointment of Deputy Secretary in the Military Department of the Government of India. Dated 11th August 1897.

No. 948.—Captain A. E. Hatch, 29th Regiment of Bombay Infantry, to be Inspector of Army Signalling, Madras and Bombay Commands, *vice* Captain J. R. K. Birch, whose tenure has expired. Dated 16th August 1897.

COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

No. 949.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 921 of 1897, the undermentioned appointments are made, with effect from the dates on which the officers named assume their duties:

Captain W. H. Armstrong, 1st Battalion, East Yorkshire Regiment, to be Brigade Transport Officer, 2nd Reserve Brigade.

Captain H. W. C. Colquhoun, Indian Staff Corps, 24th Regiment of Madras Infantry, to be Brigade Transport Officer, 3rd Reserve Brigade.

No. 950.—Lieutenant C. A. E. O'Meara, Indian Staff Corps, 2nd (The Queen's Own) Regiment of Bengal (Light) Infantry, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd class, on probation, with effect from the 14th June 1897.

[Joined his appointment on the 1st August 1897.]

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 951.—Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel G. W. R. Hay, M.D., Indian Medical Service, Bombay Establishment, is granted the temporary rank of Surgeon-Colonel, with effect from 15th July 1897, whilst officiating as Principal Medical Officer, Bombay and Aden Districts, *vice* Surgeon-Colonel D. E. Hughes, M.D., on leave.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 952.—Lieutenant Archibald Campbell Hobson, The King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment), officiating wing officer, 6th Regiment of Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, having completed eighteen months' probationary service, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 25th November 1895, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

No. 953.—Lieutenant John Charles Pulleine Craster, Northumberland Fusiliers, officiating wing officer, 40th (Pathan) Regiment of Bengal Infantry, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 19th December 1895, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

No. 954.—The undermentioned officers are admitted to the Indian Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India:

Lieutenant Charles Alexander Robert Hutchinson, Royal Irish Regiment, officiating wing officer, 3rd Regiment of Sikh Infantry,—7th April 1896.

Lieutenant Walter John William Brackenbury, Suffolk Regiment, officiating wing officer, 9th Regiment of Bombay Infantry,—21st July 1896.

Lieutenant Robert John Cuming, Suffolk Regiment, officiating wing officer, 16th Regiment of Madras Infantry,—2nd August 1897.

Lieutenant Kenrick Horace Lloyd, Lancashire Fusiliers, officiating wing officer, 24th Regiment of Madras Infantry,—4th August 1897.

Lieutenant George Knowles, Derbyshire Regiment, officiating wing officer, 7th Regiment of Madras Infantry,—6th August 1897.

FIELD OPERATIONS.**MALAKAND.**

No. 955.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 816 of 1897, Captain A. W. V. Plunkett, 2nd Battalion, Manchester Regiment, to be Assistant to the Divisional Transport Officer, Malakand Field Force, with effect from the date on which he assumes the duties, in place of Captain F. H. Hancock, on leave in England.

TOCHI.

No. 956.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 697 of 1897, the following appointment is made during the operations of the Tochi Field Force, with effect from the date on which the officer assumes his duties:

Captain J. E. L. Gibbs, 1st Battalion, Bedfordshire Regiment, to be Commandant, Base Depot, British Troops, Bannu, *vice* Captain F. D. J. Annesley, who has been permitted to rejoin his regiment.

No. 957.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 697 of 1897, Captain J. T. I. Bosanquet, 2nd Battalion, Border Regiment, to be Regimental Commissariat-Transport Officer to the 1st Brigade, Tochi Field Force, from the date on which he assumes his duties, in place of Lieutenant H. W. R. Senior, who has been permitted to rejoin his regiment.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 958.—The following extracts are published for general information:

"*London Gazette*," dated the 3rd August 1897, pages 4346 and 4347.

WAR OFFICE, PALL MALL,
3rd August, 1897.

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Unattached List.—The undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets, from the Royal Military College, to be Second-Lieutenants, with a view

to their appointment to the Indian Staff Corps.
Dated 4th August, 1897:

John Cavendish Freeland.
Robert Nicholas.
Laurence Balfour Cloete.
Guss Conrad Morris.
Robert Crooks Gilchrist.
Claud Duncan Hitchins.
Philip Howell.
William Leigh Maxwell.
Wilfrid Francis Seymour Casson.
Bertrand Richard Moberly.
Malcolm Stewart McQueen (Queen's India Cadet).
Clement Arthur Milward.
Mervyn Robert Howe Webber.
Ralph Mackie.
Charles John Bruce Hay.
Thomas Campbell Burke.
Cyril Norman Macmullen.
George Wilmot Ellis (Queen's Cadet).
Thomas MacCallum Nicholson.
Arthur Atlay Lister Barnes.
William Patrick Miller Sargent (Queen's India Cadet).
Patrick Neil Craigie.
Alan Moir Graham (Queen's India Cadet).
Reginald Hugh Anderson (Honorary Queen's India Cadet).
Charles Gilbert Crosthwaite (Queen's India Cadet).
Tudor Henry St. George Tucker (Queen's India Cadet).
Bertram Charles Fellows.
Herbert Thompson Shaw Rogers.
Aloys Reginald Sprenger.
Robert Charles Byam Yates (Queen's India Cadet).
William George Broughton Ischia Hawley.
Percy Macclesfield Heath (Queen's India Cadet).
Vernon Percy-Smith (Queen's India Cadet).
Frederick George Edward Lumb.
Arthur Henry Eyre Mosse.
Harold Scott Erskine Franklin (Queen's India Cadet).
Bazett Colvin Graham (Honorary Queen's India Cadet).
Robert Aylmer Burrowes.
John Carysfort Loch (Queen's India Cadet).

BREVET.

The undermentioned officers to be Colonels:
Lieutenant-Colonel Stannus V. Gordon,
D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps. Dated 23rd
June 1897.

ORGANISATION.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 959.—The following gentlemen are appointed Second-Lieutenants in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of officers.

Earnest Rudolph Foy.
William Peter Sangster.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 960.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

25th August 1897.

Alfred Turner Rowlandson.
Frederic George Lucas.
Arundel Sinclair Begbie.
Francis Frederick Badcock, D.S.O.
Nicholas Albert Lewarne.
Henry William Richard Senior.
Ian Hope Grant.
Richard Harman, D.S.O.
Ernest Stanley Hall.
Frederick William Charles Turner.
Ernest Joseph Macfarlane Wood.
Walter Dickens Daunt.
Henry George Walker.
Edgar Brandreth.
Charles William Herbert Symonds.
Charles Tarrant Swan.
McLeod James Gordon.
Arthur Ross Barwell.
Frederick Charles Livingston Waller.
William Edward Tomkins.
Frank Lloyd Vincent.
Harry Alexander Moore.
Francis William Hallowses.
Denis George Peart.
Walter George Hodgson.
Frederick Robert Edward Lock.
William Henry Manning.
Reginald Percy Congreve Schneider.
Walter Henry Brown.
Robert Montresor Lewis.
Harry Torriano Pritchard.
Cyril Edward Wood.
James Saurin Richards.
Lewin Barlow Walton.
Alfred Carnac Watson.
John Joseph O'Brien Sexton.
Theodore Charles Mackenzie Trowe.
Owen Charles Argles.
Wilfred Charlie Farquhar Rawdon Macnamara.
Bertrand Evelyn Mellish Gurdon, D.S.O.
John Walter Beresford Merewether.

William George Grey.
Robert Clarence Hillard Chalmers.
Lindsay Maxwell Bell.

COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE.

No. 961.—General Harry McLeod, Royal (late Madras) Artillery, is admitted to the colonel's allowance, with effect from the 1st July 1897, *vice* General Sir Robert Cadell, K.C.B., deceased.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Madras.

No. 962.—The undermentioned Military pupils having passed their final examination are admitted into the service as third class Assistant Surgeons, with effect from the 30th June 1897 :

Frederick Frank Rath Carreck.
Albert Withelm Truter.
Alfred Edward Hamlin.
Joseph Francis DeCosta.
Norbert Henry Carlos.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Bombay.

No. 963.—Honorary Lieutenant and Deputy Assistant Commissary Henry Jepson to be Assistant Commissary ;

Conductor John Dickson to be Deputy Assistant Commissary, and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval ;

Sub-Conductor William Godfrey to be Conductor ;

Store-Sergeant Michael Hayes to be Sub-Conductor,—

with effect from the 24th May 1897, *vice* Honorary Lieutenant and Assistant Commissary A. Heapy, deceased.

NATIVE ARMY.

No. 964.—*19th Regiment of Bengal Lancers—*

Kot-Dafadar Hari Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Jemadar (on probation) Partap Singh, resigned, with effect from the 15th May 1897.

No. 965.—*14th (The Ferozepore Sikh) Regiment of Bengal Infantry—*

Pay-Havildar Atr Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Bhagwan Singh, seconded, for service in British East Africa, with effect from the 15th June 1897.

Pay-Havildar U'dam Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Tilok Singh, transferred to the 32nd (Punjab) Regiment of Bengal Infantry (Pioneers), with effect from the 21st July 1897.

No. 966.—*26th (Punjab) Regiment of Bengal Infantry—*

Havildar Makhmad to be Jemadar, *vice* Sultan Amir, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 26th June 1897.

No. 967.—*21st Regiment of Bombay Infantry (Marine Battalion)—*

Jemadar Dhondee Ghaday to be Subadar, and Havildar Sirpati Murkute to be Jemadar, *vice* Akbar Khan, deceased; with effect from the 20th July 1897.

PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE.

No. 968.—*3rd Regiment of Punjab Cavalry—*

Dafadar Badhawa Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Badhawa Singh, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 1st July 1897.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 969.—Honorary Surgeon-Captain Archibald Mullen, Senior Assistant Surgeon, Indian Subordinate Medical Department (Bombay), is permitted to retire from the service, with effect from the 22nd June 1897, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 970.—Lieutenant W. B. Staunton, Indian Staff Corps, has been transferred by the Secretary of State for India to temporary half pay, with effect from the 29th July 1897, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

REWARDS.

GOOD CONDUCT AND MERITORIOUS SERVICE.

No. 971.—The undermentioned non-commissioned officers of the Bengal Unattached List and Bengal Sappers and Miners are awarded the silver medal for long service and good conduct, without gratuity, for the quarter ending 30th September 1897 :

Quarter Master Sergeant James Hall, Bengal Sappers and Miners.

Quarter Master Sergeant David Allsopp, Orderly Room Sergeant.

First class Sergeant-Instructor John William Bancroft, Mussoorie Volunteer Rifle Corps.

First class Sergeant-Instructor John McEnerney, East Indian Railway Volunteers.

First class Sergeant-Instructor Alfred John Lee, Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles.

First class Sergeant-Instructor George Glover, Cawnpore Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Sergeant Charles Henry Combes, Commissariat-Transport Department.

No. 972.—The undermentioned non-commissioned officer of the Native Army in the Bombay Command is granted the medal for meritorious service, with annuity, under the provisions of clause 115, India Army Circulars, 1888, and article 342, Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part II :

No. 2579, Havildar Bábáji Pálav, 9th Regiment of Bombay Infantry, *vice* Color-Havildar Mánáji Bandè, transferred to the pension establishment.

No. 973.—The undermentioned non-commissioned officers and men of the Unattached List, Madras Command, "Queen's Own" Madras Sappers and Miners, and 15th Regiment of Madras Infantry, are awarded silver medals for

long service and good conduct, for the quarter ending 30th June 1897 :

Without gratuity.

Sergeant Joseph Donald Sweeney, Barrack Department.

Acting Sergeant-Major Thomas William Capel, Madras Railway Volunteers.

Acting Sergeant-Major Alfred Leech, South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifles.

First class Sergeant-Instructor John Hunt, Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Company Sergeant-Major Henry Lay, "Queen's Own" Madras Sappers and Miners.

First class Barrack Sergeant Charles Witt, Barrack Department.

With gratuity of £5.

Drummer Alexander Dunn, 15th Regiment of Madras Infantry.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

No. 974.—*Calcutta Naval Volunteers*—

Sub-Lieutenant Horace Campbell Blaker to be Lieutenant, to complete the establishment.

No. 975.—*1st Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles*—

Second-Lieutenant Henry Charles Hodgkins, to be Lieutenant, *vice* Sarkies, deceased.

No. 976.—*Allahabad Volunteer Rifles*—

The following appointments and promotions are made, with effect from the 19th August 1897 :

Lieutenant John William Walsh to be Captain, *vice* Hooper, resigned.

Lieutenant William John Minahan to be Captain, to complete the establishment.

Second-Lieutenant Henry James Bloomfield to be Lieutenant, *vice* Walsh, promoted.

Second-Lieutenant William Henry Butcher to be Lieutenant, *vice* Minahan, promoted.

William Wallach, Gentleman, to be Second-Lieutenant, *vice* Bruce, resigned.

Evelyn Campbell Paxton, Gentleman, to be Second-Lieutenant, *vice* Bloomfield, promoted.

Arthur Harry Claud Hamilton, Gentleman, to be Second-Lieutenant, *vice* Butcher, promoted.

Richard Thomas Hodson, Gentleman, to be Second-Lieutenant, to complete the establishment.

No. 977.—*Baluchistan Volunteer Rifles*—

Major Samuel Walter Sulton, Commandant, resigns his commission, with effect from the 31st July 1897.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

SHIPS.

SALVAGE.

No. 57.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the publication for general information of the subjoined letters, reporting the rescue by the R.I.M.S. *Mayo* on the

26th June 1897, of the surviving passengers and crew of the P. & O. S.S. *Aden*.

2. His Excellency desires to place on record his appreciation of the skilful manner in which this dangerous duty was carried out by Commander Thomas Arthur Leach De Berry and the officers and crew of the *Mayo*, and particularly of the gallantry of the boat's crew under Lieutenant Henry Charles Edward Dobbin, R.I.M., and Sub-Lieutenant Oliver Goldsmith, R.I.M., who successfully performed the perilous task of removing the survivors from the wreck to the R.I.M.S. *Mayo*.

Letter from the Political Resident, Aden, No. 206, dated 1st July 1897.

"In continuation of my telegram of the 29th ultimo, I have the honour to submit the following report which gives details impossible to convey in a telegram.

"2. On the morning of the 21st instant the Agent of the P. & O. Company called at my house and informed me that he had received a telegram from Perim to the effect that a passing steamer had signalled a wreck on shore at Socotra, and as he was anxious about the P. & O. S.S. *Aden*, he consulted me as to the advisability of sending assistance. As I knew there had been an old wreck there for some time, I at once wired to the Assistant Resident, Perim, to know if he had any information of a recent wreck there; before this reached him I received the following from him :

'Steamer *Volute* signals steamer ashore east coast Socotra, abandoned by crew, name unknown. No assistance can be rendered.'

"3. The following day, however, information received from a steamer which came in here made it seem doubtful as to the absolute correctness of the above information, and though at this time of year it seemed exceedingly problematical whether anything could be done to assist any vessel ashore on the east coast of Socotra, I decided that the *Mayo* should go out and at once directed her to get up steam as rapidly as possible. She left in the early morning of the 23rd and returned on the evening of the 28th. How exceedingly opportune her despatch was will be seen from the enclosed report from Commander DeBerry, No. 76, of the 28th ultimo, as from what I have since heard it is almost certain the wreck could not have held together 24 hours longer.

"4. From all accounts received from ships which have passed Socotra lately the weather off the east coast of the Island—always bad during the monsoon—is stated to have been abnormally violent of late. Under such circumstances, I trust Government will concur with me in considering that the manner in which Commander De Berry conducted the operations which resulted in the saving of so many lives is deserving of the highest praise, and speaks volumes in favour of the discipline and good management which must have prevailed on board his ship. It is a matter of extreme regret that information of the wreck was not received sooner, when no doubt the number saved would have been even larger. I attach a list of those missing received from the P. & O. Agent here, and I fear there can be but little doubt that all those mentioned in the list have perished.

"5. I would desire most cordially to endorse the remarks of Commander DeBerry contained in paragraph 6 of his report concerning the conduct of Lieutenant Dobbin, Sub-Lieutenant Goldsmith, and the Native crew, who volunteered to man the boat on the occasion. I have learnt through the survivors how difficult and dangerous the duty was; the sea was very high, washing clean over the wreck and the wind was very strong. There was quite a gale blowing; notwithstanding this, owing to the good management of Lieutenant Dobbin and the persistent pluck displayed by all in the boat, every soul remaining on the wreck was got off without mishap of any kind though two trips had to be made in such weather and the danger of the boat being stove in against the wreck was extreme and only averted by skilful management. I venture to hope that some recognition of their conduct on this occasion may be afforded Lieutenant Dobbin and his companions.

"6. The conduct of the P. and O. vessel alluded to in paragraph 2 of Commander DeBerry's report, which, I understand, was the *Simla*, appears quite inexplicable; it is to be hoped, however, that some satisfactory explanation may be forthcoming.

"7. In conclusion, I have only to say that the European survivors, who were all more or less injured and suffering from exposure and want of food, were loud in their praise of the kindness and attention they received from all on board the *Mayo*; especially were they grateful to Assistant Surgeon R. G. Ives, in medical charge of the ship, who was unremitting in his attentions day and night.

"8. The Europeans all left for England by the mail of the 30th June, and I attach, for the information of Government, a copy of the letter which they sent me prior to their departure.

"The Native survivors were taken on board the S.S. *Ganges* here.

"9. I cannot conclude this letter without bringing to notice how extremely desirable it is that a light should be erected on the east end of Socotra; vessels following the track of the ill-fated *Aden* come on to the Island without any warning especially when, as happens so often during the monsoon, they have been unable to obtain sights for several days, and the immunity from danger which a light in that position would give is, I understand, fully recognised by all Commanders of ships passing the Island from Colombo."

No. 76, dated Aden, the 28th June 1897.

From—T. A. L. DeBERRY, Commander, Royal Indian Marine Steamer *Mayo*,

To—The Political Resident, Aden.

In accordance with your order I proceeded to Tamrida on the 23rd instant and arrived there about noon of 25th and after some difficulty communicated with the shore. On enquiry I heard that a black painted vessel with one funnel has been wrecked off Cape Redressa, some 15 days before, whether still there or not I could not find out; I was also informed that for the first three nights after wreck was seen, rockets and lights were seen on board but had not been seen since.

2. Acting on this information I proceeded intending to get as near to the wreck as possible that night. She was sighted at about 4 P. M., and as I neared her I had no doubt as to her being a P. and O. vessel. It was blowing very hard at the time and heavy sprays were going over the ship, which quite prevented my being able to see if any people were on board; although a flag was flying from her foremast, and considering the sea too heavy to approach nearer to her, I anchored at 5-30 under the land for the night (I may mention here that a P. and O. vessel bound to the east was off the wreck the same time as we were, she having, I think, come from Aden. I signalled to her, but am afraid my signal was not seen as she proceeded on her course). At 7-15 an officer went aloft to see if any lights were being shown on the wreck, and was much relieved to see that lights were visible. I burned blue lights to let the people on board know that we knew they were on board, but I heard afterwards they were not seen as we had not burned high enough up; the wreck being the other side of a high spit of land from where we were lying.

3. At daybreak I weighed and proceeded to the wreck getting as close as I considered safe, which was between $\frac{1}{2}$ and $\frac{3}{4}$ miles and found enough water to anchor in, which I did in 20 fathoms.

4. With as little delay as possible (the people being now plainly seen huddled together on board) I sent a boat with Lieutenant Dobbin and Sub-Lieutenant Goldsmith to the wreck which they succeeded in reaching in about 40 minutes, and considering the extremely heavy sea running and wind blowing at the time, I consider they did very well; this boat returned to the ship with the Europeans and some 8 Natives, and after a short stay alongside returned again to the wreck bringing back the remainder of the crew, in all about 22 men. Lieutenant Dobbin reported to me the wreck seemed to be moving and showing signs of rapidly breaking up when he left; she certainly was being swept by tremendous seas and to me it is a wonder she held together so long.

The wreck occurred about 3 A.M. the 8th instant on the reef of rocks S. E. of Redressa, her funnel has gone at the deck, and all deck work except 3 ventilators are gone; the two masts are still standing, but she has broken her back, I should say, just before the bridge.

5. The survivors seem to have had terrible privations and all the Europeans are more or less injured.

6. In concluding this report, I beg you will allow me to draw your attention to the gallant conduct of Lieutenant Dobbin and Sub-Lieutenant Goldsmith as well as the boat's crew, who were all volunteers, and that if ever comment is made on the saving of the survivors of the S. S. *Aden*, consideration will be taken of the heavy sea running and wind at the time, which were both rapidly increasing, and I don't think I should have considered it safe to send the boat back a third time. I have the honour to enclose a list of those rescued on Saturday morning the 26th instant.

P. J. MAITLAND, Major-General,
Secretary to the Government of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 27th August, 1897.

Under clause 53 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act of 1803, it is notified that reports of the deaths of the undermentioned commissioned and warrant officers on the dates specified were received in the Military Department between the 21st and the 27th August 1897 :

Corps.	Rank and Names.	Date of decease.	Place of decease.	Testate or Intestate.	Remarks.
2nd Battalion Royal Irish Regiment (42nd Gurkhas)	Lieutenant F. C. Macnaghten	3rd August 1897	Shillong	...	...
Public Works Department	Sub-Conductor T. Atkins	12th August 1897	Allahabad	...	...

P. J. MAITLAND, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 23rd August, 1897.

No. 329.—With reference to Public Works Department Notification No. 93, dated 5th March 1897, Mr. E. C. Trotter is confirmed in the appointment of Deputy Examiner of Accounts, Class II (new classification).

No. 330.—Mr. Joseph Edward Lacey, Accountant, 1st Grade, and Assistant Examiner of Accounts (honorary rank), attached to the Office of the Accountant General, Public Works Department, is appointed to the Superior Accounts Branch, with the rank of Deputy Examiner of Accounts, Class II (new classification), and is posted to the Office of the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, Madras.

No. 331.—The services of the undermentioned officers, State Railways, are placed at the disposal of the Burma Railways Company, Limited, with effect from the 1st September 1896 :

Name.	Grade.
Roberts, Mr. R. W.	Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade.
Barron, Mr. W. D.	Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade.
Despeissis, Mr. J. M. A.	Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade.
Roberts, Mr. F. W.	Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade.
Lloyd, Mr. C. V.	Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, temporary rank.
Sutherland, Mr. J.	Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, temporary rank.
Richards, Mr. G.	Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade.
White, Mr. J. H.	Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade.
Allum, Mr. F. W.	Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade.
Verrieres, Mr. E.	Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade.
Barrie, Mr. C. B.	Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade.
Stanton, Mr. W. C.	Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade.
Young, Mr. J. A. F.	Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade.
McKenzie, Mr. A. L.	Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade.
Hopkins, Lieutenant L. E., R.E.	Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade.
Rich, Lieutenant E. T., R.E.	Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade.
Murray, Captain V., R.E.	District Traffic Superintendent in Class II, Grade 4, of the Superior Revenue Scale.

No. 332.—The services of the undermentioned State Railway officers were placed at the disposal of the Burma Railways Company, Limited, for the periods specified :

Name.	Grade.	DATE OF LOAN.	
		From	To
Lilley, Mr. A. R.	Executive Engineer, 1st Grade	2nd March 1897 .	4th July 1897.
Elston, Mr. J.	Executive Engineer, 1st Grade	23rd February 1897 .	17th April 1897.
Brady, Lieutenant D., R.E. .	Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade	2nd March 1897 .	12th April 1897.
Muter, Lieutenant R. S., R.E.	Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade	23rd February 1897 .	18th June 1897.
Manser, Lieutenant W. E., R.E.	Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade	23rd February 1897 .	23rd April 1897.

The 26th August, 1897.

No. 333.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India has in despatch No. 64 Railway, dated the 15th July 1897, accorded sanction to the construction of a bridge of 13 spans of 150 feet over the Teesta River near Kaunia at an estimated cost of Rs. 15,19,166-0-0.

No. 334.—Mr. H. J. Oddie, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, State Railways, is, on return from privilege leave, appointed to officiate as Deputy Consulting Engineer to the Government of India for Railways, Lucknow, until further orders.

The 27th August, 1897.

No. 337.—The following promotions and reversions are ordered in the Accounts Branch :

Names.	From	To	With effect from
French, V. C.	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade.	Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade, <i>temporary rank</i> .	1st September 1896.
French, V. C.	Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade, <i>temporary rank</i> .	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade, <i>permanent</i> .	14th December 1896.
French, V. C.	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade.	Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade, <i>temporary rank</i> .	1st February 1897.
French, V. C.	Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade, <i>temporary rank</i> .	Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade, <i>sub. pro tem</i> .	29th June 1897.
Dover, F. C. W.	Deputy Examiner, 2nd Grade.	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade, <i>permanent</i> .	1st September 1896.
Ryan, J. A.	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade.	Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade, <i>temporary rank</i> .	12th September 1896.
Ryan, J. A.	Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade, <i>temporary rank</i> .	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade, <i>permanent</i> .	5th December 1896.
Ryan, J. A.	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade.	Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade, <i>temporary rank</i> .	14th February 1897.
Lee, E. A.	Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade.	Examiner, 4th Class, 2nd Grade, <i>permanent</i> .	1st September 1896.
Shaw, J.	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade, <i>permanent</i> , and Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade, <i>temporary rank</i> .	Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade, <i>permanent</i> .	1st September 1896.
Dunne, F. P.	Deputy Examiner, 2nd Grade.	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade, <i>permanent</i> .	19th September 1896.
Gaynor, M. H.	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade, <i>permanent</i> , and Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade, <i>temporary rank</i> .	Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade, <i>sub. pro tem</i> .	21st March 1897.
Wollaston, A. H.	Deputy Examiner, 2nd Grade.	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade, <i>permanent</i> .	3rd November 1896.

Names.	From	To	With effect from
Muirhead, C.	Deputy Examiner, Class II (<i>new classification</i>).	Deputy Examiner, Class I (<i>new classification</i>), <i>temporary rank</i> .	3rd November 1896.
Muirhead, C.	Deputy Examiner, Class I (<i>new classification</i>), <i>temporary rank</i> .	Deputy Examiner, Class I (<i>new classification</i>), <i>permanent</i> .	21st November 1896.
Trotter, H. M. C.	Deputy Examiner, Class II (<i>new classification</i>).	Deputy Examiner, Class I (<i>new classification</i>), <i>temporary rank</i> .	3rd November 1896.
Trotter, H. M. C.	Deputy Examiner, Class I (<i>new classification</i>), <i>temporary rank</i> .	Deputy Examiner, Class I (<i>new classification</i>), <i>permanent</i> .	18th February 1897.
Mole, P. C.	Deputy Examiner, Class II (<i>new classification</i>).	Deputy Examiner, Class I (<i>new classification</i>), <i>temporary rank</i> .	3rd November 1896.
Mole, P. C.	Deputy Examiner, Class I (<i>new classification</i>), <i>temporary rank</i> .	Deputy Examiner, Class I (<i>new classification</i>), <i>sub. pro tem.</i>	2nd March 1897.
Mole, P. C.	Deputy Examiner, Class I (<i>new classification</i>), <i>sub. pro tem.</i>	Deputy Examiner, Class I (<i>new classification</i>), <i>permanent</i> .	21st March 1897.
Slane, W.	Deputy Examiner, Class I (<i>new classification</i>).	Examiner, Class IV (<i>new classification</i>), <i>temporary rank</i> .	18th March 1897.
Slane, W.	Deputy Examiner, Class I (<i>new classification</i>), <i>permanent</i> , and Examiner, Class IV (<i>new classification</i>), <i>temporary rank</i> .	Examiner, Class IV (<i>new classification</i>), <i>sub. pro tem.</i>	4th April 1897.
Slane, W.	Examiner, Class IV (<i>new classification</i>), <i>sub. pro tem.</i>	Examiner, Class IV (<i>new classification</i>), <i>permanent</i> .	29th June 1897.
Wolfe, G. C.	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade, and Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade, <i>temporary rank</i> .	Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade, <i>permanent</i> .	3rd November 1896.
Conduitt, H. W.	Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade.	Examiner, 4th Class, 2nd Grade, <i>sub. pro tem.</i>	20th March 1897.
Conduitt, H. W.	Examiner, 4th Class, 2nd Grade, <i>sub. pro tem.</i>	Examiner, 4th Class, 2nd Grade, <i>permanent</i> .	21st March 1897.
Curry, W. E.	Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade.	Examiner, 4th Class, 2nd Grade, <i>sub. pro tem.</i> (<i>supernumerary</i>).	21st March 1897.
Curry, W. E.	Examiner, 4th Class, 2nd Grade, <i>sub. pro tem.</i> (<i>supernumerary</i>).	Examiner, 4th Class, 2nd Grade, <i>permanent</i> .	4th April 1897.
Durant, W. E.	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade, <i>permanent</i> , and Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade, <i>temporary rank</i> .	Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade, <i>sub. pro tem.</i>	21st March 1897.
Durant, W. E.	Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade, <i>sub. pro tem.</i>	Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade, <i>permanent</i> .	4th April 1897.
Balarama Iyer, K.	Deputy Examiner, 2nd Grade.	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade, <i>sub. pro tem.</i> (<i>supernumerary</i>).	20th March 1897.
Balarama Iyer, K.	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade, <i>sub. pro tem.</i> (<i>supernumerary</i>).	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade, <i>permanent</i> .	4th April 1897.
Conley, A.	Deputy Examiner, Class I (<i>new classification</i>).	Examiner, Class IV (<i>new classification</i>) <i>temporary rank</i> .	19th September 1896.
Conley, A.	Examiner, Class IV (<i>new classification</i>), <i>temporary rank</i> .	Deputy Examiner, Class I (<i>new classification</i>), <i>permanent</i> .	20th November 1896.

Names.	From	To	With effect from
Conley, A. . . .	Deputy Examiner, Class I (<i>new classification</i>).	Examiner, Class IV (<i>new classification</i>), <i>temporary rank</i> .	2nd March 1897.
deRhe Philipe, G. W. V. .	Deputy Examiner, 2nd Grade.	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade, <i>sub. pro tem</i> .	20th March 1897.
deRhe Philipe, G. W. V. .	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade, <i>sub. pro tem</i> .	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade, <i>permanent</i> .	17th June 1897.
leMaistre, G. H. . . .	Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade.	Examiner, 4th Class, 2nd Grade, <i>sub. pro tem</i> .	21st March 1897.
leMaistre, G. H. . . .	Examiner, 4th Class, 2nd Grade, <i>sub. pro tem</i> .	Examiner, 4th Class, 2nd Grade, <i>permanent</i> .	29th June 1897.
Bayly, W. G. G. . . .	Deputy Examiner, 2nd Grade.	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade, <i>sub. pro tem</i> .	21st March 1897.
Bayly, W. G. G. . . .	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade, <i>sub. pro tem</i> .	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade, <i>permanent</i> .	29th June 1897.
Godfrey, J.	Deputy Examiner, Class I (<i>new classification</i>).	Examiner, Class IV (<i>new classification</i>), <i>temporary rank</i> .	20th March 1897.
Rabbitt, W. T.	Deputy Examiner, Class II (<i>new classification</i>).	Deputy Examiner, Class I, (<i>new classification</i>), <i>temporary rank</i> .	21st March 1897.
Rabbitt, W. T.	Deputy Examiner, Class I (<i>new classification</i>), <i>temporary rank</i> .	Deputy Examiner, Class I (<i>new classification</i>), <i>sub. pro tem</i> .	4th April 1897.

Note.—The foregoing promotions and reversions are, in the case of the officers named, in supersession of those notified in Public Works Department Notifications Nos. 408, dated 2nd October 1896, 404, dated 27th November 1896, 519, dated 15th December 1896, 528, dated 21st December 1896, 542, dated 29th December 1896, 84, dated 26th February 1897, 174, dated 28th April 1897, 209, dated 28th May 1897, and 255, dated 2nd July 1897.

Yeats, S. K. L.	Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade.	Examiner, 4th Class, 2nd Grade, <i>sub. pro tem</i> .	4th April 1897.
Fox, A. J.	Deputy Examiner, Class I (<i>new classification</i>).	Examiner, Class IV (<i>new classification</i>), <i>temporary rank</i> .	29th April 1897.
Sinclair, C. S. B. . . .	Deputy Examiner, 2nd Grade.	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade, <i>sub. pro tem</i> .	29th June 1897.
Turner, W. H. E.	Deputy Examiner, 1st Grade.	Examiner, 4th Class, 3rd Grade, <i>temporary rank</i> .	26th July 1897.

TELEGRAPH.

The 27th August, 1897.

No. 336.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to order the following reversion in the Superior Establishment of the Indian Telegraph Department, with effect from the date specified :

Name.	From	To	Date.
Mr. A. J. L. Grimes .	Superintendent, Class V, 2nd Grade, officiating.	Assistant Superintendent, Class VI, 2nd Grade.	3rd August 1897.

The 27th August, 1897.

No. 335.—The following is published for general information :

No. 2297 G., dated Simla, the 26th August, 1897.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Public Works Department.

Rules regulating the appointment of passed students of the Indian Colleges to the Engineer establishment of the Public Works Department.

Read—

Government of India, Public Works Department Resolution No. 2112-G., dated 19th July 1892.

Government of India, Public Works Department Resolution No. 2523-G., dated 28th September 1893.

Read also—

Memorandum from the Government of India, Home Department, No. 109 (Education), dated 15th May 1897.

Memorandum from the Government of India, Home Department, No. 142 (Education), dated 11th June 1897.

RESOLUTION.—Since the issue of Public Works Department Resolution No. 2112-G., dated 19th July 1892, quoted in the preamble, the conditions for the practical training and appointment to the Department of passed students of the Engineer class of the Thomason Civil Engineering College, Rurki, have been changed, and it has become necessary to modify Rule IV of the Regulations contained in the Resolution quoted above. The Governor General in Council is accordingly pleased to direct that the rule shall be altered as follows :

IV.—Recruits from the Indian Colleges, other than the Thomason College, Rurki, shall be appointed as apprentices on Rs. 100 per month, and shall remain on probation until they have proved their thorough fitness for service in the Department. They shall then be promoted to 3rd grade Assistant Engineer on Rs. 250 and shall be required to pass the examination laid down in Public Works Code, Volume I, Chapter II, paragraphs 23—25, before promotion to 2nd grade Assistant Engineer. If they are not recommended within three years for promotion to 3rd grade Assistant Engineer, they shall be liable to removal from the Department.

For the purpose of awarding to students of the Thomason Civil Engineering College, Rurki, the five guaranteed appointments in the Public Works Department, not more than ten qualified Civil Engineering students will be appointed in the order of merit in which they stand in the final examination list, as apprentices in the Public Works Department, and will be allotted to the several Local Governments and Administrations, in the proportion of two apprentices (one being from among the first five in the order of merit) to each guaranteed appointment, so far as the numbers of students who qualify may admit.

On the expiry of one year the Local Government or Administration shall decide as between two apprentices serving under it in respect of a guaranteed appointment, whether either or both have proved, in the course of their practical training, their thorough fitness for appointment to the Public Works Department. If the Local Government or Administration decide that neither has proved his fitness, it may dispense with the services of either or both, or may extend the probation of either or both for a further period not exceeding two years from such date. If the Local Government or Administration decide that one only of the two has proved his

fitness it shall appoint him to be an Assistant Engineer, 3rd grade, and discharge the other. If the Local Government or Administration decide that both are fit for appointment, it shall select and appoint to be Assistant Engineer, 3rd grade, the apprentice who stood first in order of merit in the College final examination, and in discharging the other, shall cause to be endorsed on his College certificate a certificate of his practical fitness. In any case the appointment made should be reported to the Government of India, for information, and for confirmation of the appointment.

Their further promotion will be regulated by the same rules as that of other Assistant Engineers of the Provincial Service.

• An apprentice shall receive a salary of Rs. 100 a month if an European or Eurasian, and of Rs. 50 if a pure native of India.

2. That portion of Rule IV relating to the Thomason College, as reconstructed above, shall not apply to students who entered the College in April 1897, after undergoing the examination for entrance into that College in November 1896, but it shall apply to all subsequent entrants.

ORDER.—Ordered that the above Resolution be circulated to the Local

The Governments of Madras and Bombay, Public Works Department, General and Railway Branches.

The Governments of Bengal, the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, and the Punjab.

The Government of Burma, Public Works Department, General and Railway Branches.

The Chief Commissioners of the Central Provinces, Assam, and Coorg.

The Resident at Hyderabad.

The Agents to the Governor General for Rajputana, Central India, and Baluchistan.

The Accountant General, Public Works Department.

The Director General of Railways.

The Consulting Engineers to the Government of India for Railways, Calcutta, Lucknow, and Assam.

Governments, Administrations and officers noted in the margin, and that it be published in Part I of the *Gazette of India*. Ordered also that it be forwarded to the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce, Home, and Revenue and Agricultural Departments.

W. S. S. BISSET, *Colonel, R.E.*,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
HOME DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 27th August, 1897.

ERRATUM.

The figures in column 2 of the Tabular Statement contained in paragraph 6 of the Resolution of the Government of India in the Home Department, Nos. 18-37, dated the 20th of August 1897, and published on page 1999 of the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*, dated the 21st of August 1897, were taken from the General Administration Reports of the different Provinces. In order that the comparison instituted in that Table may be more accurate, it has now been decided to substitute the figures contained in the "Finance and Revenue Accounts of the Government of India for the year 1895-96," page 27. The changes in the figures in column 2 of the Statement necessitate a corresponding change in the percentages in column 5. The following table has therefore been drawn up, and should be substituted for that appearing on page 2003 of the Supplement to the *Gazette of India* issued on the 21st of August 1897 :

Province.	2	3	4	5	6								
					PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL INCOME, EXCLUDING LOANS AND ADVANCES DERIVED FROM								
					Rates.	Cattle-pound Receipts.	Educational Receipts.	Medical Receipts.	Miscellaneous Receipts.	Receipts from Civil Works.	Contributions		
	Total Land Revenue.	Total Board's income (including loans and advances).	Total Board's income (excluding loans and advances).	Percentage of column 4 to column 2.							From Provincial Local.	From other Boards.	Other items.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.										
Madras	5,59,21,410	89,54,875	85,62,000	15'3	62'3	...	2'0	'3	7'1	11'9	3'8	10'1	1'9
Bombay	3,98,48,040	50,80,437	50,16,742	12'5	57'3	3'8	3'1	8	'3	12'2	21'1	'4	1'0
Bengal	3,90,52,210	67,70,986	59,62,871	15'2	60'8	7'0	'9	'4	3'0	18'3	8'6	'0	1'0
North-Western Provinces and Oudh.	6,13,44,420	37,84,420	37,84,420	6'1	49'9	4'6	5'8	3'8	'9	'1	29'9	2'8	2'2
Punjab	2,44,01,150	31,16,433	30,58,137	12'5	75'6	1'9	2'2	'9	1'3	9'1	2'5	'1	5'8
Central Provinces .	76,73,320	9,08,744	8,13,869	10'6	49'3	21'3	1'1	1'0	3'2	9'6	14'0	'2	'3
Assam	59,76,710	12,22,411	10,47,556	17'5	61'8	6'0	'0	...	1'5	10'6	20'1	...	...
Hyderabad Assigned Districts.	68,13,836	6,57,924	5,60,663	8'2	50'6	2'5	8'8	...	32'5	'5	3'4	...	1'7

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Weather Review of India for the Week ending at 8 a.m. on
Saturday, August 21st, 1897.

Favourable monsoon conditions have continued to prevail over the greater part of the country during the week under review. Towards the close of the week a slight change set in. The trough of low pressure which, up to the middle of the week had held steadily over the Gangetic Plain, suddenly moved northward towards the foot of the hills. This movement was followed by the appearance of dry westerly winds over the Central Provinces which region during Thursday, Friday and Saturday reported fine weather and practically no rain. On the other hand, during this period the Punjab and the west of the North-West Provinces received heavy rainfall, due to a steady flow of air from the north of the Arabian Sea across Rajputana into North-West India. Throughout the week Burma had steady southerly winds and daily general rain. Bengal and the Gangetic Plain received steady rain daily, the amounts in the latter region being very heavy during the second-half of the week. In the Punjab the rainfall was more intermittent than in other parts of Northern India, but on some days, as for example the 7th, the fall was very heavy over this province. Over the central parts of the country there was daily and in places heavy rain up to the 15th, when the weather cleared and remained fine during the succeeding three days. Along the West Coast the rainfall was light throughout the week, and but little rain extended into the interior and east of the Peninsula, though on the 15th, 18th, 20th and 21st scattered showers were received over Madras. As a consequence of this generally light rainfall the mean temperature of Bombay and Madras exceeded the normal average on almost all days of the week, while, on the contrary, the heat in other parts of the Indian region was either normal or less than usual.

Daily Summary.—*Sunday, August 15th.*—Pressure was rising everywhere, but, except in the Punjab, North Bengal, Assam and Burma, was still below the normal. The general distribution was such as ordinarily obtains during the monsoon, and the winds blew from the ordinary monsoon directions. The mean temperature was low in the Punjab, across the head of the Peninsula, over Lower Bengal and over Lower Burma, and was higher than usual elsewhere. There had been either no rain or only unimportant showers over the Central Punjab, Mysore, the Bombay Deccan, Sind and the greater part of Madras, and general rain elsewhere.

Monday, August 16th.—Pressure had continued to rise over the greater part of the country, and the area of deficient pressure was decreasing in extent. The general distribution of pressure was, however, unchanged, and the winds continued to blow from their normal directions. The mean temperature was excessive over the Peninsula, North Bombay, Upper Burma and Assam, and below the average elsewhere. The highest day temperatures were reported from South Madras. There had been no rain of importance over the central parts of the Peninsula and Madras, but elsewhere the fall has been more or less general.

Tuesday, August 17th.—The barometer was falling over Burma and Bengal, but was still rising in most other places. The distribution was changing somewhat, and the trough of low pressure over the Gangetic Plain was moving northward. The winds were irregular in the Punjab, but remained normal elsewhere. A strong monsoon was blowing across the Kathiawar Coast, where the winds were more southerly than usual. The mean temperature remained excessive over the Peninsula and Burma, but elsewhere the heat was less than usual—most so in the west of the Punjab. There was again no rain of importance over the centre and east of the Peninsula, and general rain elsewhere. In the Indus Valley there had been continuous heavy rain—Mooltan reporting 5 inches, Dera Ismail Khan 2 inches, Jacobabad 1 inch and Kurrachee 4 inches.

Wednesday, August 18th.—The barometer had risen over Bombay, the Central Provinces, Central India, Rajputana and the Gangetic Plain, and generally fallen elsewhere. Pressure was generally above the normal, except in North Bombay and the south of the Peninsula. A steady flow of air was taking place across the Kathiawar coasts into North-West India, but generally the wind directions were fairly normal. The mean temperature remained excessive over the greater

part of the Peninsula and the south of the Central Provinces and below the average over Northern India. In the West Punjab the abnormal deficiency was as much as 9°. There had been no change in the general distribution of rainfall, but the fall had become lighter in the Indus Valley.

Thursday, August 19th.—The barometer had risen over Burma and the Peninsula, and fallen elsewhere. The trough of low pressure now lay over the North Gangetic Plain and close to the foot of the hills. The highest pressures were reported from Tenasserim. The winds were variable in the Punjab, abnormally westerly over the Gangetic Plain, abnormally southerly in North Bombay and Rajputana, and blew from about the usual directions elsewhere. The distribution of the mean temperature relatively to the average was unchanged. The mean temperature was 6° below the normal in the north-west of India and 6° above over Central Madras. There had been very little rain over the Central Provinces and more than of late over Madras, but elsewhere the general rainfall was similar to that of the previous day.

Friday, August 20th.—Pressure had generally increased. It was low over North-West India and relatively low along the foot of the hills in the North-West Provinces and Bihar, and was highest over Tenasserim. The winds were more southerly than usual in North Bombay and Rajputana, and more westerly than usual in the Gangetic Plain. Elsewhere they were fairly normal. The mean temperature remained high over the Peninsula and the Central Provinces, and generally low in other parts of India. There had been practically no rain over the Central Provinces and the centre of the Peninsula, and only showers over the West Coast districts and Madras. In all other places the rainfall had been general and in the North-West Provinces it had been very heavy.

Saturday, August 21st.—Pressure had generally changed slightly, and the distribution was similar to that reported on the 20th. The winds were also practically unaltered. The mean temperature remained lower than usual over Northern and higher than usual over Southern and Central India. Rain had been very light over Southern and Central India, but had fallen generally, and in places heavily, elsewhere.

Temperature.—The variations of the mean temperature relatively to the normal have agreed closely with the variations in the amount of rainfall. In the Peninsula, where the rainfall has been throughout light, the heat has been more or less excessive, in the Central Provinces, where at first the rainfall was heavy and subsequently was light, the mean temperature of the week has been exactly normal, and in Northern India, where the rainfall has been throughout heavy, the heat has been less than usual.

The following table gives the temperature data for the week :

PROVINCE.	August 1897.							Mean variation of week.
	15th	16th	17th	18th	19th	20th	21st	
	o	o	o	o	o	o	o	
Burma	—1·0	+0·2	+1·1	+0·8	—0·2	—0·6	—0·3	o
Bengal and Assam	+0·8	—1·2	—1·2	—0·6	—0·8	—1·6	—2·2	—1·0
North-Western Provinces and Oudh	+1·1	+0·9	—0·3	—1·4	—1·1	—1·8	—2·7	—0·8
Punjab	—0·7	—1·5	—2·5	—2·7	—1·7	—1·9	—4·4	—2·2
Bombay	+1·0	+1·2	+1·9	+2·1	+2·5	+2·0	+2·0	+1·8
Central Provinces and Berar	—2·6	—0·9	—1·4	+0·8	+0·7	+1·4	+1·9	o
Central India and Gujarat	+1·3	+0·6	—0·8	—1·6	—0·4	—0·8	—0·8	—0·4
Sind and Rajputana	+0·6	+0·5	—0·5	—2·4	—3·9	—1·3	—1·2	—1·2
Madras	+2·9	+2·9	+3·2	+3·0	+2·5	—0·3	+1·1	+1·7
Mean for whole of India	+0·4	+0·3	—0·1	—0·2	—0·3	—0·5	—0·7	—0·2

The above shows that the mean temperature of the whole country has been nearly normal on each day of the week. The provincial variations exhibit an excess of heat of about 1½° in Bombay and Madras, a normal temperature in Burma, the Central Provinces, Central India and Gujarat, and a deficiency of heat in the remaining provinces.

The following are the highest maximum temperatures recorded on each day :

August 15th	.	.	.	.	101°·8	at	Cuddalore.
" 16th	.	.	.	.	102°·6	"	Trichinopoly.
" 17th	.	.	.	.	103°·4	"	Jacobabad.
" 18th	.	.	.	.	102°·8	"	Nellore.
" 19th	.	.	.	.	102°·8	"	"
" 20th	.	.	.	.	97°·9	"	Montgomery.
" 21st	.	.	.	.	100°·5	"	Jacobabad.

The above shows that during the greater part of the week the area of greatest diurnal heat lay over Madras. On the 20th the thermometer did not rise to 100° at any station in India, though in Baluchistan a reading of 100°·2 was recorded.

Rain.—The present week exhibits probably more extensive rainfall than any previous week during the present monsoon period. The only rainfall division reporting no rain during the week is Baluchistan, all the remaining divisions showing effective falls. The average actual amount of rainfall for the week ranges from 14·87 inches in Tenasserim, 13·86 inches in Arakan, 9·57 inches in the east of the North-West Provinces and 9·55 inches in East Bengal, to 0·51 inch in Hyderabad (South), 0·46 inch in Madras (Central) and 0·42 inch in the East Coast (Central). The third column of the concluding table shows that over a very large part of the country the rainfall has not only been excessive, but in many places largely excessive. Thus in Arakan and part of Bengal the week's fall has been about twice as large as usual, in the North-West Provinces (East) and South Oudh nearly four times, and in the Indus Valley and West Rajputana from five to seven times the average amount. The column shows that out of the fifty-seven divisions only fifteen had less rain than usual. These fifteen divisions were—Upper Burma, Assam (Hills), North Bengal, Malabar, Coorg, Mysore, the Konkan, the Bombay Deccan, Khandesh, Berar, Baluchistan, the East Coast [North (a)], Hyderabad (South), Madras (Central) and the East Coast (Central). In the case of the Assam Hills and of Coorg the deficiency has been considerable, and in most of the remaining divisions it has been moderately large. In all the other divisions the fall has been excessive, and in the case of Tenasserim, Arakan and the east of the North-West Provinces the abnormal excess is as much as 7 inches.

The three concluding columns of the table show the state of the seasonal rainfall. The general heavy rainfall of the week under review has brought about a change in the seasonal conditions, as no less than twelve rainfall divisions report an excessive fall, *i.e.*, 20 per cent. more than the average, thirty-six a normal fall, while only nine report a deficiency, that is, a fall 20 per cent. or more less than the normal amount. This is a considerable improvement as compared with last week, when six divisions reported an excessive fall, thirty-six a normal fall and fifteen a deficient fall. The most important cases of defect are —50 per cent. in the Assam Hills and —82 per cent. in the Baluchistan Hills. It is doubtful whether the deficiency in the Assam Hills is real, as the rainfall observations were much interrupted at the time of the earthquake.

In the Bombay Deccan the rainfall of the week was generally light, only two districts, *viz.*, Kolhapur and Satara, reporting any excess of rain, the remaining five districts showing greater or less deficiency. The two worst districts were Sholapur and Bijapur, where instead of an average of 1·79 inches and 1·34 inches respectively no rain whatever was received. In the Central Madras districts the rainfall was also very light, and except in one district, Cuddapah, was about 1 inch below the normal.

The following are the principal large totals recorded this week :

Burma	.	.	.	Moulmein	.	.	.	14·87 inches.
				Maungdaw (Akyah)	.	.	.	26·49 "
Assam	.	.	.	Sunamgunj (Sylhet)	.	.	.	10·29 "
Bengal	.	.	.	Durgapur (Mymensingh)	.	.	.	17·08 "
				Nattore (Rajshahi)	.	.	.	13·82 "
Bihar	.	.	.	Bhabuna (Arrah)	.	.	.	10·76 "
North-West Provinces	.	.	.	Robertsgunj (Mirzapur)	.	.	.	15·19 "
Punjab	.	.	.	Chunian (Lahore)	.	.	.	7·54 "
				Gurdaspur	.	.	.	12·46 "
				Dharmasala	.	.	.	15·16 "
West Coast	.	.	.	Pettangody (Mangalore)	.	.	.	7·26 "
				Khed (Ratnagiri)	.	.	.	10·27 "
				Bavda (Kolhapur)	.	.	.	12·21 "
Central districts	.	.	.	Seoni (Hoshangabad)	.	.	.	13·61 "
North Bombay	.	.	.	Anand (Kaira)	.	.	.	9·20 "
Madras	.	.	.	Peddapur (Godavery)	.	.	.	7·98 "
				Chingleput	.	.	.	7·84 "

PROVINCE.	DIVISION.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING AUGUST 21ST, 1897.			RAINFALL DATA FROM MAY 30TH TO AUGUST 21ST, 1897.		
		Average actual rainfall of division.	Average normal rainfall of division.	Excess or defect in inches.	Average actual rainfall of season to date.	Average normal rainfall, May 30th to August 21st.	Excess or de- fect of (seasonal) rainfall expressed as a per- centage.
		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Per cent.
BURMA	1. Tenasserim	14.87	8.11	+ 6.76	115.75	116.43	— 1
	2. Lower Burma Deltaic	6.04	4.08	+ 1.96	58.56	57.93	+ 1
	3. Central do.	4.40	2.82	+ 1.58	31.09	32.39	— 4
	4. Upper do.	2.09	2.20	— 0.11	16.44	27.32	— 40
	5. Arakan	13.86	6.68	+ 7.18	132.74	129.65	+ 2
BENGAL AND ASSAM	6. Eastern Bengal	9.55	4.35	+ 5.20	51.28	52.33	— 2
	7. Assam Surma	6.25	5.52	+ 0.73	46.65	65.86	— 29
	8. Do. Hills	3.81	7.10	— 3.29	42.57	84.37	— 50
	9. Do. Brahmaputra	4.55	3.04	+ 1.51	34.58	41.05	— 16
	10. Deltaic Bengal	5.32	2.97	+ 2.35	35.16	31.63	+ 11
	11. Central do.	4.89	2.68	+ 2.21	25.93	30.65	— 15
	12. North do.	3.67	3.81	— 0.14	39.53	54.57	— 28
	13. Bengal Hills	8.97	5.61	+ 3.36	64.85	83.12	— 22
	14. Orissa	5.09	2.70	+ 2.39	30.34	29.53	+ 3
	15. Chota Nagpur	5.04	2.76	+ 2.28	29.54	30.54	— 3
	16. South Bihar	5.28	2.28	+ 3.00	33.75	25.13	+ 34
	17. North do.	3.08	2.36	+ 0.72	26.12	28.73	— 9
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES AND OUDH.	18. N.-W. P. East	9.57	2.21	+ 7.36	31.31	22.65	+ 38
	19. South Oudh	6.23	1.92	+ 4.31	27.43	21.32	+ 29
	20. North do.	2.41	2.03	+ 0.38	24.70	23.24	+ 6
	21. N.-W. P. Central	4.05	2.12	+ 1.93	23.88	20.67	+ 16
	22. Do. West	3.60	1.67	+ 1.93	22.72	15.80	+ 50
	23. Do. East Submontane	3.73	2.19	+ 1.54	27.15	24.58	+ 10
	24. Do. West do.	3.41	2.36	+ 1.05	32.29	26.70	+ 21
	25. Do. Hills	3.71	2.26	+ 1.45	36.11	27.95	+ 29
PUNJAB	26. South-East Punjab	2.70	1.37	+ 1.33	15.93	13.80	+ 15
	27. South do.	2.83	0.79	+ 2.04	8.36	9.16	— 9
	28. Central do.	2.10	1.03	+ 1.07	8.51	9.88	— 14
	29. Punjab Submontane	3.45	1.62	+ 1.83	13.52	16.65	— 19
	30. Do. Hills	6.72	3.57	+ 3.15	34.03	41.67	— 18
	31. North Punjab	2.70	1.15	+ 1.55	12.32	9.46	+ 30
	32. West do.	2.88	0.39	+ 2.49	6.73	4.59	+ 47
BOMBAY AND MALABAR COAST DISTRICTS (MADRAS).	33. Malabar	2.78	4.02	— 1.24	96.88	79.72	+ 22
	34. Madras South-Central	1.69	1.10	+ 0.59	16.90	14.85	+ 14
	35. Coorg	2.25	5.88	— 3.63	103.27	85.24	+ 21
	36. Mysore	0.95	1.18	— 0.23	16.11	16.23	— 1
	37. Konkan	5.41	6.31	— 0.90	100.35	87.14	+ 15
	38. Bombay Deccan	1.01	1.65	— 0.64	119.85	16.74	+ 19
	39. Hyderabad North . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...
	40. Khandesh	0.75	1.30	— 0.55	10.68	12.86	— 17
CENTRAL PROVINCES AND BERAR.	41. Berar	0.93	1.29	— 0.36	17.35	21.41	— 19
	42. Central Provinces West	2.78	1.96	+ 0.82	25.04	29.26	— 14
	43. Do. do. Central	3.17	2.69	+ 0.48	32.13	34.78	— 8
	44. Do. do. East	3.94	2.10	+ 1.84	35.40	32.12	+ 10
BOMBAY (NORTH)	45. Gujarat	3.83	2.48	+ 1.35	23.15	31.25	— 26
	46. Kathiawar	4.01	0.78	+ 3.23	13.88	14.18	— 2
	47. Sind	3.44	0.47	+ 2.97	6.93	4.04	+ 72
	48. Baluchistan Hills	0	0.32	— 0.32	0.36	1.95	— 82
RAJPUTANA AND CEN- TRAL INDIA.	49. Central India East	4.04	1.85	+ 2.19	25.76	25.32	+ 2
	50. Rajputana East, Central India West.	3.65	1.94	+ 1.71	17.39	18.68	— 8
	51. West Rajputana	4.54	0.60	+ 3.94	12.73	7.99	+ 59
MADRAS	52. East Coast North	2.24	1.55	+ 0.69	15.78	15.06	+ 5
	52-A. Do. do.	0.85	3.32	— 2.47	28.75	35.72	— 19
	53. Hyderabad South	0.51	1.33	— 0.82	10.62	13.44	— 21
	54. Madras Central	0.46	1.31	— 0.85	6.95	9.30	— 25
	55. East Coast Central	0.42	1.12	— 0.70	8.02	9.29	— 14
	56. Do. South	2.38	1.07	+ 1.31	7.41	8.49	— 13
	57. Madras South	0.98	0.39	+ 0.59	3.80	3.43	+ 11

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

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Weekly Report on the state of the Season and Prospects of the Crops.

Madras.—*For week ending 21st August.*—The rainfall is generally in excess of average, but is seriously deficient in Kurnool, Bellary, and Anantapur districts and in parts of Vizagapatam, Kistna, and Nellore districts. Water-supply for drinking purposes is generally sufficient; for irrigation it has improved in parts of rain-fed areas and is adequate under Godavari, Kistna, Kurnool, Cuddapah, Trichinopoly, Tanjore, Periyar, and Tinnevely irrigation systems. Agricultural operations and harvests are extending; outturn generally middling. Pasture is deficient in parts. Fodder is insufficient in the Deccan; elsewhere it is generally available, but is scarce and dear. Condition of cattle in the Deccan is generally bad, many deaths being reported from Anantapur; elsewhere generally normal. Prices are very high, and are still rising generally, except in Ganjam and Vizagapatam. Prospects of the Northern Circars are improving, except in coast taluks of Vizagapatam and upland taluks of Kistna; prospects of the Deccan have by no means improved, except in Cuddapah and the Sirval taluk of Kurnool; prospects elsewhere are generally slightly improved, except on West Coast. More rain is wanted everywhere, but is urgently required in areas where fall is noted as deficient. The numbers on relief are:—relief workers—134,145 men, 228,739 women, 78,278 children; total 441,162 in the Deccan and Circars. Test-workers—1,342, unspecified, in Kistna. Intermediate workers—253 men, 171 women; total 424 in Vizagapatam. Weavers—28,497 men, 21,852 women, 1,970 children; total 52,319 relieved at their own trade in the Deccan and Circars. Total relief workers 495,247. Kitchen inmates in the Deccan and Circars: (dependants)—394 men, 739 women, 17,922 children; total 19,055. Others—2,476 men, 5,296 women, 17,427 children; total 25,199. Otherwise gratuitously relieved—15,466 men, 47,393 women, 51,941 children with 169 unspecified; total 114,969. Figures are incomplete for Cuddapah. Total on gratuitous relief 159,223. Grand total on Government relief 654,470. Prices by which wages are regulated are:—Ganjam and Kurnool 9, Bellary 10, Godavari 10½, Vizagapatam 11½ and Anantapur and Cuddapah 12 seers per rupee. Loans disbursed in affected districts during the week—Rs. 70,515.

Bombay.—*For week ending 23rd August.*—Rain good in Sind, Gujarat, and Konkan; slight in the Deccan and Karnatak; more wanted in Bijapur and parts of Thana, Khandesh, Nasik, Poona, Satara, and Belgaum. Sowing operations completed, except in Broach, Khandesh, Nasik, and Baroda. Rice transplanting continues in Thana, Kaira, Kanara, and Baroda. Standing crops are thriving, except in Bijapur and parts of Dharwar and Ahmednagar. Locusts caused damage in one taluka of Hyderabad; slight in Thar and Parkar; two talukas of Shikarpur and three of Upper Sind Frontier. Fodder is sufficient, except in parts of the Deccan and Bijapur. Condition of agricultural stock is deteriorating in Ahmednagar, Bijapur, and Belgaum; improving in Khandesh and Poona. Prices continue high in Karachi, Shikarpur, Thana, Surat, and Nasik; stationary in Kolaba and Bijapur. Prices in affected districts are:—Belgaum 8½, Bijapur 7½, Sholapur 6½, Ahmednagar 6½, Poona 7½, Nasik 6½, Satara 7½, Khandesh 6½, Dharwar 9½ seers per rupee. The average number on relief works, including dependants, was:—Bijapur 125,075, Sholapur 102,339, Ahmednagar 64,535, Poona, 16,566, Nasik 5,356, Satara 6,806, Khandesh 2,973, Belgaum 17,902, Dharwar 2,248. On test works:—Ratnagiri 74; total 343,874; of whom 279,885 are relief workers and 63,989 dependants. Of relief workers—91,903 are men, 118,358 women, and 69,624 children. Of dependants—495 are men, 6,255 women, and 57,239 children. On gratuitous relief—Bijapur 14,600, including 773 in poor-houses; Sholapur 12,444, including 194 in poor-houses; Ahmednagar 17,232, including 1,094 in poor-houses; Poona 13,981, Nasik 1,718, including 360 in poor-houses; Satara 3,567, including 357 in poor-houses; Belgaum 837; Dharwar 1,011; total 65,390; of whom 28,351 are men, 20,700 women, and 16,339 children. Total number on relief 409,264.

Bengal.—*For week ending 23rd August.*—The rainfall during the week has been general and in places heavy; it is not yet sufficient in Champaran and parts of the Gopalgunge sub-division of Saran, where the transplantation of

winter rice is still retarded. In all other parts of the Province transplantation is well forward. The prospects of the early autumn crops continue to be generally favourable. In Patna, Gaya, and Shahabad some damage to early autumn crops is reported to have been caused by heavy rain. Early rice, jute, and the earlier autumn crops are being harvested. Prices continue generally stationary with a slight tendency to fall in some places. In the distressed districts the prices of the staple food-grain on which the famine wage is based are—Bankura, common rice $7\frac{1}{2}$ to $9\frac{1}{2}$ seers; Nadia, common rice 7 to $8\frac{1}{2}$ seers old and 9 to $11\frac{1}{8}$ seers new; Murshidabad, common rice $7\frac{1}{2}$ to $8\frac{1}{2}$ seers old and 9 to $10\frac{1}{2}$ seers new; Khulna, common rice 8 seers; Saran, barley 13 seers; Champaran, barley $11\frac{3}{4}$ seers and *rahar* (*Cajanus indicus*) $11\frac{3}{8}$ seers; Muzaffarpur, indian-corn 13 seers and *rahar* (*Cajanus indicus*) 10 seers; Darbhanga, common rice 7 seers and indian-corn 11 seers; Sonthal Parganas, rice 7 to 8 seers and maize 9 seers; Puri, common rice 9 to 10 seers; Hazaribagh, rice $5\frac{1}{2}$ to 7 seers and *mahua* (*Bassia latifolia*) 13 to 24 seers; Lohardaga, rice 8 seers; Palamau, rice 8 seers; and Manbhum, common rice $7\frac{3}{4}$ seers per rupee. The numbers on Government relief on Saturday, the 21st August, were—Bankura 14,397, Nadia 11,893, Murshidabad 1,381, Jessore 54, Khulna 9,431, Dinajpur 45, Pabna 145, Patna 307, Shahabad 18,586, Saran 74,423, Champaran 44,579, Muzaffarpur 76,614, Darbhanga 103,337, Sonthal Parganas 6,277, Puri 2,762, Hazaribagh 3,813, Lohardaga 3,872, Palamau 3,262, Manbhum 15,451; total 391,679 against 451,783 in the preceding week. The numbers relieved from the Indian Famine Charitable Relief Fund were—Bankura 2,855, Nadia 904, Murshidabad 2,953, Khulna 209, Rajshahi 7,341, Pabna 967, Shahabad 2,248, Saran 9,679, Champaran 12,947, Muzaffarpur 2,613, Darbhanga 24,166, Bhagalpur 7,441, Cuttack 3,086, Hazaribagh 418, Lohardaga 2,436; total 80,263 against 84,009 in the preceding week. The above totals are distributed as follows:—relief workers—men 43,100, women 32,304, children 14,739; total 90,143. Dependants—men 48, women *nil*, children 1,462; total 1,510. In poor-houses and kitchens—men 5,055, women 8,783, children 45,978; total 59,816. Otherwise relieved—men 43,374, women 145,933, children 49,680; total 238,987. Test-workers—men 656, women 341, children 226; total 1,223. Indian Famine Charitable Relief Fund (the sex of 7,779 recipients of this class of relief has not been reported)—men 11,395, women 43,617, children 17,472; total 72,484. Private relief—relief works—Darbhanga Raj—men 870, women 403, children 135; total 1,408. Hatwa—men 191, women 243, children 126; total 560. Jamtara—men 75, women 78, children 30; total 183. Deoghur—men 19, women 19, children 2; total 40. Gratuitous relief—Darbhanga Raj—Darbhanga—men 2,736, women 6,669, children 5,977; total 15,382. Darbhanga Raj—Muzaffarpur—men 33, women 211, children 164; total 408. Hatwa—men 167, women 256, children 588; total 1,011. Manjha—men 60, women 24, children 12; total 96. Cuttack—Wards Estates—men 148, women 558, children 177; total 883. Total on private relief 19,971 against 17,188 in the preceding week.

North-Western Provinces and Oudh.—*For week ending 25th August.*—Rain fell in all districts; Jaunpur recorded over 14 inches; Ghazipur, Mirzapur and Allahabad over 11 inches, and Etah, Azamgarh, Fatehpur, Garhwal, Banda, Hardoi, Rae Bareilly, and Partabgarh over 7 inches; in most of the remaining districts the rainfall varied from 2 to 6 inches. Sowings are near completion in most districts. Standing crops are on the whole doing well. Transplanting of rice continues. Early grain is being cut in a few districts. Heavy rain has flooded the lowlying lands in several districts and caused some damage in places. The numbers in receipt of relief on Saturday, the 21st August, in seventeen districts officially recognised as distressed were as follows:—Agra 13,271, Etawah 2,761, Cawnpore 8,401, Fatehpur 9,155, Banda 92,265, Hamirpur 20,114, Allahabad 63,878, Jhansi 22,472, Jalaun 30,870, Mirzapur 12,413, Family Domains of Maharaja of Benares, 5,620, Jaunpur 25,744, Gorakhpur 11,658, Azamgarh 12,037, Lucknow 27,410, Unao 28,636, Rae Bareilly 15,298, Hardoi 49,267; total 441,270. This total is distributed as follows among the various methods of relief prescribed by the Famine Code which are in operation—employed on relief works—25,929; relieved as dependants—4,733; relieved in poor-houses—26,389; relieved under other provisions of the Famine Code, including 59,454 from Charitable Fund, 384,219; total 441,270. The numbers relieved in nineteen districts which are under observation and not officially recognised as distressed were on the same date as follows:—relieved on test works—*nil*; relieved in poor-houses—8,363; relieved under other provisions of the Famine Code, including 11,508 from Charitable Fund, 44,839; total 53,202. The grand total in receipt

of relief on the last day of the week was therefore 494,472. Supplies and fodder are sufficient. Prices are fluctuating with tendency to rise in western and fall in eastern districts. The price of the staple grain on which the famine wage is based varied from $8\frac{5}{8}$ to 12 seers in the districts officially recognised as distressed. The numbers shown as relieved from the Indian Famine Charitable Relief Fund represent the operations of the fund so far only as they are carried out through official agency.

Punjab.—*For week ending 23rd August.*—Rain has fallen all over the Province averaging about $4\frac{3}{4}$ inches in Jullundur; $4\frac{1}{2}$ in Delhi and Umballa; 4 in Multan; 3 in Hissar, Rohtak, Gurgaon, Amritsar, Sialkot, Gujranwala, and Lahore; 2 in Karnal, Ferozepore, Rawal Pindi, and Dera Ismail Khan districts. Sowings and ploughings still continue. Condition of standing crops is generally good, owing to recent rain. Cattle are in good condition, except in Hissar where they are improving. Green fodder is procurable everywhere; dry fodder is scanty in Gujranwala. Locusts appeared in Hissar, Rohtak, Multan, Lahore, Rawal Pindi and Dera Ismail Khan, doing slight damage. Excessive rain has also slightly damaged young crops in parts of Peshawar. The average number of relief workers, dependants, etc., was as follows:—Relief workers—4,427 men, 3,729 women, 1,357 children. Dependants—8 men, 10 women, 1,249 children. Relieved in poor-houses—102 men, 97 women, 815 children. Otherwise relieved—2,414 men, 3,810 women, 2,505 children. The total number on relief this week was 20,523 against 25,391 last week, of this 16,000 are in Hissar alone. The decrease is general. Prices are generally high; wheat is selling from $8\frac{1}{2}$ to 11 seers, great millet 10 to $10\frac{1}{2}$, maize 8 to 11, barley 11 to 13, bulrush-millet 6 to 11 and rice $6\frac{1}{2}$ to $6\frac{3}{4}$ seers per rupee. The prices of staple food-grains on which the famine wage is reckoned are—Hissar barley flour and great millet flour 10 seers per rupee each; Ferozepore, barley and gram $10\frac{1}{2}$ and wheat $11\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee.

Central Provinces.—*For week ending 23rd August.*—Weather alternately cloudy and clear with moderate rain in eight districts; light showers aggregating less than one inch in six, and heavier falls exceeding 3 inches in Damoh, Bhandara, Bilaspur, and Sambalpur. The short breaks have been very favourable for agricultural operations, but more clear weather would be beneficial in Saugor, Damoh, Mandla, and the Nagpur country, as weeding is retarded at places. *Biasi* (thinning) and transplanting of rice in full swing. Land being prepared for winter sowings. Prospects of autumn crops continue favourable. Sugarcane doing well. Early millets are flowering in Nimar and are being harvested with good outturns in Betul and Chhindwara. Prices fluctuated within narrow limits, but a slight tendency to cheapen is generally perceptible; they remain very high in Chanda and Balaghat, but have eased considerably in Bilaspur. The decrease of 8,000 in relief workers is more than counterbalanced by an increase of 21,000 in the number gratuitously relieved. Village relief is being extended and more kitchens for children have been opened. The numbers on relief works are—Saugor 16,639, Damoh 14,404, Jubbulpore 21,928, Mandla 11,889, Seoni 4,862, Narsinghpur 22,942, Hoshangabad 34,875, Nimar 899, Betul 7,611, Chhindwara 13,585, Wardha 1,786, Nagpur 13,623, Bhandara 14,719, Balaghat 33,114, Raipur 36,995, Bilaspur 42,581, Sambalpur 800; total 293,252. Test workers—Damoh 31. Numbers on gratuitous relief—Saugor 16,764, Damoh 17,928, Jubbulpore 48,809, Mandla 14,551, Seoni 12,940, Narsinghpur 16,761, Hoshangabad 16,160, Nimar 1,387, Betul 4,667, Chhindwara 5,311, Wardha 674, Nagpur 3,166, Chanda 1,937, Bhandara 11,205, Balaghat 16,691, Raipur 29,202, Bilaspur 80,512, Sambalpur 71; total 298,746. Total number on relief 592,029. There were also 18,608 persons employed on railway and other private works. Details of relief workers—men 95,709, women 134,093, and children 63,450. Test workers—men 14, women 15, and children 2. Dependants—men 2,382, women 3,021, and children 42,363 with 1,472 unclassified. Poor-houses—men 7,536, women 7,954, and children 14,151. Otherwise relieved—men 28,893, women 58,713, and children 66,393 with 65,868 unclassified. Wage prices—Saugor, Mandla, and Seoni $7\frac{3}{4}$, Damoh, Chhindwara and Raipur 8, Jubbulpore and Narsinghpur 9, Hoshangabad $8\frac{1}{2}$, Nimar, Bhandara, and Bilaspur $7\frac{1}{2}$, Betul 7, Wardha and Chanda $8\frac{3}{4}$, Nagpur $9\frac{1}{2}$, Balaghat $6\frac{1}{2}$ and Sambalpur $9\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee.

Burma.—*For week ending 21st August.*—In Lower Burma ploughing and sowing completed in Tavoy and approaching completion in several other districts; standing crops are in good condition, except in the Haungtharaw and

Attaran Townships of Amherst district where they have been damaged by floods and insects. In Upper Burma, Mandalay, Shwebo, Sagaing, Thayetmyo, Pakokku, Minbu, Magwe, Yamethin, and Myingyan all received good or fair rain during the week, but prospects have not materially changed since last week. More rain is still badly wanted in the precarious tracts, particularly in Shwebo, Sagaing, Monywa Townships of Lower Chindwin, Meiktila, Yamethin, and Myingyan. The price of paddy has risen slightly in Akyab, Rangoon, Mandalay, Shwebo, and Thayetmyo; elsewhere stationary. Numbers on relief works—Meiktila 1,824 and Myingyan 19,819. On gratuitous relief—Meiktila 261, Myingyan 5,174, and Yamethin 274. Total number on relief 27,352. Price of rice—Meiktila 8 seers 12 chittaks and Myingyan 8 seers 11 chittaks per rupee.

Assam.—*For week ending 24th August.*—Weather seasonable. Heavy rainfall reported from most districts. Harvesting of early and transplanting of late rice progressing. Prospects of rice good, except in Darrang and Lakhimpur, where some damage has been done by worms and insects. Tea is doing well. Prices—common rice—Silchar and Sylhet 9, Gauhati 8½, Tezpur 7, and Sibsagar and Dibrugarh 8 seers per rupee.

Mysore and Coorg.—*For week ending 23rd August.*—MYSORE.—One inch 48 cents in Civil and Military station; rain general and good in parts of two districts. Crops in good condition. Prices slightly risen in Tumkur. Sowing operations continue in five districts.

COORG.—Rainfall one inch 14 cents. Transplanting of rice still continues. *Ragi (Eleusine coracana)* thriving. Prices of food-grains stationary. Water and fodder for cattle are abundant.

Berar and Hyderabad.—*For week ending 23rd August.*—BERAR.—Weather warm and cloudy with occasional showers of rain. Standing crops in thriving condition. Land is being prepared for the ensuing winter crop. Sowings well advanced. Weeding in progress. Fodder and water-supply adequate to wants. High prices prevail. Relief workers:—Akola 2,768, Amraoti 461, Ellichpur 1,910, Wun 163. On gratuitous relief:—Akola 3,814, Basim 72, Ellichpur 2,566. Occupants of poor-houses:—Akola 1,073, Amraoti 445, Basim 436, Ellichpur 457. Total number on relief 14,165. Prices—*Jowari*—Akola 8, Amraoti 9, Basim 8, Buldana 7, Ellichpur 7, Wun 10 seers per rupee.

HYDERABAD.—Rainfall during week 67 cents. Standing autumn crops are in fair condition, except in Lingsagar and Nalgunda and in parts of Elgandal, Gulburga and Naldrug, where crops are withering. Scarcity of fodder continues. Distress generally felt on account of continued high prices and loss of agricultural cattle. Aggregate number of persons employed on relief works in Aurangabad, Bir, Gulburga, Raichur, Lingsagar, Naldrug, Mahbubnagar, and Elgandal 17,427. Prices in affected districts—5½ in Aurangabad, 5½ Lingsagar, 6½ Bir, Naldrug and Mahbubnagar, 6¾ in Gulburga and 7 seers per rupee Elgandal and Raichur. 1,083 persons on gratuitous relief in Aurangabad, 773 Lingsagar, 1,592 Naldrug, 15 Mahbubnagar, and 1,248 Elgandal. Total number on relief 22,138. Prices—wheat 5½, coarse rice 6 and *jowari* 8½ seers per current sicca rupee.

Central India.—*For week ending 23rd August.*—Rain fell in all agencies during the week; the fall up to date is below average in parts of Bhopawar; sufficient in all other agencies. Agricultural operations are in progress throughout Central India. Standing crops are in good condition. Agricultural stock and pasturage are generally good. Prices are falling in two districts of Gwalior; steady in Bundelkhand; and continue high in all agencies. The number of persons employed on famine relief works was—6,832 in Gwalior, 15,558 in Bundelkhand, and 11,072 in Baghelkhand. On gratuitous relief—3,788 in Gwalior, 7,057 in Bundelkhand, and 5,010 in Baghelkhand. Total number on relief 49,317. Prices—Gwalior 9 to 9½, Bundelkhand 9 to 10½, and Baghelkhand 9 seers per rupee.

Rajputana.—*For week ending 25th August.*—Rainfall over 8 inches at Abu; over 7 at Tonk and Kishengarh; over 4 at Bundi, Bhurtpore, and Ulwar; 3 or over in Deoli, Marwar, Shahpura, Ajmere, Kerowli, Dholepore, and Bikanir;

over 2 in Jeypore and Jaisalmer; about $1\frac{1}{2}$ in Serohi, Kherwara, Pertabgarh, and Kotah; over $\frac{1}{2}$ inch in Meywar and Jhallawar. Ploughing and sowing still continue in Serohi, Marwar, and Jaisalmer. Crops are generally thriving but have been damaged slightly by locusts in places in Serohi, Marwar, Meywar, Bhurtpore and injured by excessive rain in Bhurtpore. Prospects are generally favourable. Agricultural stock good generally. Pasturage or fodder sufficient everywhere. Prices rising in Serohi, Marwar, Meywar; slightly falling in Jeypore and Dholepore; almost steady elsewhere. The number of persons on relief works were—Sironj 680 and Dholepore 344. Ordinary works—Dholepore 431 and Bikanir 614. Gratuitous relief—Marwar 1,098, Bundi 280, Deoli 8, Sironj 311, Dholepore 417, Bhurtpore 374, and Bikanir 79. Total number on relief 3,591. Prices—Dholepore 12 seers per rupee.

• **Kashmir.**—*For week ending 24th August.*—Rain has fallen. Crop threshings still going on. Standing autumn crops are generally in good condition. Prices continue little below normal.

JAMMU PROVINCE.—*For week ending 24th August.*—Good rain. Prices stationary. Fodder sufficient. Autumn sowings and ploughings in progress. Condition of standing crops generally fair.

Nepal.—*For week ending 21st August.*—Rainfall 1.58 inches. Prospects of upland rice crop in Katmandu Valley are poor. Indian-corn is being harvested. Price— $6\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee.

The total numbers in receipt of relief during the preceding and present weeks are as follows:

NAME OF PROVINCE.	PRECEDING WEEK.			PRESENT WEEK.			Increase or decrease.
	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	
Madras . . .	478,597	218,148	696,745	461,983	192,487	(a) 654,470	— 42,275
Bombay . . .	341,158	62,211	403,369	343,874	65,390	409,264	+ 5,895
Bengal . . .	118,780	330,333	449,113	92,876	298,803	(b) 391,679	— 57,434
North-Western Provinces and Oudh . . .	52,364	414,457	466,821	30,662	392,848	(c) 423,510	— 43,311
Punjab . . .	15,587	9,804	25,391	10,780	9,743	20,523	— 4,868
Central Provinces	300,382	277,296	577,678	293,283	298,746	592,029	+ 14,351
Burma . . .	20,893	5,144	26,037	21,643	5,709	27,352	+ 1,315
Berar . . .	7,724	7,229	14,947	5,302	8,863	14,165	— 782
Hyderabad . .	12,699	5,736	18,435	17,427	4,711	22,138	+ 3,703
Central India .	36,178	12,171	48,349	33,462	15,855	49,317	+ 968
Rajputana . .	3,010	5,478	8,488	1,024	2,567	3,591	— 4,897
TOTAL . . .	1,387,372	1,348,001	2,735,373	1,312,316	1,295,722	2,608,038	— 127,335

(a) Figures incomplete for one district.

(b) Exclusive of 72,484 relieved from the Indian Charitable Relief Fund.

(c) Exclusive of 70,962 relieved from the Indian Charitable Relief Fund.

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Non-labouring children and other dependants of relief workers are classed as on relief works when distinguished in the local returns from ones gratuitously relieved in poor-houses or at their homes.

† Exclusive of 79,985 relieved from the Indian Charitable Relief Fund.

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No.	Name of Province and District.	FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 31ST JULY 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 7TH AUGUST 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 14TH AUGUST 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 21ST AUGUST 1897.		
		Relief works.	Gratui- tous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratui- tous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratui- tous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratui- tous relief.	Total.
North-Western Provinces and Oudh—contd.													
16	Bara Banki . . . . .	...	1,109	1,109	...	1,441	1,441	...	1,351	1,351	...	1,206	1,206
17	Mirzapur	3,373	16,410	19,783	2,606	12,616	15,222*	2,524	15,009	17,543	2,153	14,138	16,291
18	Bijnor . . . . .	...	1,673	1,673	...	1,608	1,608	...	1,509	1,509	...	1,593	1,593
19	Moradabad	1	3,304	3,305	...	3,597	3,597	...	1,717	1,717	...	1,833	1,833
20	Bareilly . . . . .	...	1,800	1,800	938	1,899	2,837	...	799	799	...	812	812
21	Muttra . . . . .	...	3,981	3,981	...	3,972	3,972	...	2,314	2,314	...	2,089	2,089
22	Etah . . . . .	...	2,081	2,081	...	2,052	2,052	...	1,075	1,075	...	669	669
23	Mainpuri . . . . .	...	882	882	...	686	686	...	217	217	...	1,001	1,001
24	Farukhabad . . . . .	...	3,521	3,521	...	2,891	2,891	...	2,356	2,356	...	1,385	1,385
25	Budaun . . . . .	...	930	930	...	397	397	...	327	327	...	288	288
26	Shahjahanpur . . . . .	...	4,032	4,032	...	5,604	5,604	...	3,492	3,492	...	3,398	3,398
27	Pilibhit	56	3,566	3,622	261	3,205	3,466	587	2,118	2,705	455	2,116	2,571
28	Kheri . . . . .	...	350	350	...	945	945	...	708	708	159	440	600
29	Sultanpur	285	2,333	2,618	...	2,363	2,363	...	1,900	1,900	...	1,949	1,949
30	Pertabgarh . . . . .	...	5,285	5,285	...	4,082	4,082	...	4,385	4,385	...	3,732	3,732
31	Fyzabad . . . . .	...	3,233	3,233	...	3,375	3,375	...	1,067	1,067	...	767	767
32	Fatehpur	1,199	8,988	10,187	558	9,280	9,838	...	8,861	8,861	...	9,101	9,101
33	Azamgarh	2,093	14,356	16,449	553	15,033	15,586	12	12,571	12,583	...	12,713	12,725
34	Benares . . . . .	...	11,227	11,227	...	11,123	11,123	...	11,220	11,220	...	17,897	17,897
35	Gonda . . . . .	...	2,548	2,548	...	2,578	2,578	...	1,664	1,664	...	2,941	2,941
36	Basti . . . . .	...	1,881	1,881	...	1,827	1,827	...	798	798	...	866	866
TOTAL FOR N.-W. P. & O.		140,510	481,173	621,683	101,868	470,334	572,202	64,369	404,971	469,340	52,364	*414,457	466,821
Punjab.													
1	Hissar	24,697	6,274	30,971	22,058	7,757	29,815	16,537	7,409	23,946	15,207	7,363	22,570
2	Rohtak	29	2,152	2,181	45	2,118	2,163	72	1,861	1,933	...	1,457	1,529
3	Delhi . . . . .	...	784	784	...	691	691	...	642	642	...	653	653
4	Karnal	200	1,135	1,341	1,300	882	2,182	1,078	1,082	2,160	900	208	1,168
5	Umballa . . . . .	...	417	417	...	550	550	...	630	630	...	331	331
6	Ferozpur	629	...	629	509	...	509	532	...	532	380	...	380
7	Rawalpindi	224	...	224	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL PUNJAB		25,785	10,762	36,547	23,912	11,998	35,910	18,219	11,424	29,643	16,487	10,012	26,500
Central Provinces.													
1	Saugor	26,494	13,870	40,364	25,736	12,057	37,793	26,220	12,235	38,455	23,372	13,295	36,667
2	Damoh	42,707	13,073	55,780	38,469	13,939	52,408	29,874	14,781	44,655	25,805	14,831	40,636
3	Jabalpur	29,053	24,379	53,432	38,069	38,934	77,003	35,311	44,092	79,403	34,019	42,309	76,328
4	Mandla	12,345	4,220	16,565	13,358	4,453	17,811	14,786	4,896	19,682	14,105	7,560	21,665
5	Seoni	5,515	3,437	8,952	6,021	5,270	11,291	6,480	7,122	13,602	5,649	9,665	15,271
6	Narsinghpur	23,572	10,153	33,725	22,828	9,349	32,177	17,748	10,665	28,413	21,799	11,992	33,791
7	Hoshangabad	30,674	10,102	40,776	41,183	5,600	46,783	40,114	6,731	46,845	36,389	7,129	43,518
8	Nimar	605	1,096	1,641	793	1,040	1,833	934	1,189	2,123	1,069	1,116	2,285
9	Betul	10,134	2,412	12,546	9,961	3,149	13,110	7,902	3,487	11,389	8,532	3,714	12,306
10	Chindwara	16,511	2,806	19,317	16,049	2,982	19,031	16,606	3,237	19,843	15,013	3,315	18,328
11	Nagpur	17,303	3,637	20,940	16,195	4,558	20,753	11,623	4,848	16,471	8,923	5,549	14,472
12	Chanda	76	186	262	95	1,176	1,271	...	2,113	2,113	...	1,704	1,704
13	Bhandara	29,700	8,243	37,943	22,858	8,668	31,526	17,825	8,916	26,741	14,929	8,790	23,719
14	Balaghat	44,620	10,750	55,370	42,946	11,110	54,056	36,549	11,685	48,234	36,394	11,390	47,784
15	Raipur	50,932	15,870	66,802	48,609	14,206	62,815	48,217	17,615	65,832	47,209	18,498	65,707
16	Bilaspur	46,733	56,361	103,094	54,495	63,774	118,269	50,293	62,584	112,877	52,270	67,733	120,603
17	Sambalpur	1,687	...	1,687	2,412	...	2,412	1,049	...	1,049	875	174	1,049
18	Wardha	2,066	444	2,510	2,017	504	2,521	2,143	512	2,655	1,995	647	2,642
TOTAL CENTRAL PROV- INCES		890,727	180,979	1,071,706	402,084	200,769	602,863	363,674	216,708	580,382	348,347	229,411	577,758
Burma.													
1	Meiktila	7,829	1,555	9,384	7,712	2,420	10,132	6,866	898	7,564	(not reported)	...	...
2	Myingyan	16,795	4,239	21,034	19,974	4,482	24,456	21,457	5,578	27,035	20,893	5,144	26,037
3	Yamethin . . . . .	...	332	332	...	329	329	...	316	316	(not reported)	...	...
TOTAL BURMA		24,624	6,226	30,850	26,686	7,211	33,797	28,123	6,792	34,915	20,893	5,144	26,037

* Exclusive of 66,101 relieved from the Indian Charitable Relief Fund.
† Includes 5,630 gratuitously relieved on family domains of the Maharaja of Benares.

‡ There were also 12,744 persons employed on railway and other private works.

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a.	Name of Province and District.	FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 31ST JULY 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 7TH AUGUST 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 14TH AUGUST 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 21ST AUGUST 1897.		
		Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.
	<i>Berar.</i>												
1	Akola	4,800	2,882	7,682	5,602	4,507	10,109	3,586	3,015	6,601	3,200	3,467	6,667
2	Basim	1,176	451	1,627	714	235	949	729	407	1,136	397	504	901
3	Ellichpur	1,542	2,827	4,369	1,813	2,829	4,642	1,773	2,858	4,631	1,948	2,191	4,139
4	Amraoti	5,688	1,879	7,567	3,421	1,133	4,554	1,541	785	2,326	330	437	767
5	Buldana	1,010	421	1,431	1,013	2,161	3,174	527	1,007	1,534	...	63	63
6	Wun	5,503	1,315	6,818	4,449	1,052	5,501	1,914	608	2,522	1,849	561	2,410
	TOTAL BERAR	19,719	9,775	29,494	17,012	11,917	28,929	10,070	8,680	18,750	7,724	7,223	14,947
	<i>Hyderabad.</i>												
	Raichur . . . . .	...	1,000	1,000	...	...	...	...	786	786	...	552	552
	Naldurg	11,981*	916	12,897	15,587†	1,031	16,618	14,678†	1,046	15,724	12,699‡	1,007	13,706
	Gulburga . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Lingsagar . . . . .	...	602	602	...	672	672	...	719	719	...	758	758
	Bir . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mahbubnagar . . . . .	...	15	15	...	146	146	...	11	11	...	175	175
	Hyderabad . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Elgandal . . . . .	...	...	...	...	53	53	...	1,073	1,073	...	1,853	1,853
	Aurangabad . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,391	1,391
	TOTAL HYDERABAD	11,981	2,533	14,514	15,587	1,902	17,489	14,678	3,635	18,313	12,699	5,736	18,415
	<i>Central India.</i>												
	Bundelkhand	21,371	6,941	28,312	18,169	6,277	24,446	18,784	6,294	25,078	16,250	5,924	22,174
	Baghelkhand	22,943	4,872	27,815	16,312	4,654	20,966	14,527	4,076	18,603	12,846	2,652	15,500
	Gwalior	13,135	7,752	20,887	10,644	7,241	17,885	8,625	2,937	11,562	7,082	3,595	10,657
	TOTAL CENTRAL INDIA	57,449	19,565	77,014	45,125	18,172	63,297	41,936	13,307	55,243	36,178	12,171	48,350
	<i>Rajputana.</i>												
	Marwar . . . . .	...	1,255	1,255	...	1,218	1,218	...	1,217	1,217	...	1,113	1,113
	Dholpur	1,342	1,270	2,612	1,254	922	2,176	815	739	1,554	493	504	987
	Bikanir	4,502	306	4,808	155	341	496	...	68	68	...	98	98
	Jaisalmir	125	207	332	124	211	335	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bhurtpur . . . . .	...	412	412	...	906	906	...	381	381	...	374	374
	Tonk	2,492	3,462	5,954	1,836	3,417	5,253	2,367	4,450	6,817	2,577	3,389	5,966
	Deoli . . . . .	...	8	8	...	8	8	...	8	8	...	...	...
	Bundi . . . . .	...	298	298	...	298	298	...	303	303	...	...	...
	TOTAL RAJPUTANA	8,461	7,218	15,679	3,369	7,321	10,690	3,182	7,166	10,348	3,010	5,478	8,488
	GRAND TOTAL FOR ALL PROVINCES	1,801,831	1,479,817	3,281,648	1,718,404	1,424,619	3,143,023	1,524,155	1,325,893	2,850,048	1,434,310	1,300,018	2,734,328

* Includes Gulburga, Raichur, Naldurg, Lingsagar, Bir, Mahbubnagar and Hyderabad.

† " " " " " " " " Hyderabad and Elgandal.

‡ " " " " " " " " Elgandal and Aurangabad.

§ Besides 3,419 on ordinary works.

The dates at the head of the table are the dates of the *Gazette of India* in which the Provincial totals were published. The figures actually show the numbers on relief on each preceding Saturday. All previous returns should be read subject to a similar correction.

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Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

Dated 28th August, 1897.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

IMPORTS OF COTTON, WHEAT, LINSEED, AND INDIGO.

Statement of the Quantity (in hundredweight) of Cotton, Wheat, Linseed, and Indigo imported by rail and river to 30th June 1897, compared with the corresponding

Articles and whence exported.	IMPORTS IN JUNE.											
	Calcutta.			City of Bombay.			Karachi.			TOTAL.		
	1895.	1896.	1897.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1895.	1896.	1897.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
COTTON												
<i>By Rail and River—</i>												
Bengal	9,663	6,842	11,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,663	6,842	11,000
N.-W. P. & Oudh	32,344	11,992	15,575	2,212	3,155	16,103	...	...	...	34,556	15,147	31,678
Panjab	6,029	4,324	7,822	9,307	1,005	5,037	11,197	11,084	20,393	26,533	16,413	33,252
Cent. Provs.	...	61	...	6,044	153	2,255	...	...	...	6,044	214	2,255
Bombay	...	...	...	327,997	143,203	180,905	...	...	...	327,997	143,203	180,905
Sind	...	...	...	...	...	...	26,409	21,572	22,601	26,409	21,572	22,601
Madras	...	...	...	9,940	13,655	5,944	...	...	...	9,940	13,655	5,944
Barar	1,234	15,789	6,254	19,648	38,610	14,107	...	...	...	20,882	54,390	20,361
Assam	489	1,583	3,875	...	...	...	...	...	...	489	1,583	3,875
Raj. & C. I.	4,070	279	2,661	97,014	58,677	105,831	...	...	...	101,084	58,956	108,492
Nizam's Terr.	...	...	...	11,832	3,704	9,277	...	...	...	11,832	3,704	9,277
Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	53,829	40,870	47,187	484,003	262,162	339,459	37,606	32,656	42,994	575,438	335,688	429,640
<i>By Sea—</i>												
Bengal	*	479	2,693	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	479	2,693
Bombay	*	17,931	7,936	*	43	301	*	...	...	*	17,974	8,237
Sind	*	...	...	*	5,279	16,911	*	...	...	*	5,279	16,911
Madras	*	2,765	215	*	246	62	*	...	...	*	3,011	277
Burma	*	97	1,407	*	...	11	*	...	...	*	97	1,418
Non-Br. Ports in India	*	...	...	*	25,877	71,540	*	...	...	*	25,877	71,540
Foreign countries	*	626	...	*	4,161	4,128	*	...	...	*	4,787	4,128
TOTAL	*	21,898	12,251	*	35,606	92,962	*	...	...	*	57,504	105,213
TOTAL OF IMPORTS	53,829	62,768	59,438	484,003	297,768	432,421	37,606	32,656	42,994	575,438	393,192	534,853
WHEAT												
<i>By Rail and River—</i>												
Bengal	153,529	47,034	6,681	...	...	...	...	...	...	153,529	47,034	6,681
N.-W. P. & Oudh	325,242	79,545	106,344	372,242	567	4,448	...	...	...	697,484	80,112	110,792
Panjab	34,304	24,351	13,925	491,502	5,902	1,804	1,366,473	392,763	217,820	1,892,279	423,016	233,549
Cent. Provs.	410	7,695	...	195,679	24,308	98	...	...	...	196,089	32,003	98
Bombay	...	...	...	129,411	28,968	10,876	...	...	...	129,411	28,968	10,876
Sind	...	...	...	...	...	...	429,705	101,202	127,125	429,705	101,202	127,125
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Barar	...	...	...	13,215	3,457	...	...	...	...	13,215	3,457	...
Assam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Raj. & C. I.	...	...	...	129,417	87,473	6,865	...	...	...	129,417	87,473	6,865
Nizam's Terr.	...	...	...	626	550	...	...	...	...	626	550	...
Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	513,485	158,625	126,950	1,332,092	151,225	24,091	1,796,178	493,965	344,945	3,641,755	803,815	495,986
<i>By Sea—</i>												
Bengal	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...
Bombay	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	180	...	*	180	...
Sind	*	...	...	*	98,189	176,033	*	...	35	*	98,189	176,068
Madras	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...
Burma	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	*	...	...	*	...	2,893	*	...	...	*	...	2,893
Foreign countries	*	...	...	*	...	3,700	*	1,358	...	*	1,358	3,700
TOTAL	*	...	...	*	98,189	182,626	*	1,538	35	*	99,727	182,661
TOTAL OF IMPORTS	513,485	158,625	126,950	1,332,092	249,414	206,717	1,796,178	495,503	344,980	3,641,755	903,542	678,647

* Figures not available.

NOTE.—The totals of imports for 1895 are defective.

and by sea into Calcutta, the City of Bombay, and Karachi, during the month of June 1897, and from 1st January to the end of the years 1895 and 1896.

IMPORTS FROM JANUARY TO JUNE, INCLUSIVE.												Articles and whence exported.	
Calcutta.			City of Bombay.			Karachi.			TOTAL.				
1895.	1896.	1897.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1895.	1896.	1897.		
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25		26
COTTON													By Rail and River— Bengal N.-W. P. & Oudh Panjab Cent. Provs. Bombay Sind Madras Berar Assam Raj. & C. I. Nizam's Terr. Mysore
41,165	46,562	71,828	...	...	12	...	...	...	41,165	46,562	71,840
193,034	175,115	226,031	131,361	233,158	202,629	...	...	...	324,395	408,274	429,560
50,466	27,810	54,688	53,890	67,817	48,694	116,559	262,166	281,610	220,915	357,793	384,992		
4,685	6,794	12,277	87,837	182,793	132,079	...	...	...	92,522	189,587	194,356
...	38	5	1,931,712	2,093,443	1,609,605	...	...	...	1,931,712	2,093,481	1,609,610
...	...	...	...	...	...	200,863	174,491	161,166	200,863	174,491	161,166
...	...	...	24,854	33,624	16,225	...	...	...	24,854	33,624	16,225
13,884	54,307	47,125	616,191	886,396	735,511	...	...	...	630,075	940,703	782,636
11,882	11,435	13,974	...	...	...	...	...	...	11,882	11,435	13,974
26,112	9,065	30,831	620,223	509,361	715,053	...	...	...	646,335	518,426	745,884
...	...	...	15,428	10,155	21,639	...	...	...	15,428	10,155	21,639
...	...	...	57	97	169	...	...	...	57	97	169
341,228	331,126	457,659	3,481,553	4,016,844	3,531,616	317,422	436,658	442,776	4,140,203	4,784,628	4,432,051	TOTAL	
By Sea—													By Sea— Bengal Bombay Sind Madras Burma Non-Br. Ports in India Foreign countries
...	9,114	13,412	...	...	2,105	...	...	...	...	9,114	15,577
...	64,415	38,369	...	59,118	38,939	...	...	...	...	123,533	77,308
...	...	...	...	169,960	79,214	...	...	...	...	169,960	79,214
...	4,704	1,441	...	2,568	429	...	...	...	...	7,272	1,870
...	8,409	5,423	...	2,350	11	...	...	...	...	10,759	5,434
...	...	...	...	1,099,738	552,688	...	...	...	...	1,099,739	552,688
...	2,627	1,257	...	60,500	23,633	...	...	...	...	63,127	24,890
...	89,269	59,902	...	1,394,234	697,079	1,483,504	756,981	TOTAL	
341,228	420,395	517,561	3,481,553	5,411,078	4,228,695	317,422	436,659	442,776	4,140,203	6,268,132	5,189,032	TOTAL OF IMPORTS	
WHEAT													By Rail and River— Bengal N.-W. P. & Oudh Panjab Cent. Provs. Bombay Sind Madras Berar Assam Raj. & C. I. Nizam's Terr. Mysore
348,024	203,217	97,053	...	...	222	...	...	...	348,024	203,217	97,275
138,483	594,783	560,911	545,971	8,585	70,795	...	...	...	1,084,454	603,368	631,706
123,788	61,027	20,306	712,558	14,489	16,984	3,538,016	882,296	424,848	4,374,362	958,712	462,138		
19,514	39,520	26,854	687,772	615,055	23,079	...	...	...	707,286	954,575	49,933
...	...	...	791,630	979,082	165,645	...	...	...	791,630	979,082	165,645
...	...	...	...	...	...	1,016,960	522,586	269,072	1,016,960	522,586	269,072
...	...	...	103	...	...	...	...	...	...	103	...
47	5,046	...	50,349	33,394	151	...	...	...	50,396	38,440	151
...		
...	...	278	324,303	536,850	44,847	...	...	...	324,303	536,850	45,125
...	...	...	1,225	1,032	27	...	...	...	1,225	1,032	27
...	...	...	...	4,598	...	...	...	...	...	4,598	...
29,856	904,493	705,402	3,113,911	2,193,085	321,750	4,554,976	1,404,882	693,920	9,298,743	4,502,460	1,721,072	TOTAL	
By Sea—													By Sea— Bengal Bombay Sind Madras Burma Non-Br. Ports in India Foreign countries
...	804	...	...	4,659	9	...	822	...	...	6,285	9
...	...	...	...	415,228	5,051	...	818	...	...	410,046	5,051
...	...	...	...	188,478	306,336	...	...	35	...	188,478	306,371
...		
...	...	...	...	139,717	...	...	22	...	...	139,739	...
...	2	...	...	38,590	10,335	...	21,256	...	...	59,848	10,335
...	...	82,152	...	16,033	48,461	...	2,707	1,216	...	18,740	131,829		
...	806	82,152	...	802,705	370,192	...	25,625	1,251	...	829,136	453,595	TOTAL	
29,856	905,299	787,554	3,113,911	2,995,790	691,942	4,554,976	1,430,507	695,171	9,298,743	5,331,596	2,174,667	TOTAL OF IMPORTS	

Statement of the Quantity (in hundredweight) of Cotton, Wheat, Linseed, and Indigo imported by rail and river to 30th June 1897, compared with the correspond-

Articles and whence exported.	IMPORTS IN JUNE.											
	Calcutta.			City of Bombay.			Karachi.			TOTAL.		
	1895.	1896.	1897.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1895.	1896.	1897.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
LINSEED												
<i>By Rail and River—</i>												
Bengal	369,755	366,472	328,170	...	...	...	...	...	...	369,755	366,472	328,170
N.-W. P. & Oudh	260,439	106,702	143,886	7,285	6,088	10,089	...	392	...	267,784	113,182	153,969
Panjab	502	...	...	2,755	1	...	10,050	3,817	12	13,307	3,818	...
Cent. Provs.	21,896	315	...	33,835	40,915	9,240	...	...	...	55,731	41,230	9,240
Bombay	...	...	...	101,270	89,835	8,300	...	...	...	101,270	89,835	8,300
Sind	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras	...	...	...	367	3,056	...	...	...	...	367	3,056	...
Berar	2,088	...	...	36,687	66,135	7,753	...	...	...	38,775	66,135	7,753
Assam	2,220	14,971	6,424	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,220	14,971	6,424
Raj. & C. I.	...	...	...	70,740	32,177	19,109	...	...	...	70,740	32,177	19,109
Nizam's Terr.	...	...	...	29,213	29,615	5,120	...	...	...	29,213	29,615	5,120
Mysore	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	3	...
TOTAL	656,960	488,460	478,480	282,152	267,825	59,611	10,050	4,209	12	949,162	760,494	538,170
<i>By Sea—</i>												
Bengal	*	97	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	97	...
Bombay	*	...	...	*	23	56	*	...	...	*	23	...
Sind	*	...	...	*	1,087	309	*	...	...	*	1,087	3
Madras	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...
Burma	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	*	...	...	*	...	10	*	...	...	*	...	...
Foreign countries	*	...	...	*	15	36	*	...	...	*	15	...
TOTAL	*	97	...	*	1,125	405	*	...	...	*	1,222	4
TOTAL OF IMPORTS	656,960	488,557	478,480	282,152	268,950	60,016	10,050	4,209	12	949,162	761,716	538,174
INDIGO												
<i>By Rail and River—</i>												
Bengal	205	31	264	...	...	...	...	...	...	205	31	...
N.-W. P. & Oudh	14	399	7	2	...	...	...	...	...	16	399	...
Panjab	...	...	...	15	2	6	153	622	926	168	624	...
Cent. Provs.	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	317	251	...	...	...	...	317	...
Sind	...	...	...	...	...	...	657	1,636	383	657	1,636	...
Madras	...	...	...	118	128	4	...	...	...	118	128	...
Berar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Raj. & C. I.	...	...	...	32	101	71	...	...	...	32	101	...
Nizam's Terr.	...	...	...	...	82	...	...	...	...	...	82	...
Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	225	430	271	167	630	332	810	2,258	1,309	1,202	3,318	1,315
<i>By Sea—</i>												
Bengal	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...
Bombay	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	6	*	...	...
Sind	*	...	...	*	988	515	*	...	...	*	988	...
Madras	*	...	...	*	12	...	*	...	...	*	12	...
Burma	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...
Foreign countries	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...
TOTAL	*	...	...	*	1,000	515	*	...	6	*	1,000	...
TOTAL OF IMPORTS	225	430	271	167	1,630	847	810	2,258	1,315	1,202	4,318	2,630

* Figures not available.

NOTE.—The totals of imports for 1895 are defective.

and by sea into Calcutta, the City of Bombay, and Karachi, during the month of June 1897, and from 1st January periods of the years 1895 and 1896—contd.

IMPORTS FROM JANUARY TO JUNE, INCLUSIVE.												Articles and whence exported.
Calcutta.			City of Bombay.			Karachi.			TOTAL.			
1895.	1896.	1897.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1895.	1896.	1897.	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
												LINSEED
												By Rail and River—
1,158,283	1,140,358	921,227	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,158,283	1,140,358	921,227	Bengal
581,522	281,723	309,527	33,390	9,276	19,885	1,710	1,229	...	616,622	292,228	329,412	N.-W. P. & Oudh
502	469	...	3,211	25	...	15,776	10,158	1,251	19,489	10,652	1,251	Panjab
48,819	81,863	1,439	310,250	291,331	71,130	...	...	...	339,069	373,194	72,560	Cent. Provs.
...	194	...	1,101,960	1,341,775	68,539	...	...	...	1,101,960	1,341,969	68,539	Bombay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	215	18	...	215	18	Sind
...	...	...	54,970	96,588	48	...	...	...	54,970	96,588	48	Madras
2,088	63,755	2,210	443,229	658,697	30,659	...	...	...	445,317	722,452	32,869	Berar
5,867	25,141	12,775	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,867	25,141	12,775	Assam
3,318	...	7	195,487	170,073	79,131	...	...	...	198,805	179,073	79,138	Raj. & C. I.
...	...	...	302,736	522,705	29,779	...	...	...	362,736	522,705	29,779	Nizam's Terr.
...	...	...	416	164	...	...	...	...	416	164	...	Mysore
1,800,399	1,593,503	1,247,185	2,505,649	3,099,634	299,191	17,486	11,602	1,269	4,323,534	4,704,739	1,547,645	TOTAL
												By Sea—
*	433	...	*	175	...	*	...	...	*	608	...	Bengal
*	...	...	*	1,116	1,641	*	70	16	*	1,186	1,657	Bombay
*	...	...	*	2,729	309	*	...	...	*	2,729	309	Sind
*	208	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	208	...	Madras
*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	Burma
*	...	...	*	19,609	3,862	*	...	...	*	19,609	3,862	Non-Br. Ports in India
*	4	...	*	930	4,280	*	...	...	*	934	4,280	Foreign countries
*	645	...	*	24,559	10,092	*	70	16	*	25,274	10,108	TOTAL
1,800,399	1,594,148	1,247,185	2,505,649	3,124,193	309,283	17,486	11,672	1,285	4,323,534	4,730,013	1,557,753	TOTAL OF IMPORTS
												INDIGO
												By Rail and River—
16,261	13,217	16,334	3	...	...	...	...	...	16,264	13,217	16,334	Bengal
5,287	2,435	2,938	4	6	...	...	...	...	5,291	2,441	2,938	N.-W. P. & Oudh
1,427	...	308	19	5	68	2,709	4,749	1,872	4,155	4,754	2,248	Panjab
6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	Cent. Provs.
...	...	...	314	1,750	528	...	...	...	314	1,750	528	Bombay
...	...	...	649	420	34	2,764	4,964	1,355	2,764	4,964	1,355	Sind
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	649	420	34	Madras
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Berar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Assam
17	...	...	292	243	130	...	...	...	309	243	130	Raj. & C. I.
...	2	...	10	82	...	...	...	...	10	84	...	Nizam's Terr.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mysore
22,998	15,654	19,580	1,291	2,506	760	5,473	9,713	3,227	29,762	27,873	23,567	TOTAL
												By Sea—
*	11	...	*	22	...	*	...	...	*	33	...	Bengal
*	...	...	*	...	...	*	42	178	*	49	178	Bombay
*	...	...	*	3,250	1,014	*	...	...	*	3,250	1,014	Sind
*	3	...	*	12	25	*	...	...	*	15	25	Madras
*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	*	...	...	Burma
*	...	...	*	...	...	*	3	...	*	3	...	Non-Br. Ports in India
*	...	...	*	240	...	*	...	...	*	240	...	Foreign countries
*	14	...	*	3,524	1,039	*	45	178	*	3,583	1,217	TOTAL
22,998	15,668	19,580	1,291	6,030	1,799	5,473	9,758	3,405	29,762	31,456	24,784	TOTAL OF IMPORTS

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ma, the 26th August 1897.

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
RAILWAY STATISTICS.**

STATEMENT OF APPROXIMATE GROSS EARNINGS OF INDIAN RAILWAYS FROM 1ST JULY TO 15TH AUGUST 1896, AND FROM 1ST JULY TO 14TH AUGUST 1897.

N.B.—As regards the figures in column Total Earnings from 1st July 1897, audited figures have been used as far as possible.

RAILWAY.	Average earnings per mile per week during the 2nd-half of 1896.	WEEK ENDING 15TH AUGUST 1896.				WEEK ENDING 14TH AUGUST 1897.				Earnings from 1st July to 15th August 1896.	Earnings from 1st July to 14th August 1897.	Increase.	Decrease.
		Mean mileage worked.	Earnings.		Mean mileage worked.	Earnings.							
			Total.	Per mile open per week.		Total.	Per mile open per week.						
State Lines worked by companies.	Rs.	Miles.	Rs.	Rs.	Miles.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		
Standard gauge—													
East Indian	583	1,735	8,39,959	484	1,736	10,44,000	601	54,91,454	65,31,000	10,39,546	...	...
Bengal Central (a)	158	125	19,000	157	125	21,400	171	98,805	1,16,000	17,195	...	...
Bengal-Nagpur	118	862	67,003	78	862	75,000	87	4,60,756	5,07,000	46,244	...	...
Indian Midland (b)	133	752	75,623	101	752	99,000	133	5,12,234	7,05,000	1,92,766	...	...
Bezwa extn. (East Coast state)	116	21	263	13	21	3,600	171	14,562	20,000	6,338	...	...
Mad.-Ennur sec. (Bezwa-Mad.)	167	9	1,169	130	9	1,000	111	11,506	6,700	...	4,806	...	
Metre gauge—													
Rajputana-Malwa (c)	191	1,815	2,71,492	150	1,815	3,11,000	171	17,27,366	20,10,000	2,91,634	...	...
Pālanpur-Deesa	45	17	503	30	17	300	18	3,301	2,800	...	561	...	
South Indian	161	1,042	1,24,176	119	1,042	1,65,000	158	10,19,840	11,03,000	83,160	...	...
Māyavaram-Mutpet &	89	54	3,892	72	54	4,700	87	32,139	34,400	2,261	...	...
Southern Mahratta (d)	109	1,165	88,408	76	1,165	1,40,000	120	6,83,023	10,22,000	3,38,977	...	...
Bengal and North-Western (e)	125	756	88,225	117	815	1,10,000	135	6,14,233	7,13,000	98,767	...	...
Lucknow-Barroilly	64	200	10,445	52	200	11,200	56	69,872	72,200	2,328	...	...
Assam-Bengal	57	159	7,345	46	238	10,400	45	59,944	60,400	6,456	...	...
Burma (f)	145	842	91,583	109	886	1,12,000	126	6,80,158	7,67,000	86,842	...	...
TOTAL	222	9,554	16,90,086	177	9,737	21,09,900	217	1,14,70,253	1,36,86,400	22,07,147	...	...
State Lines worked by the State.													
Standard gauge—													
North Western (g)	198	2,656	4,61,348	174	2,883	6,11,000	212	31,12,638	36,80,000	5,67,312	...	...
Oudh and Rohilkhand (including the metre gauge link)	181	797	1,21,646	153	875	1,45,000	166	8,57,508	8,71,000	13,492	...	...
Eastern Bengal (including metre and 2' 6" gauges)	423	814	3,36,924	414	814	2,50,000	307	15,56,395	13,62,000	...	1,94,395	...	
East Coast	89	500	61,611	123	538	53,900	100	2,68,933	3,73,000	1,04,067	...	...
Special gauges—													
Jorhāt	87	25	2,189	88	25	2,000	80	13,225	12,100	...	1,125	...	
Cherra-Companyganj	60	...	...	...	...	(h)	...	...	(h)	...	...	...
TOTAL	221	4,792	9,83,718	205	5,135	10,61,900	207	58,08,749	62,98,100	4,89,351	...	...
Lines worked by guaranteed cos.													
Standard gauge—													
Great Indian Peninsula (i)	348	1,490	3,94,528	265	1,491	4,42,000	296	26,90,910	27,73,000	82,090	...	...
Bombay, Baroda and Central India	542	461	1,95,311	424	461	1,91,000	414	11,97,261	14,28,000	2,30,739	...	...
Madras	248	840	2,00,231	246	840	2,10,000	261	12,98,041	14,71,000	1,72,959	...	...
TOTAL	350	2,791	7,96,070	285	2,792	8,52,000	305	51,86,212	56,72,000	4,85,718	...	...
TOTAL (GUARANTEED AND STATE) ASSISTED COMPANIES.	242	17,137	34,60,874	202	17,664	40,23,800	228	2,24,74,214	2,56,56,500	31,82,866	...	...
Standard gauge—													
Delhi-Umballa-Kalka	157	160	19,351	121	160	26,200	164	1,35,637	1,70,000	34,363	...	...
Tarkessur	242	22	4,783	217	22	5,000	227	34,029	34,200	171	...	...
Metre gauge—													
Rohilkund and Kumaon (Coy.'s sec.)	120	66	6,345	96	66	5,800	88	50,586	39,700	...	10,886	...	
Bengal-Dooars	176	36	5,640	157	36	7,800	217	36,779	44,400	7,621	...	...
Dibru-Sadiya	161	78	10,169	130	78	17,200	221	74,526	1,01,000	26,474	...	...
Ahmedabad-Parāntij . . . . .	...	...	...	...	41	1,000	24	...	10,100	10,100	...	...
Special gauge—													
Darjeeling-Himalayan	288	51	14,409	282	51	15,000	294	92,488	93,000	512	...	...
TOTAL	174	413	60,727	147	454	78,000	172	4,24,045	4,92,400	68,355	...	...
Lines owned by native states and worked by other agencies.													
Standard gauge—													
Bina-Goonā	27	74	1,687	23	74	1,300	18	9,825	7,800	...	2,025	...	
Bhopal-Ujjain	80	114	10,328	91	114	5,300	46	54,894	30,000	...	18,894	...	
Nāgdā-Ujjain	49	34	2,445	72	35	900	26	(j) 6,913	6,600	...	313	...	
The Nizam's guaranteed state	181	333	40,107	121	334	77,700	233	3,33,433	4,38,000	1,04,567	...	...
The Gaekwar's Petlād	111	13	739	57	13	1,200	92	7,006	5,900	...	1,106	...	
Rājputra-Bhātinda	135	108	16,465	152	108	9,800	91	1,32,154	60,000	...	71,554	...	
Kolar Gold-fields	327	10	3,974	397	10	3,200	320	21,706	23,900	2,194	...	...
Metre gauge—													
Mysore sec. (Southern Mahratta) (k)	98	362	26,781	74	362	42,300	117	1,04,859	2,02,000	97,141	...	...
The Gaekwar's Mehsāna	65	93	4,322	46	93	5,000	54	28,042	35,500	7,458	...	...
Kolhāpur	74	29	1,278	44	29	2,300	79	12,315	18,000	5,685	...	...
Special gauges—													
The Gaekwar's Dabhoi	49	72	1,858	26	79	3,600	46	15,353	19,900	4,547	...	...
Anklesvar-Pārdi section (Rajpipla) . . . . .	...	...	...	...	19	300	16	...	1,400	...	...	...
Cooch Behar	56	22	882	40	22	1,000	45	6,128	2,500	...	3,628	...	
TOTAL	112	1,264	1,10,956	88	1,292	1,53,900	119	8,22,628	9,48,100	1,25,472	...	...
Lines owned & worked by n. states													
Metre gauge—													
Bhāvnagar-Gondal-Junāgarh-Porbandar	84	334	23,476	70	334	19,700	59	1,37,079	1,43,000	5,921	...	...
Jetalsar-Rājkot	76	46	2,771	60	46	3,400	74	17,617	20,200	2,583	...	...
Jāmnagar . . . . .	...	...	...	...	51	2,700	53	...	12,200	...	...	...
Jodhpur-Bickaneer	61	364	13,238	36	364	16,700	46	1,93,363	1,90,000	6,637	...	...
Udaipur-Chitor (l)	43	60	2,453	41	60	1,800	30	15,299	13,100	...	2,199	...	
Special gauge—													
Morvi	70	94	6,235	66	94	6,100	65	35,881	39,200	3,319	...	...
TOTAL	70	898	48,173	54	949	50,400	53	3,09,239	3,37,700	28,461	...	...
GRAND TOTAL	225	19,712	36,89,730	187	20,359	43,06,100	212	2,40,30,126	2,74,34,700	34,04,574	...	...

- (a) Although for convenience classed amongst state railways, this line is the property of the Bengal Central Railway Company. The working of this line has been taken over by the Company from the 1st January 1897.
- (b) Includes the Bhopal-Itāsi railway.
- (c) Includes the Godhra-Rutlam-Nāgdā railway.
- (d) Includes the Guntakal-Mysore frontier section.
- (e) Includes the Tirhoot state railway. Although for convenience classed amongst state railways, the company's section of this line is the property of the Bengal and North-Western Railway Company.

- (f) Transferred for working to the Burma Railways Company with effect from the 1st September 1896.
- (g) Includes the Jammu and Kashmir and the Hyderabad-Shadi-palli railways.
- (h) Information not received.
- (i) Includes the Wardha Coal, the Dhond-Manmād, the Khāmgaon, and the Amrāoti railways.
- (j) Total earnings from the 15th July to the 15th August 1896.
- (k) Includes the Mysore-Nanjangūd and the Yeavantpur-Mysore frontier sections.
- (l) This line is being worked by the Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway Company as a temporary measure.

SIMLA, the 26th August, 1897.

G. A. ANDERSON,
Under Secretary.

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
RAILWAY STATISTICS.**

**NO. XVIII OF 1897-98.
STATEMENT OF APPROXIMATE GROSS EARNINGS OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.**
N.B.—As regards the figures in column Total earnings from 1st April 1897, audited figures have been used as far as possible.

RAILWAY.	Average earnings per mile per week in 1896-97.	WEEK ENDING 15TH AUGUST 1896.				WEEK ENDING 14TH AUGUST 1897.				Earnings from 1st April to 15th August 1896.	Earnings from 1st April to 14th August 1897.	Increase.	Decrease.
		Mean mileage worked.	Earnings.		Mean mileage worked.	Earnings.							
			Total.	Per mile open per week.		Total.	Per mile open per week.						
State lines worked by companies.	Rs.	Miles.	Rs.	Rs.	Miles.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		
Standard gauge—													
East Indian	605	1,735	8,39,959	484	1,736	10,44,000	601	1,83,63,107	2,14,34,000	30,70,893	...		
Bengal Central (a)	146	125	19,600	157	125	21,400	171	3,06,892	3,43,000	36,108	...		
Bengal-Nagpur	137	861	67,003	78	862	75,000	87	20,28,732	21,48,000	1,19,268	...		
Indian Midland (b)	139	752	75,623	101	752	99,900	133	18,75,002	23,40,000	4,64,998	...		
Bezwada extn. (East Coast State)	134	21	203	13	21	3,600	171	51,605	54,700	3,095	...		
Mad.-Ennur sec. (Bezwada-Mad.)	163	9	1,169	130	9	1,000	111	28,299	23,000	...	5,299		
Metre gauge—													
Rajputana-Malwa (c)	211	1,815	2,71,492	150	1,815	3,11,000	171	75,21,561	70,90,000	...	4,31,561		
Palanpur-Deesa	58	17	503	30	17	300	18	24,352	16,800	...	7,552		
South Indian	105	1,042	1,24,170	119	1,042	1,65,000	158	34,54,680	35,18,000	63,920	...		
Máyavaram-Mutupet	91	54	3,892	72	54	4,700	87	1,01,608	1,04,000	2,392	...		
Southern Mahratta (d)	116	1,105	88,808	76	1,105	1,40,000	120	27,38,902	30,88,000	3,49,098	...		
Bengal and North-Western (e)	140	756	88,225	117	815	1,10,000	135	22,26,459	25,70,000	3,52,541	...		
Lucknow-Barcilly	70	200	10,445	52	200	11,200	50	3,02,921	3,28,000	25,079	...		
Assam-Bengal	61	159	7,345	46	238	10,800	45	2,13,820	3,00,000	95,180	...		
Burma (f)	176	842	91,583	109	886	1,12,000	126	25,41,637	30,12,000	4,70,363	...		
TOTAL	236	9,554	16,90,080	177	9,737	21,00,900	217	4,17,78,077	4,63,87,500	46,08,523	...		
State lines worked by the State.													
Standard gauge—													
North Western (g)	211	2,656	4,61,348	174	2,883	6,11,000	212	1,07,26,613	1,09,51,000	2,24,387	...		
Oudh and Rohilkhand (including the metre gauge link)	193	797	1,21,646	153	875	1,45,000	166	32,00,488	32,96,000	95,512	...		
Eastern Bengal (including metre and 2' 6" gauges)	354	814	3,36,924	414	814	2,50,000	307	4,62,934	42,07,000	...	2,55,934		
East Coast	94	500	61,611	123	538	53,900	100	9,29,984	10,53,000	1,23,016	...		
Special gauges—													
Jorhát	73	25	2,189	88	25	2,000	80	33,172	38,600	5,428	...		
Cherra-Companyganj	61	...	...	...	...	(h)	...	(i) 5,058	(j) 4,200	...	858
TOTAL	219	4,792	9,83,718	205	5,135	10,61,900	207	1,93,58,249	1,95,49,800	1,91,551	...		
Lines worked by guaranteed cos.													
Standard gauge—													
Great Indian Peninsula (k)	407	1,490	3,94,528	265	1,491	4,42,000	266	1,24,91,348	1,01,60,000	...	23,31,348		
Bombay, Baroda and Central India	630	461	1,95,311	424	461	1,91,000	414	62,20,091	59,16,000	...	3,04,091		
Madras	253	840	2,06,231	246	840	2,19,000	261	41,24,045	44,77,000	3,52,955	...		
TOTAL	397	2,791	7,96,070	285	2,792	8,52,000	305	2,28,35,484	2,05,53,000	...	22,82,484		
TOTAL (GUARANTEED AND STATE) .	257	17,137	34,69,874	202	17,664	40,23,800	228	8,39,72,710	8,64,90,300	25,17,590	...		
Assisted companies.													
Standard gauge—													
Delhi-Umballa-Kalka	157	160	19,381	121	160	26,200	161	4,65,980	5,20,000	54,020	...		
Tarkessur	273	22	4,783	217	22	5,000	227	1,22,974	1,25,000	2,026	...		
Metre gauge—													
Rohilkund and Kumaon (Coy.'s sec.)	131	66	6,345	96	66	5,800	88	1,05,101	1,40,000	...	46,101		
Bengal-Dooars	146	36	5,640	157	36	7,800	217	93,333	89,000	...	4,333		
Dibrú-Sadiya	167	78	10,169	130	78	17,200	221	2,37,972	3,04,000	66,028	...		
Ahmedabad-Parántij . . . . .	...	...	...	...	41	1,000	24	...	(l) 26,500	26,500	...
Special gauge—													
Darjeeling-Himalayan	287	51	14,409	282	51	15,000	294	3,24,449	3,00,000	...	24,449		
TOTAL	176	413	60,727	147	454	78,000	172	14,39,809	15,13,500	73,691	...		
Lines owned by native states and worked by other agencies.													
Standard gauge—													
Bina-Gooná	28	74	1,687	23	74	1,300	18	33,580	40,800	7,220	...		
Bhopal-Ujjain	80	114	10,328	91	114	5,300	46	1,73,168	1,37,000	...	36,168		
Nágdá-Ujjain	53	34	2,445	72	35	900	26	(m) 6,913	43,200	36,287	...		
The Nizam's guaranteed state	191	333	40,197	121	334	77,700	233	11,59,949	12,98,000	1,38,051	...		
The Gaekwar's Pétlád	159	13	739	57	13	1,200	92	66,055	27,900	...	38,155		
Rájpura-Ithátinda	159	108	16,405	152	108	9,800	91	4,67,606	2,05,000	...	2,62,606		
Kolar Gold-fields	330	10	3,974	397	10	3,200	320	56,174	70,300	14,126	...		
Metre gauge—													
Mysore sec. (Southern Mahratta)(n)	68	362	26,781	74	362	42,300	117	6,60,305	8,61,000	2,00,695	...		
The Gaekwar's Mehsána	85	93	4,322	40	93	5,000	54	2,04,849	1,41,000	...	63,849		
Kolhápúr	70	29	1,278	44	29	2,300	79	45,324	48,000	2,676	...		
Special gauges—													
The Gaekwar's Dabhoi	63	72	1,858	26	79	3,600	46	97,830	88,500	...	9,330		
Anklesvar-Párdi section (Rajpipla) . . . . .	...	...	...	...	19	300	16	...	(v) 1,400	1,400	...
Cooch Behar	63	22	882	40	22	1,000	45	24,643	20,200	...	4,443		
TOTAL	120	1,264	1,10,956	88	1,292	1,53,900	119	29,96,396	29,82,300	...	14,096		
Lines owned & worked by n. states													
Metre gauge—													
Bhánagar-Gondal-Junágarh-Porbandar	108	334	23,476	70	334	19,700	59	7,42,555	6,99,000	...	43,555		
Jetalsar-Rájkot	81	46	2,771	60	46	3,400	74	69,302	74,000	4,698	...		
Jámnagar . . . . .	...	...	...	...	51	2,700	53	...	(p) 42,100	42,100	...
Jodhpur-Bickaneer	67	364	13,238	36	364	16,700	46	4,33,139	4,50,000	16,861	...		
Oodeypore-Chitor (q)	42	60	2,453	41	60	1,800	30	48,561	44,500	...	4,061		
Special gauge—													
Morvi	78	94	6,235	66	94	6,100	65	1,54,914	1,48,000	...	6,914		
TOTAL	82	898	48,173	54	949	50,400	53	14,48,471	14,57,600	9,129	...		
GRAND TOTAL	239	19,712	36,89,730	187	20,359	43,06,100	212	8,98,57,386	9,24,43,700	25,86,314	...		

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- (h) Information not received.
- (i) Total earnings from the 1st April to the 6th June 1896.
- (j) Total earnings from the 1st April to the 15th June 1897.
- (k) Includes the Wardha Coal, the Dhond-Manmád, the Khámgaon, and the Amráoti railways.
- (l) Total earnings from the 1st May to the 14th August 1897.
- (m) Total earnings from the 15th July to the 15th August 1896.
- (n) Includes the Mysore-Nanjangud and the Yésvantpur-Mysore frontier sections.
- (o) Total earnings from the 1st July to the 14th August 1897.
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- (q) This line is being worked by the Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway Company as a temporary measure.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

INVENTIONS and DESIGNS.

Calcutta, the 26th August 1897.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2401 P.—APPLICATIONS in respect of the undermentioned inventions have been filed, under the provisions of the Inventions and Designs Act of 1888, in the office of the Secretary appointed under that Act, during the week ending 21st August 1897 :—

- No. 326 of 1897.—Amended application—*See* No. 178 of 1897.
- No. 327 of 1897.—Paluru Sankaranarayana, M.A., tutor to the rajah of Pittapore, Godavery district, Madras presidency, for improvements in cases for holding cigars, cigarettes, match boxes or other articles.
- No. 328 of 1897.—Richard Caufal, musical instrument maker, of 16^A Barr street, Rangoon, for a musical instrument preserver, to be known as the “Richard Caufal’s musical instrument preserver.”
- No. 329 of 1897.—William Martin Green, photo-engraver, of 159 Queen street, Melbourne in the colony of Victoria, for improvements in venetian blinds.
- No. 330 of 1897.—Stuart Bunting, manufacturer, of 91 Smallbrook street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, for improvements in pneumatic tyres.
- No. 331 of 1897.—Harry Aubrey deVere Maclean, *kaid* or officer in the army of H. S. M. the Sultan of Morocco, of Church house, Kew, in the county of Surrey, for improvements in carts for military and other purposes.
- No. 332 of 1897.—N. E. Yeiser (Rev.). M.A., missionary, Narasarowpet, Madras presidency, for eye glasses, to be called “the adjustable boneless plates for eye glasses.”

No. 2402 P.—SPECIFICATIONS of the undermentioned inventions have been filed, under the provisions of the Inventions and Designs Act of 1888, in the office of the Secretary appointed under that Act, and copies have been sent to the Governments of Fort St. George, Bombay, and Burma, and the Director of the department of land records and agriculture, North-Western Provinces and Oudh. These and other specifications are open to public inspection, from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M., at the Secretary’s office (Imperial Secretariat, Government Place, West, Calcutta), on payment of a fee of one rupee, and a certified copy of any one of them will be supplied on payment of the fixed expenses of copying :—

- No. 289 of 1896.—Samuel Lucas and Thomas Harrison Lucas, spindle manufacturers, of Dronefield, in the county of Derby, for an improved method of lubricating and retaining the oil in upright spindles. (Specification filed 13 August 1897.)
- No. 21 of 1897.—Robert Henry Livesay, secretary and general manager, of the Donegal Railway Co., of Stranolar, in the county of Donegal, for means for facilitating the transfer of goods between railways of different gauges. (Specification filed 13 August 1897.)
- No. 27 of 1897.—Thomas Rowley, consulting India-rubber expert, of Corporation street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, for improvements relating to pneumatic tyres. (Specification filed 16 August 1897.)
- No. 29 of 1897.—The Anglo-French Motor-Carriage Co., Ltd., of Digbeth, Birmingham, for improvements in rotary motors and the like. (Specification filed 16 August 1897.)

- No. 38 of 1897.—Richard Thomas Bellemy, chemist, of King street, Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, and Charles Bellemy, mechanical engineer of Rush street, Woollahra, near Sydney, in the said colony, for improvements in wheels for cycles, road vehicles and the like. (Specification filed 16 August 1897.)
- No. 39 of 1897.—James Welsh, grocer, of King street, Newcastle, in the colony of New South Wales, for an improved driving mechanism for cycles and the like. (Specification filed 16 August 1897.)
- No. 44 of 1897.—John Townsend Trench, land agent, of Kenmare, county Kerry, for improvements in pneumatic tyres. (Specification filed 11 August 1897.)
- No. 57 of 1897.—Edward Lloyd Pease, engineer, of Harworth Moor, Harworth-on-Tees, in the county of Durham, for improvements in structural arrangements for combining strength with rigidity in a manner applicable to flooring, walling, and the like structural purposes. (Specification filed 16 August 1897.)
- No. 81 of 1897.—Gavin Sibbald Jones, engineer, of Cawnpore, for an improved sugarcane crushing mill. (Specification filed 17 August 1897.)
- No. 90 of 1897.—Donald Cameron, civil engineer, of No. 1 Sylvan road, Pennsylvania, Exeter, and Frederick James Commin, fellow of the institute of surveyors, of No. 7 Bedford circus, Exeter, for improvements in apparatus for automatically alternating the delivery of liquid to two chambers or receptacles, and also its discharge therefrom, particularly applicable to sewage filters. (Specification filed 13 August 1897.)
- No. 92 of 1897.—Donald Cameron, civil engineer, of No. 1 Sylvan road, Pennsylvania, Exeter, and Frederick James Commin, fellow of the institute of surveyors, of No. 7 Bedford circus, Exeter, for improvements in the treatment of sewage, and in apparatus therefor. (Specification filed 13 August 1897.)
- No. 93 of 1897.—Donald Cameron, civil engineer, of No. 1 Sylvan road, Pennsylvania, Exeter, Frederick James Commin, fellow of the institute of surveyors, of No. 7 Bedford circus, Exeter, and Arthur John Martin, civil engineer, of Bradminch house, Exeter, for improvements in apparatus for the treatment of sewage or other liquids. (Specification filed 13 August 1897.)
- No. 151 of 1897.—John Davy Williams, engineer, and Louis Denhame Gibson, bank manager, both of Creswick, in the colony of Victoria, for a method and apparatus for treating the air in mines in order to control noxious gases. (Specification filed 17 August 1897.)
- No. 157 of 1897.—Frank Edmund Winsland, tea planter, Joyhing, North Lakhimpur, Assam, for improvements in tea dryers. (Specification filed 11 August 1897.)
- No. 162 of 1897.—Hermann Briesemeister, tailor, of 24 Goltzstrasse, Berlin W., in the Empire of Germany, for improvements in stoves. (Specification filed 17 August 1897.)
- No. 177 of 1897.—Robert Jack, vigneron, of Rutherglen, in the colony of Victoria, for improvements in paper bags. (Specification filed 11 August 1897.)
- No. 201 of 1897.—Frederick Augustus Knapp, barrister, of the town of Prescott, in the county of Leeds, and province of Ontario, Canada, and George Goodwin, contractor, of the city of Ottawa, in the county of Carleton, and said province of Ontario, for improvements in marine vessels. (Specification filed 17 August 1897.)

No. 2403 P.—THE undermentioned design has been registered, under the provisions of the Inventions and Designs Act, 1888, in the office of the Secretary appointed under that Act, and copies have been sent to the Governments of Fort St. George, Bombay, and Burma. This and other designs are open to public inspection, from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M., at the Secretary's office (Imperial Secretariat, Government Place, West, Calcutta), on payment of a fee of one rupee, and a certified copy of any one of them will be supplied on payment of the fixed expenses of copying :—

No. 11D of 1897.—Muhammad Azim Khan, overseer and contractor, Delhi and Mussoorie, for a railing.

No. 2404 P.—THE fees prescribed in Schedule 4 of Act V of 1888 have been paid

for the continuance of exclusive privilege in respect of the undermentioned inventions for the periods shown against each:—

- No. 159 of 1888.—John Vicars, Thomas Vicars and John Vicars, the younger, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, for improvements in apparatus for feeding fuel to steam generator furnaces. (From 17 August 1897 to 17 August 1898.)
- No. 143 of 1889.—John French Golding, journalist, of Chicago, Illinois, U. S. A., for improvements in machines for the manufacture of metal lattice-work or trellis work. (From 22 August 1897 to 22 August 1898.)
- No. 247 of 1890.—Philip Diehl and William Brandt, mechanical engineers, of Elizabeth, State of New Jersey, U. S. A., for improvements in sewing machine shuttles, and parts connected therewith. (From 5 October 1897 to 5 October 1898.)
- No. 9 of 1891.—Michel John Paul, gentleman, of 18 Montague place, in the county of Middlesex, for improvements in discharging coal and similar cargo from lighters to ships or wharves. (From 1 October 1897 to 1 October 1898.)
- No. 110 of 1892.—William Stronach Lockhart, engineer, and Edwin William Streeter, merchant of precious stones, both of London, for an improved process and apparatus used therein for the separation of metals, precious stones or other minerals from gangue or other matter mixed therewith. (From 18 August 1897 to 18 August 1898.)
- No. 136 of 1892.—William Woolnough, tin plate worker, of 10 Cranmer road, Forest gate, in the county of Essex, for improvements in apparatus or machinery for the manufacture of square cornered tins, cans, boxes or cases for holding petroleum or other liquids or materials. (From 19 August 1897 to 19 August 1898.)
- No. 156 of 1892.—John Pullman, manufacturer, of 17 Greek street, Soho square, in the county of Middlesex, and Howard Lane, engineer, of Corporation street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, for an improved process of, and apparatus for, producing aerated beverages. (From 22 July 1897 to 22 July 1898.)
- No. 63 of 1893.—William Stronach Lockhart, civil engineer, of London, for an improved machine for sorting materials according to size. (From 17 August 1897 to 17 August 1898.)
- No. 111 of 1893.—Samson Fox, civil engineer, of the Leeds forge, New Wortley, Leeds, in the county of York, for improvements in the manufacture of axle boxes, and in apparatus for the purpose. (From 4 September 1897 to 4 September 1898.)

No. 2405 P.—WHEREAS the inventors of the undermentioned inventions have respectively failed to pay, within the time limited in that behalf by the fourth schedule to the Inventions and Designs Act (V of 1888), the fees hereinafter respectively mentioned, it is hereby notified that under the provisions of section 8, sub-section (2) of the said Act, the exclusive privilege of making, selling, and using the said inventions in British India and of authorizing others so to do has ceased:—

- No. 149 of 1892.—Edward Lennon Cantwell's invention for improvements in sugarcane-crushing mills, and for improved sugarcane mills, to be known as "Cantwell's champion mills". (Specification filed 20 May 1893.)
- No. 160 of 1892.—Charles Joshua King's invention for cleaning and ventilating main sewers. (Specification filed 18 May 1893.)
- No. 281 of 1892.—Benjamin Mayer and Walter Henry Mitchell's invention for improvements in couplings for railway carriages, cars or trucks. (Specification filed 18 May 1893.)
- No. 99 of 1893.—Alexander Lawson and A. H. Gleadow-Newcomen's invention for a new or improved combination of boot brush and blacking receptacle, to be called the "*multum in parvo* or campaign boot-brush". (Specification filed 19 May 1893.)
- No. 122 of 1893.—Olaf Terp's invention for improvements in the manufacture of emery wheels, grindstones, hones, millstones and the like. (Specification filed 15 May 1893.)

Fee in respect of the continuance of an exclusive privilege—

(4) (a) After the filing of the specification and before the expiration of the fourth year from the date of the filing thereof.

The sum of Rs 50 for each of the said inventions.

No. 91 of 1888.—Carl Haggemacher's invention for an improved method and apparatus for sifting, bolting, sorting, grading or separating meal, middlings and other like pulverulent or granular materials or produce. (Specification filed 16 May 1889.)

Fee in respect of the continuance of an exclusive privilege—

4 (e) After the expiration of the seventh year and before the expiration of the eighth year from the date of the filing of the specification.

The sum of Rs 50 for the said invention.

NOTICES.

All communications relating to Act V (the Inventions and Designs Act) of 1888 should be addressed to the "Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Revenue and Agriculture (PATENTS BRANCH), CALCUTTA."

The office of the Secretary under the Act is open for the transaction of business from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M. on all days except Sundays and gazetted holidays.

The Government of India are advised that as trade marks are not "designs" within the meaning of the Act, they cannot be registered under Part II.

The fees payable under the fourth and sixth schedules are now collected in cash, and applicants are warned that they must be responsible for any delay in cashing cheques.

Copies of the weekly notifications, and of the quarterly lists, of applications and specifications filed in the Secretary's office are now on sale to the public at one anna and eight annas a copy respectively.

Attention is requested to the rules made by the Government on the 10th October, 1895, in regard to the preparation of applications, specifications and drawings.

All applications made under the Inventions and Designs Act, V of 1888, will from this date (December 19th, 1896) lie in the visitors' room of the Patents Office for ten days from the date of the *Gazette of India* in which their filing may have been notified; or, if the tenth day is a holiday, till the evening of the office day next following.

At the time of delivering or sending an application for leave to file a specification, the applicant shall cause a duplicate copy of the application to be delivered or sent therewith to the Secretary.

A. T. PRINGLE,

*Offg. Secy. under the Inventions and
Designs Act, 1888.*

BANK OF BENGAL—PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE.

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enforced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th August, 1897.

PARTICULARS.	3 PER CENT. LOANS						4 PER CENT. LOANS						4½ PER CENT. LOANS			TRANSFER LOAN OF 1879. SEVEN SHILLINGS PER CENT. PORTION.	5 PER CENT. LOAN OF 1886-87.	GRAND TOTAL.	
	3 PER CENT. LOANS						4 PER CENT. LOANS						4½ PER CENT. LOANS						
	Of 1843-45.	Of 1854-55.	Of 1865.	Of 1879.	Of 1893-94.	Of 1895-94.	Of 1843-45.	Of 1854-55.	Of 1865.	Reduced 4 per cent. Loan of 1879.	Total.	Of 1870.	Of 1878.	TRANSFER LOAN OF 1879. 4½ PER CENT. PORTION.	Total.				
Balance of 31st July, 1897 .	2,06,57,900	14,91,00,800	2,85,21,400	1,46,51,500	10,53,300	28,900	21,46,19,400	8,427	17,000	4,800	39,900	90,000	12,700	1,73,727	68,000	78,000	1,24,000	31,200	22,55,00,127
44- Amount of 31, 1854-55, Coupon Notes transferred to London	58,400	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	55,400	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	56,100
Amount enforced at Madras between 1st and 15th August, 1897 . . . . .	...	...	1,000	...	...	...	1,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,000
Amount enforced at Bombay between 1st and 15th August, 1897	2,000	1,000	...	...	...	...	3,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,000
Amount enforced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th August, 1897	63,500	5,20,600	19,200	1,200	...	...	6,14,500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,25,000
1,05,11,400	2,07,23,400	14,06,94,800	2,85,41,600	1,46,51,700	10,53,300	28,500	21,45,94,300	8,427	17,000	4,800	39,900	90,000	12,700	1,73,727	68,000	78,000	1,24,000	31,200	22,50,12,627
Deduct— Amount written off in the London Registers	2,35,500	18,70,600	1,16,200	1,81,600	65,800	...	24,99,700	...	12,000	3,000	4,100	39,700	6,000	65,700	...	3,000	...	...	28,42,400
Balance on 15th August, 1897 .	1,04,97,400	14,78,24,200	2,84,25,400	1,44,71,100	9,87,500	28,500	21,23,24,600	8,427	5,000	1,800	35,800	50,300	6,700	1,08,027	68,000	75,000	1,24,000	31,200	22,30,20,227

NOTE.—From 9th June, 1897, to 15th June, 1897, enforced from India, 9,683 lakhs, re-transferred from London 8,709 lakhs.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,
BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, the 17th August, 1897.

W. D. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.

ADMINISTRATOR GENERAL OF BENGAL.

Notice of death sent to the Administrator General of Bengal under Section 64 of Act II of 1874.

Name of deceased.	Place of death.	Date of death.	By whom death reported and when.	REMARKS.
Craw . . .	Not stated . . .	3rd July, 1897 . . .	The Commissioner, Kumaon Division, on 20th July, 1897.	Deceased was of the Doonagiri Tea Plantation. Will left. The Executor is in London. No application.
J. O'Brien . . .	Ditto . . .	Not stated . . .	Same Judge, on 13th July, 1897.	Deceased was Chief Clerk of the North-Western Railway, Saharanpore. No Will found. No application.
A. Demontie . . .	Digah, in Dinapore . . .	11th May, 1897 . . .	The District Judge of Patna, on 11th August, 1897.	Deceased was a Native Christian. No Will found. Mrs. Anne Anthony has applied, as the lawful heir of deceased, under Act XIX of 1841. (Curators).
Alfred Wiseman (of 12, Mott's Lane).	Presidency General Hospital.	9th August, 1897 . . .	The District Judge, 24-Pergunnahs, Alipore, on 14th August, 1897.	No Will found. No application.
Samuel Martin (of 25, Rubia's Lane, Entally).	Ditto . . .	11th August, 1897 . . .	Same Judge, on 16th August, 1897.	Ditto ditto.
Charles S. Stewart (of 32, Marquis Street).	Ditto . . .	14th August, 1897 . . .	Same Judge, on 18th August, 1897.	Ditto ditto.
Thomas Devereaux (of 19, Lal Bazar Street)	Ditto . . .	15th August, 1897 . . .	Same Judge, on 19th August, 1897.	Ditto ditto.
Mrs. Margaret Fleming.	Naini Tal . . .	13th July, 1897 . . .	The Deputy Commissioner, Naini Tal, on 17th August, 1897.	No Will found. Mr. Joseph Paterson Fleming, husband of deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration.
Robert Clark . . .	Massimpur . . .	28th July, 1897 . . .	The Deputy Commissioner, Silchar, on 17th-18th August, 1897.	Deceased was Assistant Manager of Massimpur Tea Garden in Cachar. No Will found. No application.
Driver J. Treanor . . .	Tundla . . .	4th August, 1897 . . .	The District Judge, Cawnpore, on 18th August, 1897.	Will left in favor of his wife, Mrs. Margery Treanor. No application.

L. P. D. BROUGHTON,

Administrator General of Bengal.

7, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET;
Calcutta, the 27th August, 1897.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 24th August, 1897.

LIABILITIES.				ASSETS.			
	R	a.	p.		R	a.	p.
Capital paid-up	2,00,00,000	0	0	Government Securities	83,93,314	0	0
Reserve Fund	80,00,000	0	0	Other authorised Investments	77,67,695	8	0
Public Deposits at	R	a.	p.	Loans on Government and other			
Head Office . 83,52,193	12	3	} 1,27,80,063	authorised Securities	1,54,12,225	8	2
Public Deposits at				Accounts of Credit on Government			
Branches . 44,27,869	6	8		and other authorised Securities	2,06,35,085	0	1
Other Deposits at Head Office and				Bills discounted and purchased	1,10,97,630	4	9
Branches	5,80,57,008	2	5	Balances with other Banks	3,07,406	5	7
Bank Post Bills, etc.	4,37,343	1	9	Bullion	2,896	11	0
Sundries	21,09,802	2	0	Dead Stock	13,37,885	13	6
	RUPES			Stamps	8,490	15	0
	10,13,84,216	9	1	Sundries	12,40,827	8	8
					6,62,63,457	11	3
				Cash and Cur-	R	a.	p.
				rency Notes at			
				Head Office . 1,86,32,796	15	0	} 3,51,20,758
				Cash and Cur-			
				rency Notes at			
				Branches . 1,64,87,961	14	10	13 10
					RUPES		
					10,13,84,216	9	1

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 26th August, 1897.E. J. BIRCH,
Offg. Chief Accountant.
Rate for Demand Loans 5 per cent.
Percentage 47·8.By order of the Directors,
W. D. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.DIRECTOR-GENERAL, INDIAN
MEDICAL SERVICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 20th August, 1897.

No. 54.—The services of the undermentioned Hospital Assistants, of the Madras Command, have been placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of the Andaman Settlement, for civil employment:—

No. 1286, third grade, S. Jesudasen.

No. 1288, third grade, D. Moonesawmy Moody.

JAMES CLEGHORN, M.D.,

Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

SURVEY OF INDIA DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 25th August, 1897.

No. 246.—Munshi Ahmed Ali, Khan Bahadur, Sub-Assistant Superintendent, 3rd grade, is granted privilege leave for 58 days, under Article 291 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st October, 1897.

No. 247.—Mr. B. G. Gilbert-Cooper, Officiating Deputy Superintendent 1st grade, is granted privilege leave for three months and

fourteen days, under Articles 282 (i) and 291 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 5th September, 1897, or the subsequent date from which he may avail himself thereof.

No. 248.—Munshi Yusuf Sharif, Khan Bahadur, Sub-Assistant Superintendent, 1st grade, is granted privilege leave for two months, under Article 291 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 3rd September, 1897, or the subsequent date from which he may avail himself thereof.

CHAS. STRAHAN, Major-Genl., R.E.,
Surveyor-General of India.AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENE-
RAL, RAJPUTANA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Abu, the 17th August, 1897.

No. 3600 G.—Kumar Shri Harbhamji Rawaji, Diwan of Bhartpore State, availed himself, on the afternoon of the 5th August, 1897, of the privilege leave granted to him in this office Notification No. 3270-G., dated the 24th July, 1897.

The 21st August, 1897.

No. 3665-G.—Captain A. B. Mayne, Indian Staff Corps, availed himself, on the forenoon of the 10th August, 1897, of the privilege leave

granted him in this office Notification No. 3433-G., dated the 5th idem.

By Order,

A. F. BRUCE, *Captain*,
First Assistant Agent to the Governor-General,
Rajputana.

AGENT TO THE GOVR.-GENERAL. IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Camp Ziarat, the 16th August, 1897.

No. 1604-C.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 11 of the Baluchistan Agency Forest Law, and in continuation of Notification No. 13, dated 2nd January, 1894, the Agent to the Governor-General in Baluchistan is pleased to declare that the under-mentioned trees, wherever growing naturally on waste or uncultivated land in the territories administered by the Agent to the Governor-General as such Agent, shall, from the 1st September, 1897, be reserved trees :—

No.	Botanical Name.	English Name.	Vernacular Name.
1	<i>Pinus Gerardiana</i>	Edible Pine	Chilghoza.
2	<i>Pinus Exoclsa</i>	Blue Pine	Kail.

The 18th August, 1897.

No. 1632-C.—Surgeon-Captain W. R. Edwards, M.D., Civil Surgeon of Quetta, availed himself of the one month's privilege leave granted to him under this office Notification No. 1396-C., dated the 26th July, 1897, in the forenoon of the 7th August, 1897, making over charge of his duties to Surgeon-Major G. E. Fooks, 16th Bombay Native Infantry.

By Order,

F. MACDONALD, *Captain*,
First Assistant.

THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Bangalore, the 16th August, 1897.

No. 3378.—Whereas by the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 2252-I., dated the 7th August, 1883, the Indian Christian Marriage Act, 1872, was, with certain modifications, declared to apply to the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, so far as regards marriages between persons, one of whom is a Native Christian subject of Mysore, and neither of whom is a Christian British subject :

In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6, 7 and 9, respectively, of the Act, the Resident in Mysore is pleased —

(a) to grant a license to Mr. J. H. Aston, a Missionary belonging to the

"Brethren" to solemnize marriages within the territories included in the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore ;

(b) to appoint the said Mr. J. H. Aston as Marriage Registrar for the said territories ; and

(c) to grant a license to the said Mr. J. H. Aston, authorising him to grant certificates of marriage within the said territories between Native Christians, one of whom is a Native Christian subject of Mysore, and neither of whom is a Christian subject of Her Majesty.

The 21st August, 1897.

No. 3475.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 46, clause (2), of the Bangalore Municipal Law, 1897, the Resident in Mysore is pleased to exempt all Military Officers or soldiers who are or may be from time to time employed on Military duty in the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, from payment of any tax to the Municipal Commission on account of their profession as Military officers or soldiers. The foregoing exemption also applies to ladies of the Indian Nursing Association employed on nursing duty in Bangalore.

By Order,

K. D. ERSKINE, *Captain*,
First Assistant Resident.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Sealdah, Calcutta, the 25th August, 1897.

No 4.—Mr. W. E. Hartt, District Traffic Superintendent, is granted six months' leave on urgent private affairs, under Article 348 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 7th September, 1897 or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

S. FINNEY,
Manager.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 21st August, 1897.

No. 17.—The undermentioned officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Secretary of State for India :—

Major H. Melvill, I.S.C., Military Accountant, 1st class, (m. c.) for three months.

W. FAURE FIELD, *Major*,
for Accountant General.
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ORDERS BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

1. The following addition has been made to paragraph 3 of the Rules for the B.A. Examination (page 127, Calendar, 1897) :—

‘In the 3rd Honour Paper, 25 marks shall be assigned to questions on the ‘special subject’ in History of Philosophy.”

2. The M.B. Examinations will be held on the 28th February, 1898, and the following days.

Applications and fees for admission to the M.B. Examinations must reach the Registrar on or before the 12th February, 1898.

3. The following Genera and orders in Zoology have been prescribed for the B.A. Examination in 1898 :—

- (1) The Indian Genera of the Invertibrate order—*Scorpionidea*.
- (2) The Indian Genera of the Family *Viperidae* of the sub-order *Ophidia*.
- (3) The Indian Genera of the Avian order—*Accipitres*.
- (4) The Indian Genera of the Family *Bovidae* of the Mammalian order—*Ungulata*.

J. H. GILLILAND,

Registrar.

SENATE HOUSE;

The 24th August, 1897.

ORDERS BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CAL- CUTTA UNIVERSITY.

The undermentioned candidates have passed the B. E. Examination :—

FIRST DIVISION.

(In order of Merit.)

1. Chakrabarti, Purnendu . . . Civil Engineering College.
2. Saha, Inananjan . . . Ditto.

SECOND DIVISION.

(In order of Merit.)

1. Bandyopadhyay, Gobindachandra . Civil Engineering College.
2. Ghosh, Kisorimohan . . . Ditto.
3. Chattopadhyay, Harisadhan . . . Ditto.

J. H. GILLILAND,

Registrar.

SENATE HOUSE;

The 27th August, 1897.

METEOROLOGICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

LEAVE.

Simla, the 18th August, 1897.

Mr. W. C. Nigel Jones, Superintendent, Bombay Telegraph Office, and Meteorological Reporter for Western India, has been granted privilege leave for three months, with effect from the 6th August, 1897, Mr. A. J. L. Grimes, who assumed charge of the Bombay Central Telegraph Office from Mr. Nigel Jones, also took over the duties of Meteorological Reporter for Western India from that date until further orders.

JOHN ELIOT,

Meteorol. Reporter to the Govt. of India.

DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 17th August, 1897.

No. 66.—Lieutenant H. McC. Cowie, R.E., Assistant Engineer, 3rd grade, was transferred from the North-Western Railway to the Godavari Bridge Works in September, 1896.

No. 67.—Mr. F. D. Couchman, Executive Engineer, 3rd grade, temporary rank, was posted to the Godavari Bridge Works on return from furlough in October, 1896.

T. GRACEY, Colonel, R.E.,

Director General.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 20th September, 1893.

A Registry Office for men of all grades out of employ is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers requiring men are requested to apply to Principal.

J. CLIBBORN, Major, S.E.,

Principal, Thomason College.

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 18th August, 1897.

No. 2517-C.—Mr. C. J. Stowell, Superintendent of Post Offices, 4th grade, is appointed to be second Superintendent in charge of the postal arrangements in connection with the

Malakand Field Force and North-West Frontier disturbances, with effect from the date on which he arrives at the Peshawar Base Office.

A. U. FANSHAWE,

Dir. Genl. of the Post Office of India.

Unclaimed Letters held in the Calcutta General Post Office on the 24th August, 1897.

Abac & Co., J. H. Bonaud (Confectioner).	Devonshire, J. Editor of the "Ibis."	Manager, Madras Financial Review.
Clarkson & Co., H. Croft, T. R.	Grimley & Sons.	McLyall & Co.
Cromton & Co. (Electric Light Co.).	Hanton & Co.	(Watch-makers).
Cundliffe, E.	John & Co.	Ross, Mose.
	Lattimer Crick & Co.	Sutton & Co.
	Manager, Excelsior Medicine Co.	Wynters, Mrs. D.

Letters marked "Care of Post Office."

Albrute, C. B.	Guise, Miss Dollie.	Robertson, G.
Atkins, F. T.	Gutpay, B. L.	Roche, Mr.
Ayres, W. R.	Harvey, G. P.	Rogers, G. S.
Back, Fanny.	Heinesfeir, F.	Roussac, J. H. D.
Bauer, Fritz.	Hemming, Wm. P.	Sarratt, G. H. D.
Baxter, Mrs.	Hill, B.	Schibli, Robert.
Bishop, S. O., Dr.	Hirsch, Rosina.	Scolfield, Robert.
Bitsatsh, Solomon.	Hoyle, J. O.	Setters & Co.
Bloom, Annette, Miss.	Hoyle, Mr.	Shuhan, G. M. R.
Braham, A.	Inman, Thos.	Smith, A. M.
Bride, Mrs. C.	Isaboo, Mr.	Smyth, S. G.
Brothers & Co., R.	Jakim, W. L.	Spence, T. G., care of Capt. Passiful.
Brownlow, E. O.	Johnston, A. J.	Stephens, Mrs. A.
Burke, Miss Maude, care of Mrs. Blanc.	Jordan, Mrs. H.	Street, H. A.
Caine, H.	Kelsall, L., Miss.	Swaries, A. M.
Campos, L.	Kemp, Charles.	Swinforde, Mrs. W.
Cobbett, Miss E.	Kenna, Thos. J.	Target, C. A. B.
Collins, R. A.	Kennedy, J. A.	Tasselli, Miss Gladys.
Cross, J.	Kidd, J. A.	Temple, G. F.
Dale, Miss S.	Klopsch, Dr.	Thomas, Bayliss Wm.
Daly, H.	Leslie, Mrs. K. L.	Thomson, G. W.
Davies, D. Picton.	Litchfield, E.	Thornton, T. P.
Davis, Miss L.	Lopez, Eva, Miss.	Tiefels, Carl.
Devonshire, E. T.	Mansell, Miss.	Townsend, Prof. D. J.
Dufiot, Miss A.	McGuire, T.	Walker, J.
Edwards, J. T.	Miller, W.	Wallnutt, Major Miller.
Eisenstark, Leon.	Milne, G. B.	Watson, E., Mrs.
Ferrao Joas.	Mitchell, Mrs.	Watson, J. D.
Antonio.	Morris, J. R., Dr.	Weiss, A.
Forde, J.	Morrison, Miss Emmie.	Williams, Esq.
Gallagher, W.	Norah, Miss.	Williams, F. F.
Gardenstein Lager.	O'Grady, W.	Winter, A. L.
George, E., Mrs.	O'Mally, A.	Winter, Mrs. E. C.
Gibson, Miss.	Patrick, F. S.	
Goldieck, Mrs. L.	Rhode, Capt. J. H.	
Grant, Lewis.	Robbins, Capt. J. A.	

Registered Letters and Parcels.

A. M. (Ali Muhammad) Jaquob of Simla.	Katz, Gusta, Madam.	Noble, H. J.
Daly, H.	Kilchmann, Alf.	Rossac, J.
Healty & Co.	Langer, A.	Stacer, R. R.
	McMaster, Thos.	Target, C., Mrs.

Unclaimed Letters held in the Bombay General Post Office.

Ashuk, H. Mirza, Capt.	Elliot, C. F.	Lemm, J.
Albert, G., Miss.	Ella, A., Mrs.	Martin, R. R.
Browne, D. L.	Kmpy, Dr.	Manrone, M. J.
Bell, H. E.	Fraida, Miss.	Mowis, Paul.
Brown, Ella, Madam.	Freeman, J. A.	Mossani, S. P.
Beattie, David.	Gover, A. G.	Marlow, Miss.
Bernley, H.	Goodson, M., Dr.	Nesbitt, B., Mrs.
Corry, C. H.	Hickie, C. F.	O'Conner, F.
Culthorpe, E. R.	Hickie, W.	Payne, C. H.
Cardoza, A. K.	Hutchinson, S. St.	Power, P.
Cooke, E., Miss.	Harding, Chas.	Partour, R. V., Monsieur.
Clark, W., Mrs.	Irvine, A. A., Lt.	Riby, G. R.
Cook, P.	Jackson, S.	Roodar, James.
Cordie, H. M.	Jones, A.	Rhester.
Chandler, M. H., Mrs.	Jennings, E.	Simpson, B. G.
D'Souza, D. H.	Jackson, H. C.	Stewart, J. J.
D'Cruz, M.	Kenny, C.	Tasselle, Miss.
Dracott, C. H.	Kinscruner.	Wilson, C., Conductor.
Davies, J. M.	Mojarki.	Wilkinson, C. W. C.
Englier, J., Dr.	King, H.	
	Kerigon, F. H.	
	Lyon, V.	
	Langley, F.	

Unclaimed Letters held in the Barrackpore Post Office on the 24th August, 1897.

Clifford, Mrs. Corvit, G.

The 28th August, 1897.

CALCUTTA POST OFFICE NOTICE.

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Advertisements and Notices by Private Individuals and Corporations.

NOTICE.

It is hereby given that the most of the members of the Panga-Desha-Hitaishi-Rinshodh Fund Company, Limited, have stopped their subscriptions as they have submitted their applications for help, and the rest, too, have discontinued their subscriptions, as the country is greatly affected by the present famine and many Companies of this nature have been established here, and consequently by a special Resolution approved and confirmed in its General Meetings, held on the 5th and 20th Jyaistha 1304 B.S., the Company has been wound up and the balance at credit is being divided and given to the rightful members. Therefore no member is entitled to claim his help according to the sections 11 and 12 of the Articles of Association of this Company.

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KALI MOHAN CHAKROBARTTY,
Liquidators.



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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

PRINCIPAL PORTS—

		Week ending 21st August 1897.	1st November 1896 to 21st August 1897.
CALCUTTA	Imports	313,876	10,915,724
	Exports	23,834	4,663,492
		+ 290,042	+ 6,252,232
RANGOON	Imports	5,548	338,937
	Exports	198,839	27,523,107
		—193,291	—27,184,170
MADRAS	Imports	44,300	1,192,000
	Exports	27,600	324,000
		+ 16,700	+ 868,000
BOMBAY	Imports	318,300	9,240,200
	Exports	27,700	4,232,400
		+ 290,600	+ 5,007,800
KARACHI	Imports	105,800	1,353,471
	Exports	206,900	3,835,176
		—101,100	—2,481,705

PROVINCES AND DISTRICTS—

BENGAL—

Patna Division—

			30th January to 21st August 1897.
PATNA	Imports	31,000	1,053,100
	Exports	11,400	757,000
		+ 19,600	+ 296,100

GAYA	Imports	13,700	244,300
	Exports . . . . .	...	95,400
		+ 13,700	+ 148,900

SHAHABAD	Imports	9,900	276,600
	Exports	3,600	337,200
		+ 6,300	—60,600

SARAN	Imports	28,900	1,251,000
	Exports	2,700	170,600
		+ 26,200	+ 1,080,400

CHAMPARAN

	Imports	11,600	473,000
	Exports	900	48,900
		+ 10,700	+ 424,100

MUZAFFARPUR (incomplete)

	Imports	26,600	937,379
	Exports	700	60,249
		+ 25,900	+ 877,130

DARBHANGA

	Imports	45,700	1,256,000
	Exports	1,700	108,300
		+ 44,000	+ 1,147,700

Bhagalpur Division—

MONGHYR (preceding week)

	Imports	12,200	257,200
	Exports	14,800	1,065,100
		—2,600	—807,900

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE —continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 21st August 1897.	30th January to 21st August 1897.
BENGAL—contd.			
Bhagalpur Division—contd.			
BHÁGALPUR	Imports . . .	9,000	317,468
	Exports . . .	19,300	949,446
		-10,300	-631,978
PURNEA	Imports . . .	2,000	110,751
	Exports . . .	1,000	157,109
		+1,000	-46,358
MALDA	Imports . . .	200	1,400
	Exports . . .	...	1,700
		+200	-300
SANTHAL PARGANAS (<i>incomplete</i>) . . .	Imports . . .	4,400	231,894
	Exports . . .	300	423,585
		+4,100	-191,691
Rajshahi Division—			
RAJSHAHI (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports . . .	5,100	366,800
	Exports . . .	400	55,098
		+4,700	+311,702
DINAJPUR („)	Imports . . .	3,800	57,900
	Exports . . .	1,100	406,500
		+2,700	-348,600
JALPAIGURI	Imports . . .	1,100	309,403
	Exports . . .	3,000	12,333
		-1,900	+297,070
DARJEELING	Imports . . .	4,000	153,900
	Exports . . .	200	4,300
		+3,800	+149,600
RANGPUR	Imports . . .	300	42,900
	Exports . . .	3,900	55,000
		-3,600	-12,100
BOGRA	Imports . . .	5,600	41,700
	Exports . . .	200	296,400
		+5,400	-254,700
PABNA (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports . . .	1,000	268,000
	Exports . . .	...	21,800
		+1,000	+246,200
Dacca Division—			
DACCA	Imports . . .	200	13,500
	Exports . . .	800	18,900
		-600	-5,400
NARAINGANJ	Imports . . .	...	31,000
	Exports . . .	...	162,200
		...	-131,200
MAIMENSINGH (<i>preceding week</i>) . . .	Imports . . .	521	77,929
	Exports . . .	117	9,693
		+404	+68,236
FARIDPUR	Imports . . .	1,700	181,400
	Exports . . .	300	126,500
		+1,400	+54,900
BACKERGANJ	Imports . . .	...	1,200
	Exports . . .	100	42,500
		-100	-41,300

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—*continued*.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 21st August 1897.	30th January to 21st August 1897.
BENGAL—<i>contd.</i>			
Chittagong Division—			
TIPPERA	Imports	2,800	45,404
	Exports . . . . .	...	38,963
		+2,800	+6,441
NOAKHALI	Imports . . . . .	...	400
	Exports	200	6,800
		-200	-6,400
CHITTAGONG	Imports	12,713	586,967
	Exports	4,600	129,420
		+8,113	+457,547
Burdwan Division—			
BURDWAN	Imports	3,700	165,000
	Exports	35,200	1,661,000
		-31,500	-1,496,000
BIRBHUM	Imports	1,400	33,200
	Exports	8,000	1,589,000
		-6,600	-1,555,800
HOOGHLY (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	2,600	85,500
	Exports	1,800	69,400
		+800	+16,100
MIDNAPUR *	Imports . . . . .	...	40,199
	Exports . . . . .	...	275,470
		...	-235,271
Presidency Division—			
24-PARGANAS	Imports	500	30,100
	Exports . . . . .	...	25,700
		+500	+4,400
NADIA	Imports	2,800	793,900
	Exports	7,600	827,700
		-4,800	-33,800
MURSHIDABAD (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	1,900	60,000
	Exports	4,000	276,700
		-2,100	-216,700
JESSORE	Imports	1,200	268,100
	Exports	100	66,700
		+1,100	+201,400
KHULNA	Imports	900	15,200
	Exports . . . . .	...	34,200
		+900	-19,000
Chota Nagpur Division—			
HAZARIBAGH (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	700	190,300
	Exports . . . . .	...	2,100
		+700	+188,200
LOHARDAGA	Imports . . . . .	...	4,200
	Exports . . . . .	...	3,700
		...	+500
MÁNBHUM (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	5,900	187,400
	Exports	100	7,400
		+5,800	+180,000
SINGHBHUM (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	700	8,233
	Exports	100	48,300
		+600	-40,067
RANCHI (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	2,854
	Exports	5,948
		...	-3,094

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(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 21st August 1897.	30th January to 21st August 1897.
BENGAL—concl'd.			
Orissa Division—			
CUTTACK	Imports . . .	...	2,130
	Exports . . .	56 —56	328,229 —326,099
BALASORE	Imports . . .	700	18,600
	Exports . . .	30,300 —29,600	1,067,500 —1,048,900
PURI	Imports . . .	4	1,546
	Exports . . .	1,845 —1,841	45,938 —44,392
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES—			
Meerut Division—			
SAHARANPUR	Imports . . .	1,088	259,137
	Exports . . .	8,030 —6,942	188,526 +70,611
MUZAFFARNAGAR	Imports . . .	800	210,700
	Exports . . .	2,200 —1,400	400,500 —189,800
MEERUT	Imports . . .	1,800	308,640
	Exports . . .	28,000 —26,200	530,459 —221,819
BULANDSHAHR	Imports . . .	1,300	42,600
	Exports . . .	36,000 —34,700	685,300 —642,700
ALIGARH	Imports . . .	2,000	149,200
	Exports . . .	48,700 —46,700	753,800 —604,600
Agra Division—			
MUTTRA	Imports . . .	986	79,720
	Exports . . .	5,096 —4,110	139,991 —60,271
AGRA	Imports . . .	4,300	512,900
	Exports . . .	15,700 —11,400	466,500 +46,400
FARUKHABAD	Imports . . .	1,400	111,600
	Exports . . .	3,200 —1,800	22,100 +89,500
MAINPURI	Imports . . .	...	17,500
	Exports . . .	2,000 —2,000	21,800 —4,300
ETAWAH	Imports . . .	100	66,300
	Exports . . .	5,600 —5,500	36,000 +30,300
ETAH (incomplete)	Imports . . .	200	18,300
	Exports . . .	10,900 —10,700	193,900 —175,600

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 21st August 1897.	30th January to 21st August 1897.
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES			
—contd.			
Rohilkhand Division—			
Bijnor (incomplete)	Imports	6,700	221,600
	Exports	400	9,700
		+ 6,300	+ 211,900
MORADABAD	Imports	3,200	191,900
	Exports	7,600	400,900
		- 4,400	- 209,000
SHAHJAHANPUR	Imports	1,700	88,164
	Exports	2,600	302,042
		- 900	- 213,878
BUDAUN	Imports	100	4,000
	Exports	700	20,600
		- 600	- 16,600
PILIBIT	Imports . . . . .	...	52,675
	Exports	1,100	76,050
		- 1,100	- 23,975
BAREILY	Imports	700	171,100
	Exports	500	198,800
		+ 200	- 27,700
Allahabad Division—			
CAWNPORE	Imports	42,800	1,860,000
	Exports	22,100	601,600
		+ 20,700	+ 1,258,400
FATEHPUR	Imports	5,800	205,400
	Exports . . . . .	...	2,937
		+ 5,800	+ 202,463
BANDA	Imports	6,000	618,900
	Exports . . . . .	...	3,800
		+ 6,000	+ 615,100
HAMIRPUR	Imports	4,500	138,500
	Exports . . . . .	...	4,500
		+ 4,500	+ 134,000
ALLAHABAD	Imports	35,800	1,193,300
	Exports	300	14,800
		+ 35,500	+ 1,178,500
JHANSI	Imports	11,100	446,000
	Exports	200	17,500
		+ 10,900	+ 428,500
JALAUN	Imports	6,400	248,600
	Exports . . . . .	...	14,700
		+ 6,400	+ 233,900
Benares Division—			
BENARES	Imports	18,000	599,400
	Exports	1,300	45,900
		+ 16,700	+ 553,500
MIRZAPUR	Imports	5,600	224,115
	Exports . . . . .	...	11,363
		+ 5,600	+ 212,752
JAUNPUR	Imports	8,000	212,400
	Exports	200	41,400
		+ 7,800	+ 171,000
GHAZIPOUR	Imports	3,500	132,300
	Exports	100	84,300
		+ 3,400	+ 48,000

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports —].

		Week ending 21st August 1897.	30th January to 21st August 1897.
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES			
—consolid.			
Gorakhpur Division—			
BASTI	Imports Exports	... 12,000 —12,000	26,700 329,900 —303,200
BALLIA	Imports Exports	1,098 204 + 894	79,650 62,774 + 16,876
GORAKHPUR	Imports Exports	1,100 200 + 900	122,000 515,400 —393,400
Kumaun Division—			
GARHWAL	Imports Exports	... ... ...	6,700 ... + 6,700
NAINI TAL	Imports Exports	300 300 ...	22,200 83,200 —61,000
ODDH—			
Lucknow Division—			
LUCKNOW	Imports Exports	11,600 6,700 + 4,900	460,100 80,900 + 379,200
UNAO	Imports Exports	1,700 ... + 1,700	61,300 500 + 60,800
RAR-BARELI	Imports Exports	10,900 ... + 10,900	249,300 9,200 + 240,100
SITAPUR	Imports Exports	... 14,700 —14,700	22,496 368,000 —345,504
KHERI (preceding week)	Imports Exports	... 2,200 —2,200	12,700 152,300 —139,600
HARDOI	Imports Exports	200 400 —200	163,300 47,600 + 115,700
Fyzabad Division—			
FYZABAD	Imports Exports	5,700 3,400 + 2,300	238,000 329,800 —91,800
GONDA	Imports Exports	4,800 7,300 —2,500	192,132 185,900 + 6,232
BAHRAICH	Imports Exports	... 1,300 —1,300	8,710 197,800 —189,090
BARABANKI	Imports Exports	... 15,800 —15,800	70,200 265,100 —194,900
RAJPUTANA—			
JODHPUR	Imports Exports	2,483 3,854 —1,371	24,087 107,247 —83,160
BIKANER	Imports Exports	6,950 ... + 6,950	160,013 5 + 160,008

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 21st August 1897.	30th January to 21st August 1897.
AJMERE-MERWARA	Imports	6,800	263,500
	Exports	2,500 + 4,300	84,955 + 178,545
PANJAB—			
Delhi Division—			
HISSAR	Imports	23,900	1,032,500
	Exports	4,900 + 19,000	67,500 + 965,000
ROHTAK	Imports . . . . .	...	5,500
	Exports . . . . .	... ...	3,800 + 1,700
GURGAON (incomplete)	Imports	1,700	99,900
	Exports	5,100 - 3,400	170,600 - 70,700
DELHI	Imports	15,400	810,800
	Exports	14,700 + 700	367,400 + 443,400
KARNAL	Imports	1,300	52,200
	Exports	700 + 600	51,800 + 400
AMBALA	Imports	10,500	392,700
	Exports	700 + 9,800	61,200 + 331,500
SINHA	Imports	400	65,000
	Exports . . . . .	... + 400	200 + 64,800
Jalandhar Division—			
JALANDHAR	Imports	1,700	95,300
	Exports	16,900 - 15,200	803,900 - 708,600
LUDHIANA	Imports	2,400	116,300
	Exports	15,000 - 12,600	685,700 - 569,400
FERROEPUR	Imports	7,800	323,500
	Exports	20,500 - 12,700	687,400 - 363,900
Lahore Division—			
MULTAN	Imports	2,300	184,500
	Exports	6,600 - 4,300	190,100 - 5,600
JHANG	Imports	300	26,600
	Exports	3,700 - 3,400	155,000 - 128,400
MONTGOMERY	Imports	2,600	102,400
	Exports	400 + 2,200	21,600 + 80,800
LAHORE	Imports	14,300	438,102
	Exports	6,100 + 8,200	379,801 + 58,301
AMRITSAR	Imports	4,800	272,400
	Exports	11,000 - 6,200	526,300 - 253,900
GURDASPUR	Imports	1,000	54,100
	Exports	4,700 - 3,700	405,218 - 351,118

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 21st August 1897.	30th January to 21st August 1897.
PANJAB—contd. *			
Rawalpindi Division—			
SIALKOT	Imports	5,100	129,800
	Exports	1,100	55,900
		+ 4,000	+ 73,900
GUJRAT	Imports	5,500	140,400
	Exports	400	28,400
		+ 5,100	+ 112,000
GUJRANWALA	Imports	1,300	115,100
	Exports	16,700	501,500
		—15,400	—386,400
SHAHPUR	Imports	1,100	71,300
	Exports	2,900	69,900
		—1,800	+ 1,400
JHELAM	Imports	3,152	205,707
	Exports	1,414	26,599
		+ 1,738	+ 179,108
RAWALPINDI	Imports	28,000	827,251
	Exports	6,500	93,300
		+ 21,500	+ 733,951
Peshawar Division—			
PESHAWAR	Imports	11,000	250,900
	Exports	18,400	287,100
		—7,400	—36,200
Derajat Division—			
BANNU	Imports	300	6,570
	Exports	2,000	108,357
		—1,700	—101,787
DERA ISMAIL KHAN	Imports	1,100	19,300
	Exports	8,800	203,000
		—7,700	—183,700
MUZAFFARGARH	Imports	100	7,701
	Exports	5,800	150,900
		—5,700	—143,199
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY—			
Guzerat Division—			
AHMADABAD	Imports	10,500	498,600
	Exports	8,100	329,000
		+ 2,400	+ 169,600
KAIRA	Imports	6,500	195,500
	Exports	2,900	194,300
		+ 3,600	+ 1,200
PANCH MAHALS (preceding week)	Imports	1,368	17,545
	Exports	5,730	631,966
		—4,368	—614,421

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports —].

		Week ending 21st August 1897.	30th January to 21st August 1897.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY—contd.			
Guzerat Division—contd.			
BROACH	Imports	13,400	359,231
	Exports	3,300	263,466
		+ 10,100	—95,765
SURAT	Imports	12,500	600,100
	Exports	5,600	194,900
		+ 6,900	+ 405,200
BHAVNAGAR	Imports . . . . .	...	70,874
	Exports . . . . .	...	761
		...	+ 70,113
KATHIAWAR (preceding week)	Imports	2,502	188,319
	Exports	195	3,194
		+ 2,307	+ 185,125
Deccan—			
KHANDESH (incomplete)	Imports	48,600	908,100
	Exports	900	4,800
		+ 47,700	+ 903,300
NASIK	Imports	8,800	568,100
	Exports	1,900	83,100
		+ 6,900	+ 485,000
AHMADNAGAR	Imports	22,900	243,000
	Exports	100	71,200
		+ 22,800	+ 171,800
POONA	Imports	51,000	939,621
	Exports	700	21,500
		+ 50,300	+ 918,121
SHOLAPUR	Imports	41,400	324,300
	Exports	1,900	192,800
		+ 39,500	+ 131,500
SATARA	Imports . . . . .	...	494,844
	Exports . . . . .	...	10,387
		...	+ 484,457
Karnatak—			
BELGAUM (incomplete)	Imports	10,400	466,200
	Exports	2,700	176,400
		+ 7,700	+ 289,800
BIJAPUR	Imports	60,700	532,800
	Exports	1,700	12,600
		+ 59,000	+ 520,200
DHARWAR	Imports	11,200	185,433
	Exports	17,000	494,121
		—5,800	—308,688
TANNA	Imports	1,900	189,800
	Exports	1,300	301,300
		+ 600	—111,500
KOLABA (preceding week)	Imports	3,100	118,067
	Exports	1,200	131,320
		+ 1,900	—13,253
KOLHAPUR	Imports	9,668	748,892
	Exports	1,761	70,767
		+ 7,907	+ 678,125
KANARA	Imports . . . . .	...	26,500
	Exports . . . . .	...	125,200
		...	—98,700
RATNAGIRI (preceding week)	Imports	700	665,000
	Exports . . . . .	...	18,900
		+ 700	+ 646,100

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 21st August 1897.	30th January to 21st August 1897.
SIND AND BALUCHISTAN—			
SHIKARPUR	Imports	1,209	136,746
	Exports	38,462	1,855,494
		—37,253	—1,718,748
THAR-PARKAR (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	9,900	288,400
	Exports	6,700	336,000
		+ 3,200	—47,600
UPPER SIND FRONTIER	Imports	1,300	22,300
	Exports	13,300	286,300
		—12,000	—264,000
HYDERABAD	Imports . . . . .	...	152,400
	Exports . . . . .	...	207,900
		...	—55,500
CENTRAL PROVINCES—			
Jubbulpore Division—			
SAUGOR	Imports	10,700	307,100
	Exports . . . . .	...	21,300
		+10,700	+285,800
JUBBULPORE	Imports	13,000	423,600
	Exports	2,100	259,300
		+10,900	+164,300
Nerbudda Division—			
NARSINGHPUR	Imports	5,800	186,100
	Exports	200	89,100
		+5,600	+97,000
HOSHANGABAD	Imports	4,300	241,100
	Exports	1,600	43,600
		+2,700	+197,500
NIMAR	Imports	11,300	238,200
	Exports	100	31,800
		+11,200	+206,400
Nagpur Division—			
WARDHA	Imports	8,200	85,300
	Exports	1,000	18,700
		+7,200	+66,600
NAGPUR	Imports	8,700	532,300
	Exports	7,000	108,900
		+1,700	+423,400
CHANDA	Imports . . . . .	...	14,200
	Exports	1,100	70,100
		—1,100	—55,900
BHANDARA	Imports	8,100	365,400
	Exports	2,800	89,700
		+5,300	+275,700
Chhattisgarh Division—			
RAIPUR	Imports	4,100	100,500
	Exports	9,600	491,700
		—5,500	—391,200
BILASPUR (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	12,200	177,959
	Exports	100	57,398
		+12,100	+120,561
SAMBALPUR	Imports	100	13,400
	Exports	14,000	562,500
		—13,900	—549,100

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 21st August 1897.	30th January to 21st August 1897.
BERAR—			
East—			
ANALOTI	Imports . . .	12,300	274,200
	Exports . . .	500	21,400
		+ 11,800	+ 252,800
West—			
AKOLA (incomplete)	Imports . . .	21,600	222,900
	Exports . . .	1,800	122,400
		+ 19,800	+ 100,500
BULDANA	Imports . . .	1,900	47,700
	Exports . . .	...	3,000
		+ 1,900	+ 44,700
MADRAS—			
GANJAM	Imports . . .	13,300	129,900
	Exports . . .	300	132,800
		+ 13,000	—2,900
VIZAGAPATAM	Imports . . .	30,600	521,200
	Exports . . .	200	37,700
		+ 30,400	+ 483,500
GODAVARI	Imports . . .	4,200	201,700
	Exports . . .	58,300	1,427,500
		—54,100	—1,225,800
KISTNA	Imports . . .	400	44,074
	Exports . . .	30,300	1,079,407
		—29,900	—1,035,333
NELLOR (incomplete)	Imports . . .	400	25,758
	Exports . . .	2,900	77,104
		—2,500	—51,346
KARNUL (")	Imports . . .	10,000	119,400
	Exports . . .	600	34,700
		+ 9,400	+ 84,700
BELLARY (")	Imports . . .	30,900	500,000
	Exports . . .	7,300	130,700
		+ 23,600	+ 369,300
ANANTAPUR (")	Imports . . .	7,400	116,200
	Exports . . .	6,500	165,600
		+ 900	—49,400
CUDDAPAH	Imports . . .	3,600	129,100
	Exports . . .	4,100	100,300
		—500	+ 28,800
NORTH ARCOT	Imports . . .	10,100	281,800
	Exports . . .	28,000	576,400
		—17,900	—294,600
CHINGLEPUT	Imports . . .	900	26,400
	Exports . . .	14,400	254,000
		—13,500	—227,600
SOUTH ARCOT	Imports . . .	1,600	96,900
	Exports . . .	35,900	910,200
		—34,300	—813,300

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—concluded.

(Indian maunds).

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[Net exports -].

Week ending
21st August 1897.

30th January to
21st August 1897.

MADRAS—contd.

SALEM	Imports	2,200	35,800
	Exports	28,300 —26,100	399,500 —363,700
COIMBATORE	Imports	11,700	307,800
	Exports	23,200 —11,500	843,200 —535,400
TRICHINOPOLY	Imports	1,366	44,771
	Exports	18,898 —17,532	246,119 —201,348
TANJORE (incomplete)	Imports	2,900	134,600
	Exports	116,700 —113,800	3,448,000 —3,313,400
MADURAI	Imports	1,000	90,400
	Exports	40,300 —39,300	550,700 —460,300
TINNEVELLY	Imports	46,200	777,500
	Exports	91,600 —45,400	701,500 +76,000
MALABAR	Imports	20,500	1,732,400
	Exports	11,100 +9,400	377,400 +1,355,000
SOUTH CANARA	Imports	...	111,020
	Exports	624,290 —513,270

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 3rd September, 1897.

No. 641.—With reference to Home Department Notification No. 489, dated the 22nd June 1897, the following Despatch from Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India is published for general information:

PUBLIC,

No. 87.

INDIA OFFICE,

London, 5th August, 1897.

To His Excellency the Right Honourable the Governor General of India in Council.

MY LORD,

With reference to your letter No. 32, dated 29th June last, I have to inform Your Excellency in Council that Her Majesty the Queen, Empress of India, has been pleased to approve the appointment of Mr. Charles Cecil Stevens, C.S.I., to officiate as Lieutenant-Governor of the Bengal Division of the Presidency of Fort William, during the absence on sick leave of Sir Alexander Mackenzie, K.C.S.I.

I have, etc.,

GEORGE HAMILTON.

No. 643.—The services of Mr. Bhupal Chandra Basu, a Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector in Bengal, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

MEDICAL.

The 31st August, 1897.

No. 994.—The services of Surgeon-Captain S. A. C. Dallas, I.M.S. (Madras), are replaced temporarily at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the date on which he made over charge of his duties in the Central Provinces.

No. 995.—The services of Surgeon-Lieutenant C. M. Mathew, I.M.S. (Madras), are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the date on which he made over charge of his duties in the Central Provinces.

The 2nd September, 1897.

No. 1012.—Surgeon-Captain J. B. Jameson, M.B., C.M., I.M.S. (Bombay), was employed under the Government of Bombay from the 22nd May to the 18th July 1897, and his services were replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the 19th July 1897.

No. 1015.—The services of Surgeon-Major A. E. J. Croly, F.R.C.S.I., A.M.S., are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Bombay, with effect from the 13th July 1897.

SANITARY.

The 30th August, 1897.

No. 2052.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 2, sub-section (1), of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897 (III of 1897), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that in the Notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 836, dated the 6th March, 1897, for the words "the territories administered by the Governor of Bombay in Council" the words "the territories (other than Sindh) administered by the Governor of Bombay in Council" shall be substituted.

The 2nd September, 1897.

No. 2073.—The rules published in Home Department Notifications No. 7, dated the 6th January 1897, and No. 441, dated the 12th February 1897, imposing quarantine at the ports of Aden, Perim and the Somali Coast against arrivals from Karachi, have been withdrawn, with effect from the 16th August 1897.

No. 2074.—The rules published in Home Department Notification No. 24, dated the 12th January 1897, imposing quarantine in the port of Calcutta against arrivals from Karachi, have been withdrawn, with effect from the 17th August 1897.

The 3rd September, 1897.

No. 2083.—The following notification which has been issued by the Government of Bengal with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council is published for general information :

"With the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that the rules for quarantine against plague, promulgated in the Notifications issued by this Department, Nos. 126 Marine, and 53 Marine, dated, respectively, the 20th October 1896 and 2nd March 1897, are cancelled, with effect from the 26th August 1897, the date on which the revised rules for quarantine, issued under the provisions of Act III of 1897, and published in this Department Notification No. 160 Marine, dated the 24th August 1897, come into operation."

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 3rd September, 1897.

No. 341.—The services of the Reverend J. H. Collins, a Junior Chaplain on the Bengal (Rangoon) Ecclesiastical Establishment, are placed at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab.

J. P. HEWETT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

GENERAL.

Simla, the 31st August, 1897.

No. 2452—171—2.—Mr. F. B. Bryant, Assistant Inspector General of Forests and Superintendent of Working-Plans, is granted three months' privilege leave, under Articles 277 and 291 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 14th September 1897, or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

FAMINE.

The 28th August, 1897.

No. 2369—105-53-F.—With reference to Notification No. 789—105-6 (Famine), dated the 12th March 1897, the services of Lieutenant G. D. M. Moore, 28th Regiment of Bombay Infantry (Pioneers), employed on famine duty in the Central Provinces, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of his duties.

DENZIL IBBETSON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 1st September, 1897.

No. 3313-I. A.—The services of Surgeon-Lieutenant J. C. Robertson, M.B., C.M., I.M.S. (Bengal), are replaced at the disposal of the Home Department, with effect from the date of his relief by Doctor D. M. Sangley.

The 2nd September, 1897.

No. 3330-I. A.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 4 and 5 of the Foreign Jurisdiction and Extradition Act, 1879 (XXI of 1879), and of all other powers enabling him in this behalf, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to apply the provisions of the Indian Volunteers Act, 1869 (XX of 1869), to the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, so far as they may be suitable:

Provided that for the purpose of facilitating the application of the said provisions as hereby applied, any Court in the said Station may construe them with such alterations, not affecting the substance, as may be necessary or proper to adapt them to the matter before the Court:

Provided, also, that references to the Local Government shall be read as referring to the Resident in Mysore and references to British India as referring to the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore.

No. 1389-E. A.—The following Orders of Her Majesty the Queen in Council, which appeared in the *London Gazette* of the 9th July 1897, are republished for general information:

AT THE COURT AT WINDSOR.

The 7th day of July, 1897.

PRESENT:

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught and Strathearn.

Lord President.

Earl of Kintore.

Earl of Hopetoun.

Mr. Secretary Chamberlain.

WHEREAS by Treaty, grant, usage, sufferance, and other lawful means, Her Majesty the Queen has power and jurisdiction within the territories comprised within the limits of this Order.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue, and in exercise of the powers on this behalf by "The Foreign Jurisdiction Act, 1890," or otherwise, in Her Majesty vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

PART I.—PRELIMINARY.

1. This Order may be cited as "The East Africa Order in Council, 1897."

The limits of this Order are the territories comprised in the East Africa Protectorate, which includes the territories bounded on the north by the River Juba, on the east by the Indian Ocean, on the south by the German sphere, on the west by the Uganda Protectorate, and also all adjacent islands between the mouths of the Rivers Juba and Umba, but does not include the islands of Zanzibar and Pemba.

If Her Majesty is pleased to direct that any other territories, for the time being under the protection of Her Majesty, shall form part of the East Africa Protectorate, those territories shall, from and after a date fixed by an order of the Secretary of State, be deemed to be within the limits of this Order.

2. This Order is divided into Parts as follows :

Part I.—Preliminary.

Part II.—Application and Effect of Order.

Part III.—Constitution of Courts.

Part IV.—Application of Law of British India and of the United Kingdom.

Part V.—Criminal Matters.

Part VI.—Civil Matters.

Part VII.—Miscellaneous.

Part VIII.—Repeal and transitory Provisions.

3. In this Order—

- (i) "The Protectorate" means the territories for the time being comprised in Her Majesty's East Africa Protectorate ;
- (ii) "Zanzibar" means the dominions and territorial waters of His Highness the Sultan of Zanzibar which are not comprised within the limits of this Order ;
- (iii) "The Secretary of State" means one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State ;
- (iv) "The Commissioner" means Her Majesty's Commissioner and Consul-General for the territories comprised within the limits of this Order, including a person acting temporarily, with the approval of the Secretary of State, as or for the Commissioner ;
- (v) "British Subject" includes a British protected person, that is to say, a person who either (a) is a native of any other Protectorate of Her Majesty, and is temporarily in the East Africa Protectorate, or (b) by virtue of "The Foreign Jurisdiction Act, 1890," or otherwise enjoys Her Majesty's protection in the Protectorate ;
- (vi) "Resident" means having a fixed place of abode in the Protectorate ;
- (vii) "Native" means a native of the Protectorate, not being a British subject or a person of European or American race or parentage ;
- (viii) "Foreigner" means a subject or citizen of a State in amity with Her Majesty, not being a native ;
- (ix) "Native Court" means a Court for the administration of justice to or between natives ;
- (x) "Treaty" includes any Convention, Agreement, or Arrangement with any State or Government, King, Chief, people, or tribe, made by or on behalf of Her Majesty, or to the benefits of which Her Majesty has succeeded ;
- (xi) "Administration" means (unless a contrary intention appears from the context) letters of administration, including the same with will annexed, or granted for special or limited purposes, or limited in duration ;
- (xii) "Ship" includes any vessel used in navigation, however propelled, with her tackle, furniture, and apparel, and any boat or other craft ;
- (xiii) "Offence" means any act or omission made punishable by any law for the time being in force ;
- (xiv) "Imprisonment" means imprisonment of either description, as defined in the Indian Penal Code ;
- (xv) "Month" means calendar month ;
- (xvi) "Will" means will, codicil, or other testamentary instrument ;
- (xvii) "Person" includes Corporation ;
- (xviii) "Full Court," with reference to the Court for Zanzibar, means that Court when constituted by the Judge and Assistant Judge thereof sitting together ;
- (xix) Words importing the plural or the singular may be construed as referring to one person or thing, or to more than one person or thing, and words importing the masculine as referring to females (as the case may require).

4. (1) Where this Order confers a power or imposes a duty, the power may be exercised and the duty shall be performed from time to time as occasion requires.

(2) Where this Order confers a power or imposes a duty on the holder of an office, then, unless a contrary intention appears, the power may be exercised and the duty shall be performed by the holder of the office for the time being, or by a person duly appointed to act for him.

(3) Where this Order confers a power to make rules, regulations, or orders, the power shall be construed as including a power, exercisable in the like manner and subject to the like approval and conditions (if any) to rescind, revoke, amend, or vary the rules, regulations, or orders.

PART II.—APPLICATION AND EFFECT OF ORDER.

5. The powers conferred by this Order shall extend to the persons and matters following in so far as by Treaty, grant, usage, sufferance, or other lawful means, Her Majesty has jurisdiction in relation to such persons and matters, that is to say: (a) British subjects; (b) Foreigners; (c) the property and all personal or proprietary rights and liabilities in the Protectorate of British subjects and foreigners, including ships with their boats, and the persons and property on board thereof, or belonging thereto; and (d) natives, in the cases and according to the conditions specified in this Order, and not otherwise:

Provided that in the Zanzibar territory included within the limits of this Order the said powers shall not extend to foreigners (or their ships) being subjects of any Government which on the 1st day of July, 1895, exercised any jurisdiction in that territory similar to the jurisdiction conferred by this Order, unless that Government shall consent to the exercise of jurisdiction under this Order:

Provided also that jurisdiction over any foreign ships under this Article shall not be exercised otherwise than according to the practice of the High Court of England in the exercise of jurisdiction over foreign ships.

6. All Her Majesty's jurisdiction exercisable in the Protectorate, for the hearing and determination of suits, or for the maintenance of order, or for the control or administration of persons or property, or in relation thereto, shall be exercised under and according to the provisions of this Order, so far as this Order extends and applies.

PART III.—CONSTITUTION OF COURTS.

7. (1) There shall be and there is hereby established a Court styled "Her Majesty's Court for East Africa," in this Order referred to as "The Protectorate Court" and "The Court."

(2) Subject to the other provisions of this Order, Her Majesty's jurisdiction in the Protectorate shall be, and is hereby, vested in the Protectorate Court.

(3) The Protectorate Court shall ordinarily sit at Mombasa, but may also sit at any other place or places within the Protectorate appointed by the Commissioner, with the previous or subsequent consent of the Secretary of State.

(4) The Protectorate Court shall be held by an officer, styled "Her Majesty's Judicial Officer for the East Africa Protectorate," in this Order referred to as "The Judicial Officer."

(5) A person appointed to be Judicial Officer must be a member of the Bar of England, Scotland, or Ireland, of not less than three years' standing. He shall be appointed by Her Majesty by warrant under the Royal Sign Manual.

(6) The Judicial Officer shall hold office during the pleasure of Her Majesty, and, in the event of a revocation of his warrant, until such revocation is notified to him by the Secretary of State.

(7) In case of the illness or temporary absence of the Judicial Officer, the Commissioner may appoint either a person qualified to be appointed Judicial Officer, or an officer employed in the civil administration of the Protectorate, to act as Judicial Officer.

(8) Each of the Judges of the Court for Zanzibar shall be an additional Judicial Officer for the East Africa Protectorate, and when so acting may hold a Protectorate Court with the same powers, authority, and jurisdiction as the Judicial Officer, but shall not so act unless the Commissioner, having regard to the state of business in the Protectorate Court, requests him to act.

(9) The Court shall have a seal bearing the style of the Court and a device approved by the Secretary of State; but until such a seal is provided, a stamp bearing the words "East Africa Court" may be used instead thereof.

8. Subject to the directions of the Secretary of State, the Commissioner may appoint such and so many persons to be Clerks, Bailiffs, Interpreters, and other officers of the Court as he thinks fit, and remove from office any person so appointed.

Any officer of the Court designated on this behalf by the Commissioner may administer oaths, and take affidavits, declarations, and affirmations.

9. Provincial Courts shall be held at such places, for such areas, and by such officers of the Protectorate or other persons as the Secretary of State may appoint.

The Secretary of State may direct that a Provincial Court shall exercise criminal jurisdiction only, or both criminal and civil jurisdiction, and subject to any such directions, and to any exceptions or modifications made by the Secretary of State, a Provincial Court shall exercise the jurisdiction conferred by this Order on a Provincial Court, and on persons appointed to hold such Courts.

The Secretary of State may determine the description and number of the officers to be attached to a Provincial Court, and the mode of their appointment and removal, and their duties and remuneration, and any matters incident to any of the above-mentioned purposes.

10. The Court for Zanzibar shall have such appellate jurisdiction in regard to matters arising in the Protectorate as is provided by this Order.

PART IV.—APPLICATION OF LAW OF BRITISH INDIA AND OF THE UNITED KINGDOM.

11. (a) Subject to the other provisions of this Order, and to any Treaties for the time being in force relating to the Protectorate, Her Majesty's criminal and civil jurisdiction in the Protectorate shall, so far as circumstances admit, be exercised on the principles of, and in conformity with, the enactments for the time being applicable as hereinafter mentioned of the Governor-General of India in Council, and of the Governor of Bombay in Council, and according to the course of procedure and practice observed by, and before, the Courts in the Presidency of Bombay beyond the limits of the ordinary original jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature at Bombay according to their respective jurisdiction and authority, and so far as such enactments, procedure, and practice are inapplicable, shall be exercised under, and in accordance with, the common and statute law of England in force at the commencement of this Order.

(b) The enactments mentioned in the Schedule to this Order are hereby made applicable to the Protectorate as from the commencement of this Order.

(c) Any other existing or future enactments of the Governor-General of India in Council, or of the Governor of Bombay in Council, shall also be applicable to the Protectorate, but shall not come into operation until such times as may in the case of any of such enactments respectively be fixed by the Secretary of State.

(d) Any Act of the Governor-General of India in Council, or of the Governor of Bombay in Council, whether passed before or after the commencement of this Order, amending or substituted for any Act of either of those Legislatures which is by or under this Order made applicable to and brought into operation in the Protectorate, shall, subject to the provisions of this Article, also apply to the Protectorate.

(e) For the purpose of facilitating the application of any such enactments as before mentioned—

- (i) The Court may construe any such enactment, with such alterations not affecting the substance, as may be necessary or proper to adapt the same to the matter before the Court;
- (ii) The Secretary of State may by order direct by what authority any jurisdiction, powers, or duties incident to the operation of any such enactment, and for the exercise or performance of which no convenient provision has been otherwise made, shall be exercised or performed;
- (iii) The Secretary of State may by order modify, for the purposes of this Order, any provision of any of the said enactments, or of any amending or substituted enactment relating to civil or criminal procedure, or to procedure in bankruptcy;
- (iv) Any order of the Secretary of State made in pursuance of this Article shall be published in the Protectorate and in India, in such manner as he directs, and shall have effect as from a date to be specified in the order.

12. The enactments described in the First Schedule to "The Foreign Jurisdiction Act, 1890," shall apply to the Protectorate as if it were a British Colony or possession, but subject to the provisions of this Order and to the exceptions, adaptations, and modifications following, that is to say:

- (i) The Commissioner is hereby substituted for the Governor of a Colony or British possession, and the Protectorate Court is hereby substituted for a Superior Court or Supreme Court and for a Magistrate or Justice of the Peace of a Colony or British possession.
- (ii) For the portions of the Merchant Shipping Acts, 1854 and 1867, referred to in the said Schedule shall be substituted Part XIII of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1894."
- (iii) In section 51 of "The Conveyancing (Scotland) Act, 1874," and any enactment for the time being in force amending the same, the Protectorate Court is substituted for a Court of probate in a Colony.
- (iv) With respect to "The Fugitive Offenders Act, 1881,"—

(a) So much of the 4th and 5th sections of the said Act as relates to sending a report of the issue of a warrant, together with the information, or a copy thereof, or to the sending of a certificate of committal and report of a case, or to the information to be given by a Magistrate to a fugitive, shall be excepted, and in lieu of such information the person acting as the Magistrate shall inform the fugitive that in the British possession or Protectorate to which he may be conveyed he has the right to apply for a writ of *habeas corpus* or other like process.

(b) So much of the 6th section of the said Act, as requires the expiration of fifteen days before issue of a warrant, shall be excepted.

(c) The Commissioner shall not be bound to return the fugitive offender to a British possession unless satisfied that the proceedings to obtain his return are taken with the consent of the Governor of that possession.

(d) For the purposes of Part II of the said Act, the Protectorate, Zanzibar, the Uganda Protectorate, British India, Mauritius, and all British possessions and Protectorates in Africa south of the Equator shall be deemed to be one group of British possessions.

13. The Secretary of State may, by Order published in such manner as he directs, declare that any of the laws or ordinances for the time being in force in any African possession of Her Majesty, and not inconsistent with this Order, shall have effect, and be administered in the Protectorate, with such modifications or adaptations as may be necessary; and thereupon such laws or ordinances as so modified or adapted shall have effect as if they had been applied by this Order.

PART V.—CRIMINAL MATTERS.

14. Subject to the other provisions of this Order, the Code of Criminal Procedure and the other enactments relating to the administration of criminal justice in India, for the time being applicable to the Protectorate, shall have effect as if the Protectorate were a district of a Presidency of India; and every officer appointed to hold a Provincial Court under this Order shall be deemed to be a Magistrate of the Second Class; the Judicial Officer shall be deemed to be and have the powers of Sessions Judge; the full Court for Zanzibar shall be deemed to be the High Court; and the powers both of the Governor-General in Council and of the Local Government under those enactments shall be exercisable by the Secretary of State, or, with his previous or subsequent assent, by the Commissioner.

15. When any person is committed to the Court for Zanzibar for trial, the Court shall, in accordance with any arrangements made by the Commissioner in this behalf, send him to Zanzibar for trial; and shall bind over such of the proper witnesses as are British subjects or foreigners, or any of them, in their own recognizances, to appear and give evidence on the trial.

16. If any person subject to this Order smuggles or imports into or exports from the Protectorate any goods whereon any duty is charged or payable to the Government of the Protectorate, with intent to evade payment of the duty, he shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to two months, or with fine which may extend to 1,000 rupees, or with both.

17. Any Act which if done in British India would be an offence against the law for the time being in force in British India relating to trade marks, merchandize marks, copyright, designs, or inventions, shall, if done in the Protectorate, by a person subject to this Order, be an offence, whether such act is done in relation to any property or right of a person subject or of a person not subject to this Order; and any person convicted of such offence shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to two months, or with a fine which may extend to 1,000 rupees, or with both.

18. (1) In cases of murder or culpable homicide, if either the death or the criminal act which wholly or partly caused the death happened in the Protectorate, a Court acting under this Order shall have the like jurisdiction over any person subject to this Order who is charged either as a principal offender or as an abettor, as if both the criminal act and the death had happened in the Protectorate.

(2) In the case of any offence committed on the high seas, or within the Admiralty jurisdiction, by any person subject to this Order who at the time of committing such offence was on board a British ship, or on board a foreign ship to which he did not belong, a Court acting under this Order shall have jurisdiction as if the offence had been committed within the Protectorate.

(3) In cases tried under this Article no different sentence can be passed from the sentence which could be passed in England if the offence were tried there.

19. (a) The Commissioner may, if he thinks fit, by general order, prescribe the manner in which, and the places in the Protectorate at which, sentences of imprisonment are to be carried into execution.

(b) The Commissioner may, if he thinks fit, in any case, by warrant under his hand and official seal, cause an offender convicted and sentenced to imprisonment before the Court to be sent and removed to, and imprisoned in, any place either in the Protectorate or in Zanzibar.

20. Where an offender convicted before the Court is sentenced to imprisonment, and the Commissioner, proceeding under section 7 of "The Foreign Jurisdiction Act, 1890," authority in that behalf being hereby given to him, considers it expedient that the sentence should be carried into effect within Her Majesty's dominions, the place shall be a place in some part of Her Majesty's dominions out of the United Kingdom, the Government whereof consents that offenders may be sent thither under this Article.

21. (1) Where it is shown by evidence on oath, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner, that any person subject to this Order has committed, or is about to commit, an offence against this Order, or is otherwise conducting himself so as to be dangerous to peace and good order in the Protectorate or is endeavouring to excite enmity between the people of the Protectorate and Her Majesty, or is intriguing against Her Majesty's power and authority in the Protectorate, the Commissioner may, if he thinks fit, by order under his hand and official seal, prohibit that person from being in the Protectorate, during any time therein specified, not exceeding two years.

(2) If the person named in the order of prohibition fails to obey, or acts in contravention of the order—

(i) He shall be guilty of an offence against this Order, and, on conviction thereof, shall be liable to imprisonment for any time not exceeding two years, without prejudice to the operation of the order of prohibition;

(ii) Whether the offender has been convicted of, or imprisoned for, that offence or not, the Commissioner may, if he thinks fit, by order under his hand and official seal, authorize and direct that he be taken into custody, and be removed in custody to some place named in the order of removal, being a place to which a person can under this Order be deported beyond the limits specified in the order of prohibition ;

(iii) The offender shall be taken into custody and removed accordingly, and in such removal force may be used if necessary ; and he shall be discharged from custody at the place named in the order of removal.

(3) In any case in which the Commissioner can, under this Order, make an order of prohibition, he may, if he thinks fit, in lieu of such order, make and execute an order of deportation in like manner, and with all the like consequences, as an order of deportation can under this Order be made and executed in the case of a person who, after conviction of an offence, has failed to give security for good behaviour.

(4) An appeal shall not lie against an order of prohibition, or removal, or deportation made under this Order.

(5) The Commissioner, by order under his hand and official seal, may vary any order of prohibition (not extending the duration thereof), and may revoke any order of prohibition or removal.

(6) The Commissioner shall forthwith report to the Secretary of State every order made by him under this Article, and the grounds thereof, and the proceedings thereunder.

22. Where a person subject to this Order is convicted of an offence, the Court before which he is convicted may, if it thinks fit, require him to give security to the satisfaction of the Court for his future good behaviour, and for that purpose may, if it thinks fit, cause him to come or be brought before the Court.

23. (a) If any person required by an order under the last preceding Article, or under the law relating to criminal procedure for the time being in force, to give security for good behaviour or for keeping the peace, fails to do so, the Court may, if it thinks fit, with the approval of the Commissioner, order that he be deported from the Protectorate.

(b) The Court, on making an order of deportation, shall forthwith report to the Commissioner the order and the grounds thereof.

(c) Thereupon the person ordered to be deported shall, if the Commissioner thinks fit, be, as soon as practicable, and in the case of a person convicted, either after execution of the sentence, or while it is in course of execution, removed in custody, under the warrant of the Commissioner, to the place named in the warrant.

(d) The place shall be a place in that part (if any) of Her Majesty's dominions out of the United Kingdom to which the person belongs, or in some other part of those dominions, the Government whereof consents to the reception therein of persons deported under this Order, or a place under the Protectorate of Her Majesty, or in the country out of Her Majesty's dominions to which the person belongs.

(e) The Court, on making an order of deportation, may, if it thinks fit, order the person to be deported to pay all or any part of the expenses of his deportation, to be fixed by the Court in the order.

(f) The Commissioner shall forthwith report to the Secretary of State every order of deportation made under this Order, and the grounds thereof and the proceedings thereunder.

(g) If a person deported under this Order returns to the Protectorate without permission, in writing, of the Commissioner or Secretary of State, he shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to two months, or with fine which may extend to 1,000 rupees, or with both.

(h) He shall also be liable to be again deported under the original or a new order and a fresh warrant of the Commissioner.

24. Where a person entitled to appeal to the Court for Zanzibar from any Judgment or order passed in the exercise of criminal jurisdiction under this Order desires so to appeal, he shall present his Petition of appeal to the Protectorate Court, and the Petition shall, with all practicable speed, be transmitted by the Protectorate Court to the Court for Zanzibar with certified copies of the charge (if any) and proceedings, of all documentary evidence admitted or tendered, of the depositions, of the notes of the oral testimony, and of the Judgment or order, and any argument on the Petition of appeal that the appellant desires to submit to the Court for Zanzibar.

25. The Protectorate Court shall postpone the execution of the sentence pending the appeal, and shall, if necessary, commit the person convicted to prison for safe custody, or detain him in prison for safe custody, or shall admit him to bail, and may take security, by recognizance, deposit of money, or otherwise, for his payment of any fine.

26. (a) Where, under this Order, a person is to be sent, or removed, or deported from the Protectorate, he shall, by warrant of the Commissioner under his hand and seal, be detained, if necessary, in custody, or in prison, until a fit opportunity for his removal or deportation occurs, and

then if he is to be deported beyond sea, be put on board one of Her Majesty's vessels of war, or, if none is available, then on board some other British or other fit vessel.

(b) The warrant of the Commissioner shall be sufficient authority to the person to whom it is directed or delivered for execution, and to the Commander or master of the vessel, to receive and detain the person therein named, in the manner therein prescribed, and to send, or remove, and carry him to the place therein named, according to the warrant.

(c) In case of sending or removal for any purpose other than deportation, the warrant of the Commissioner shall be issued in duplicate, and the person executing it shall, as soon as practicable after his arrival at the place therein named, deliver, according to the warrant, with one of the duplicates of the warrant, to a constable, or proper officer of police or keeper of a prison, or other proper authority or person there, the person named in the warrant, to be produced on the order of the proper Court or authority there, or to be otherwise dealt with according to law.

27. Where a warrant or order of arrest is issued by a competent Judicial authority in Zanzibar or in the Uganda Protectorate for the apprehension of a person who is accused of crime committed in Zanzibar or Uganda, and who is, or is supposed to be, within the East Africa Protectorate, and that warrant or order is produced to any Court acting under this Order, the Court may back the warrant or order, and the same, when so backed, shall be sufficient authority to any person to whom it was originally directed, and also to any constable or officer of the Court by whom it is backed, and to any person named on the back of the warrant or order, to apprehend the accused person at any place within the limits of this Order, and to carry him to and deliver him up within the jurisdiction of the authority issuing the warrant or order.

28. The Commissioner, and every Sub-Commissioner, District Officer, and Assistant District Officer, respectively, shall have in and for the Protectorate, province, or district, as the case may be, all the power and jurisdiction appertaining to the office of a Justice of the Peace.

PART VI.—CIVIL MATTERS.

29. The Protectorate Court shall hear and determine all civil questions, claims, or disputes, in which the defendant or any defendant is a person subject to this Order.

30. Subject to the other provisions of this Order, the Code of Civil Procedure, "The Bombay Civil Courts Act, 1869," the Indian Succession Act, and the other enactments relating to the administration of civil justice for the time applicable to the Protectorate, shall have effect as if the Protectorate were a district in the Presidency of Bombay: the Judicial Officer shall be deemed to be the District Judge of the district, and the Protectorate Court the District Court or Principal Civil Court of Original Jurisdiction in the district; the Court for Zanzibar shall be deemed to be the highest Civil Court of Appeal for the district, and the Court authorized to hear appeals from and to revise the decisions of the District Court; and the powers, both of the Governor-General in Council and the Local Government, under those enactments, shall be exercisable by the Secretary of State, or, with his previous or subsequent assent, by the Commissioner.

Every Provincial Court constituted by this Order and appointed to exercise civil jurisdiction shall, subject to any directions of the Secretary of State, exercise the powers of a Court for small causes under the Civil Procedure Code.

31. The following enactments of "The Colonial Courts of Admiralty Act, 1890," that is to say, section 2, sub-sections (2) to (4), sections 5 and 6, section 16, sub-section (3), shall apply to the Protectorate Court as if in the said sections the said Court were mentioned in lieu of a Colonial Court of Admiralty, and the Protectorate were referred to in lieu of a British possession.

32. (a) The Court shall endeavour to obtain, as early as may be, notice of the death of every person subject to this Order dying in the Protectorate leaving property to be administered, and all such information as may serve to guide the Court with respect to the securing and administration of his property.

(b) On receiving notice of the death of such a person, the Court shall put up a Notice thereof at the Court-house and shall keep the same there until probate or administration is granted, or where it appears to the Court that probate or administration will not be applied for, or cannot be granted, for such time as it thinks fit.

(c) The Court shall, where the circumstances of the case appear so to require, as soon as may be, take possession of the property in the Protectorate of the deceased, or put it under its seal (in either case, if the nature of the property or other circumstances so require, making an inventory), and so keep it until it can be dealt with according to law.

(d) All expenses incurred by the Court in so doing shall be the first charge on the property of the deceased, and the Court shall, by sale of the property, or part thereof, or otherwise, provide for the discharge of these expenses.

33. Where a person subject to this Order dies in the Protectorate intestate, his property shall, until administration is granted, vest in the Judicial Officer.

34. If a person named executor in a will, to the establishment of whose title, as such, it is necessary to obtain probate of that will, takes possession of, and administers or otherwise deals

with, any part of the property of the deceased, and does not obtain probate within one month after the death, or after the termination of any proceeding respecting probate or administration, he shall be liable to be punished with fine, which may extend to 1,000 rupees.

35. If any person, other than the person named executor, or the administrator, or a person entitled to represent the deceased without obtaining probate or letters of administration, or an officer of the Court, takes possession of and administers, or otherwise deals with, any part of the property of the deceased, he shall, as soon as practicable, notify the fact and the circumstances to the Court, and shall furnish to the Court all such information as the Court requires, and shall conform to any directions of the Court in relation to the custody, disposal, or transmission of the property, or the proceeds thereof, and, in case of any contravention of this Article, he shall be liable to be punished with fine, which may extend to 1,000 rupees.

36. (1) When the peculiar circumstances of the case appear to the Court so to require, for reasons recorded in its proceedings, the Court may, if it thinks fit, of its own motion, or otherwise, grant letters of administration to an officer or practitioner of the Court.

(2) The person so appointed shall act under the direction of the Court, and shall be indemnified thereby; and, if he is a practitioner, he shall not act otherwise than as administrator in relation to the estate.

(3) He shall publish such notices, if any, as the Court thinks fit, in the Protectorate, Zanzibar, the United Kingdom, and elsewhere.

(4) The Court shall require and compel him to file, in the proper office of the Court, his accounts of his administration, at intervals, not exceeding three months.

(5) The accounts shall be audited under the direction of the Court.

(6) All expenses incurred in behalf of the Court in execution of this Article shall be the first charge on the estate of the deceased in the Protectorate; and the Court shall, by the sale of the estate, or otherwise, provide for the discharge of those expenses.

37. (a) Every agreement for reference to arbitration to which a person subject to this Order is a party, may, on the application of any party, be filed for execution in the proper office of the Court.

(b) The Court shall thereupon have authority to enforce the agreement and the award made thereunder, and to control and regulate the proceedings before and after the award, in such manner and on such terms as the Court may think fit.

38. (a) Where it is desired to commence a suit in which one party is, and the other is not, a person subject to this Order, the Court shall entertain the same, and shall hear and determine it.

(b) Provided that the person not subject to this Order, if so required by the Court, first obtains and files in the proper office of the Court the consent, in writing, of the competent authority (if any) on behalf of his own nation, to his submitting, and that he does submit, to the jurisdiction of the Court, and, if required by the Court, gives security to the satisfaction of the Court, and to such reasonable amount as the Court thinks fit, by deposit or otherwise, to pay fees, costs, and damages, and abide by, and perform, the decision to be given by the Court or on appeal.

(c) A cross-suit shall not be brought in the Court against a plaintiff, being a person not subject to this Order, who has submitted to the jurisdiction, by a defendant without leave of the Court first obtained; but the Court may, as a condition of entertaining the plaintiff's suit, require his consent to any cross-suit or matter of set-off being entertained by the Court.

(d) The Court, before giving leave, may require proof from the defendant that his claim arises out of the matter in dispute, and that there is reasonable ground for it, and that it is not made for vexation or delay.

(e) Nothing in this Article shall prevent the defendant from bringing, in the Court, against a person not subject to this Order, after the termination of the suit in which the latter is plaintiff, any suit which he might have brought in the Court if no provision restraining cross-suits had been inserted in this Order.

(f) Where a person not subject to this Order obtains in the Court an order against a defendant being a person subject to this Order, and in another suit the latter is plaintiff and the former is defendant, the Court may, if it thinks fit, on the application of the first-mentioned defendant, stay the enforcement of the order pending that other suit, and may set off any amount ordered to be paid by one party in one action against any amount ordered to be paid by the other party in the other action.

(g) Where the plaintiff, being a person not subject to this Order, obtains an order in the Court against two or more defendants jointly, being persons subject to this Order, and in another suit one of them is a plaintiff and the first-mentioned plaintiff is defendant, the Court may, if it thinks fit, on application, stay the enforcement of the order pending that other action, and may set off any amount ordered to be paid by one party in one action against any amount ordered to

be paid by the other party in the other action, without prejudice to the right of the plaintiff in the second suit to obtain contribution from his co-defendants in the first suit.

39. (a) Where any person entitled to appeal to the Court for Zanzibar from any Decree or order made by the Protectorate Court in the exercise of civil jurisdiction under this Order desires so to appeal, he shall present his Memorandum of Appeal to the Protectorate Court, and, subject to the provisions hereinafter contained, that Court shall receive the same for transmission to the Court for Zanzibar in manner hereinafter provided.

(b) The appellant shall, within such time as the Court directs, give security to the satisfaction of the Court, and to such amount as the Court thinks reasonable, for prosecution of the appeal, and for payment of any costs that may be ordered by the Court for Zanzibar on the appeal to be paid by the appellant.

(c) The appellant shall pay into the proper office of the Protectorate Court such sum as the Court thinks reasonable, to defray the expense of the making up and transmission to the Court for Zanzibar of the record.

40. The appellant may, with his memorandum of appeal, file any argument which he desires to submit to the Court for Zanzibar in support of the appeal.

41. (a) The memorandum of appeal and the argument (if any) shall be served on such persons as respondents as the Protectorate Court directs.

(b) A respondent may, within seven days after service, file in the Protectorate Court such arguments as he desires to submit to the Court for Zanzibar against the appeal.

(c) Copies thereof shall be furnished by the Protectorate Court to such persons as that Court thinks fit.

42. (a) On the expiration of the time for the respondent filing his argument, the Protectorate Court shall, without the application of any party, make up the record of appeal, which shall consist of the memorandum of appeal and the arguments (if any), and certified copies of the following, namely, the plaint, written statements (if any), all proceedings, all written and documentary evidence admitted or tendered, the notes of the oral evidence, the Judgment, and the Decree or order.

(b) The several pieces shall be fastened together consecutively numbered, and the whole shall be secured by the seal of the Court, and be forthwith forwarded to the Court for Zanzibar.

(c) The Court may, if for special reasons it seems fit, send any portion of the documentary evidence in original to the Court for Zanzibar.

PART VII.—MISCELLANEOUS.

43. (1) Notwithstanding anything in this Order, the Protectorate Court or a Provincial Court shall not exercise any jurisdiction in any proceeding whatsoever over the Commissioner or his official or other residences, or his official or other property.

(2) Notwithstanding anything in this Order, the Protectorate Court or a Provincial Court shall not exercise, except with the consent of the Commissioner, signified in writing to the Court, any jurisdiction in a civil action or proceeding over any person attached to or being a member of Her Majesty's Consulate-General for the Protectorate, or being a domestic servant of the Commissioner.

(3) If, in any case under this Order, it appears to any Court that the attendance of the Commissioner, or of any person attached to or being a member of Her Majesty's Consulate-General, or being a domestic servant of the Commissioner, to give evidence before the Court, is requisite in the interest of justice, the Court may address to the Commissioner a request in writing for such attendance.

(4) A person attending to give evidence before the Court shall not be compelled or allowed to give any evidence or produce any document if, in the opinion of the Commissioner, signified by him personally or in writing to the Court, the giving or production thereof would be injurious to Her Majesty's service.

(5) This Article shall not operate in bar of any proceeding against the Commissioner in his official capacity, where it is sought to establish any liability of the Government of the Protectorate.

44. Subject to the approval of the Secretary of State, the Court may with the approval of the Court for Zanzibar frame Rules of Procedure and other Rules, consistent with this Order, for the better execution of the provisions herein contained in respect of civil or criminal proceedings, and for regulating the conditions on which persons other than parties may be permitted to practice as advocates or solicitors in any Court, and for suspending or excluding (subject to a right of appeal to the Secretary of State) such persons from practice in case of misconduct: provided that any scale of remuneration fixed by such Rules shall have been sanctioned by the Treasury.

45. The Commissioner may make Regulations (to be called Queen's Regulations for the following purposes, that is to say) :

- (i) For the regulation of all matters relating to customs, inland revenue, post office, land, highways, railways, money, agriculture, and public health.
- (ii) For the establishment of a Constabulary or other force to be employed in the maintenance of order or (either within or without the limits of this Order) in defence of the Protectorate.
- (iii) For securing the observance of any Treaty for the time being in force relating to the Protectorate, or of any native or local law or custom ; and
- (iv) Generally for the peace, order, and good government of the Protectorate in relation to matters not provided for in this Order.

Any Regulations under this Article may provide for forfeiture of any goods, receptacles, or things in relation to which, or to the contents of which, any breach is committed of such Regulations, or of any Treaty, or any native or local law or custom, the observance of which is provided for by the Regulations.

Any Regulations under this Article shall, when allowed by the Secretary of State, and published as he directs, have effect as if contained in this Order : provided that in case of urgency declared in any such Regulations, the same shall take effect before such allowance, and shall continue to have effect unless and until they are disallowed by the Secretary of State, and until notification of such disallowance is received and published by the Commissioner, and such disallowance shall be without prejudice to anything done or suffered under such Regulations in the meantime.

Any breach of the Regulations shall be an offence against this Order, and any person guilty thereof, shall, on conviction, be liable to a fine which may extend to 1,000 rupees, or to imprisonment which may extend to two months, or both, in addition to any forfeiture as aforesaid.

46. The Commissioner may also make Queen's Regulations for the governance, visitation, care, and superintendence of prisons in the Protectorate, and for the infliction of corporal or other punishment on prisoners committing offences against the prisons Regulations.

Any Regulations under this Article shall, when allowed by the Secretary of State, have effect as if contained in this Order, and copies thereof shall be exhibited in every prison to which they apply in such manner as the Commissioner may direct.

Any breach of Regulations under this Article, committed by any officer of a prison, or by any other person (not being a prisoner), shall be punishable in like manner as a breach of Queen's Regulations, under the last preceding Article.

47. (a) From and after the commencement of any Rules to be made as in this Article mentioned a non-testamentary instrument to which any person subject to this Order is a party, purporting or operating to create, declare, assign, limit, or extinguish, whether in present or in future, any right, title, or interest, whether vested or contingent to, in, or over immovable property situate in the Protectorate, shall not affect any immovable property comprised therein, or be received as evidence of any transaction affecting that property, unless it has been registered at such time and place and in such manner as may be prescribed by Rules made by the Commissioner and approved by the Secretary of State, and for the time being in force.

(b) Provided that nothing in this Article shall make any instrument inadmissible in evidence in any criminal proceedings.

48. (a) The Commissioner may, with the approval of the Secretary of State and concurrence of the Treasury, make rules imposing fees leviable in respect of any proceedings in, or processes issued out of, any Court established under this Order, and in respect of the registration of any instrument under this Order.

(b) But the Court may in any case if it thinks fit, on account of the poverty of a party, or for any other reason, dispense in whole or in part with the payment of any fee chargeable in respect of such matter.

(c) The Court shall in every such case forthwith report the dispensation to the Commissioner, and he shall give such directions thereon as he thinks fit.

(d) Nothing in this Order shall affect any Order in Council prescribing a table of fees to be taken by Consular officers ; and, where a fee is taken under that Order, no fee shall be taken in respect of the same matter under this Order.

49. (a) All fees, charges, expenses, costs, fines, damages, and other money payable under this Order, or under any law made applicable by this Order, may be enforced under order of the Court by attachment and sale of goods, and in case of deficiency by imprisonment which may extend to one month.

(b) Any bill of sale or mortgage, or transfer of property, made with the view of avoiding such attachment or sale, shall not be effectual to defeat the provisions of this Order.

(c) All fees, penalties, fines, and forfeitures levied under this Order, shall be paid to the public account, and shall be applied in such manner as the Secretary of State with the consent of the Treasury may direct.

50. Subject to the other provisions of this Order, all expenses of removal of prisoners and others, and the expenses of deportation, and of the sending of any person to Zanzibar, or to any part of Her Majesty's dominions or Protectorates, including expenses of maintenance, shall be defrayed in such manner as the Secretary of State, with the concurrence of the Treasury, directs.

51. Every criminal charge against a native, and every civil proceeding against a native, except a proceeding in which the native is co-defendant with a person subject to this Order, shall be heard and determined in the proper Native Court, and the Protectorate Court shall not exercise any jurisdiction therein.

52. The Commissioner may, with the consent of the Secretary of State, make rules and orders for the administration of justice in Native Courts, and in particular may thereby:

- (a) Establish or abolish any Native Court.
- (b) Define the local limits within which any Native Court is to exercise jurisdiction.
- (c) Alter or modify the operation of any native law or custom in so far as may be necessary in the interests of humanity and justice.
- (d) Regulate the jurisdiction of and procedure in Native Courts.
- (e) Make such provision as seems fit for the re-hearing of cases, the revision of sentences, and the hearing of appeals from Native Courts.
- (f) For any of the purposes aforesaid, or for any other purposes of justice, direct that any law of British India, or of the United Kingdom, or of any African possession of Her Majesty, shall apply to and be administered in Native Courts with such exceptions or modifications as may seem proper.

53. (a) Where it is proved that the attendance of a person subject to this Order to give evidence, or for any other purpose connected with the administration of Justice, is required before a Native Court, the Protectorate Court may, if it thinks fit, in a case and in circumstances in which the Protectorate Court would require the attendance of that person before itself, order that he do attend as required. The order may be made subject to conditions as to payment or tender of expenses or otherwise.

(b) If the person ordered to attend, having reasonable notice of the time and place at which he is required to attend, fails to attend, accordingly, and does not excuse his failure to the satisfaction of the Protectorate Court, or if when so attending to give evidence he wilfully gives false evidence, or refuses to be sworn or to give evidence, he shall, independently of any other liability, be liable to be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to two months, or with fine which may extend to 1,000 rupees, or with both.

54. If a person subject to this Order—

- (i) Wilfully obstructs, by act or threat, a Native Court in the performance of its duty; or
- (ii) Within or close to the room or place where such a Court is sitting wilfully misbehaves in a violent, threatening, or disrespectful manner, to the disturbance of the Court or to the intimidation of suitors or others resorting to the Court; or
- (iii) Wilfully insults any member or officer of such a Court in his going to, or returning from, any place of sitting or office of the Court;

He shall, on conviction before a Court established under this Order, be liable to be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to two months, or with fine which may extend to 1,000 rupees, or with both.

55. (a) If an officer of any Court employed to execute an order loses, by neglect or omission, the opportunity of executing it, then, on complaint of the person aggrieved and proof of the fact alleged, the Court may, if it thinks fit, order the officer to pay the damages sustained by the person complaining, or part thereof.

(b) The order may be enforced as an order directing payment of money.

56. (a) If a clerk or officer of any Court, acting under pretence of the process of authority of the Court, is charged with extortion, or with not paying over money duly levied, or with other misconduct, the Court may, if it thinks fit, inquire into the charge in a summary way, and may for that purpose summon and enforce the attendance of all necessary persons as in an action, and may make such order for the repayment of any money extorted, or for the payment over of any money levied, and for the payment of such damages and costs, as the Court thinks fit.

(b) The Court may also, if it thinks fit, on the same inquiry, impose on the clerk or officer a fine not exceeding fifty rupees for each offence.

(c) A clerk or officer punished under this Article shall not, without the leave of the Protectorate Court, be liable to an action in respect of the same matter; and any such action, if already or afterwards begun, may be stayed by the Court in such manner and on such terms as the Court thinks fit.

(d) Nothing in this Article shall be deemed to prevent any person from being prosecuted under any other law for any act or omission punishable under this Article, or from being liable under that other law to any higher punishment or penalty than that provided by this Article: provided that no person shall be punished twice for the same offence.

57. The Commissioner, or any officer of the Protectorate Government appointed by him in that behalf, may exercise any power conferred on any Justices of the Peace within Her Majesty's dominions by any Act of Parliament, for the time being in force, regulating merchant seamen or the mercantile marine.

58. If a question arises whether any place is or is not within the Protectorate for the purposes of this Order, it shall be referred to the Commissioner, and a certificate under his hand and seal shall be conclusive on the question, and judicial notice thereof shall be taken by every Court constituted by or under this Order, and by the Court for Zanzibar.

59. Not later than 31st March in each year the Commissioner shall send to the Secretary of State a report on the operation of this Order, up to 31st December in the previous year, showing for the then last twelve months the number and nature of the proceedings, criminal and civil, taken under this Order, and the result thereof, and the number and amount of fees received, and containing an abstract of the list of British subjects, and such other information, and being in such form as the Secretary of State from time to time directs.

PART VIII.—REPEAL AND TRANSITORY PROVISIONS.

60. On the commencement of this Order, the Zanzibar and Africa Orders in Council shall cease to apply to territories included within the limits of this Order.

61. (a) Nothing in this Order shall—

(i) Affect the past operation of the Zanzibar and Africa Orders in Council, or any regulation, rule, or appointment made, or any right, title, obligation, or liability accrued, or the validity or invalidity of anything done or suffered, under those Orders respectively, before the making of this Order;

(ii) Interfere with the institution or prosecution of any proceeding or suit, criminal or civil, in respect of any offence committed against, or forfeiture incurred, or liability accrued under, or in consequence of any provision of those Orders respectively, or any regulation made thereunder;

(iii) Take away or abridge any protection or benefit given or to be enjoyed in relation thereto.

(b) Every regulation, rule, appointment, and other thing in this Article mentioned shall continue in force and have effect throughout the Protectorate, as if this Order had not been made, but so that the same may be revoked, altered, or otherwise dealt with under this Order, as if it had been made or done under this Order.

62. Criminal or civil proceedings begun under the Zanzibar or Africa Orders, and pending at the commencement of this Order, shall, from and after that time, be regulated by the provisions of this Order, as far as the nature and circumstances of each case admit.

63. This Order shall commence and have effect as follows:

(1) As to the making of any warrant or appointment under this Order, immediately from and after the date of this Order.

(2) As to the framing of Rules of Procedure or Regulations, and the approval thereof by the Secretary of State, immediately from and after the date of this Order.

(3) As to all other matters and provisions comprised and contained in this Order, immediately from and after the expiration of one month after this Order is first exhibited in the public office of the Protectorate at Mombasa; for which purpose the Commissioner is hereby required forthwith, on receipt by him of a copy of this Order, to affix and exhibit the same conspicuously in his public office, and he is also hereby required to keep the same so affixed and exhibited during one month from the first exhibition thereof; and notice of the time of such first exhibition shall, as soon thereafter as practicable, be published in Mombasa in such manner as the Commissioner directs; and, notwithstanding anything in this Order, the time of the expiration of the said month shall be deemed to be the time of the commencement of this Order.

(4) Proof shall not in any proceeding or matter be required that the provisions of this Article have been complied with, nor shall any act or proceeding be invalidated by any failure to comply with any of such provisions.

64. A copy of this Order shall be kept exhibited conspicuously in the Court and in the principal office of the Protectorate at Mombasa.

Printed copies shall be provided and sold at such reasonable price as the Commissioner directs.

And the Most Honourable the Marquess of Salisbury, K. G., one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions herein.

C. L. Peel.

SCHEDULE.

Indian Acts Applied.

Acts XXXV and XXXVI of 1858 relating respectively to Lunatics and Lunatic Asylums.

The Indian Penal Code (Act XLV of 1860).

"The Whipping Act, 1864" (Act VI of 1864).

The Indian Succession Act (Act X of 1865, except section 331.

So much of "The Indian Post Office Act, 1866" (Act XIV of 1866) as relates to offences against the Post Office.

The Indian Divorce Act (Act IV of 1869), except so much as relates to divorce and nullity of marriage.

"The Bombay Civil Courts Act, 1869" (Act XIV of 1869), except sections 6, 15, 23, 32, 33, 34, 38 to 43 (both inclusive), the last clause of section 19, and the last two clauses of section 22.

"The Indian Evidence Act, 1872" (Act I of 1872).

"The Indian Contract Act, 1872" (Act IX of 1872).

"The Indian Oaths Act, 1873," (Act X of 1873).

The Indian Majority Act (Act IX of 1875).

"The Indian Limitation Act, 1877" (Act XV of 1877).

"The Transfer of Property Act, 1882" (Act IV of 1882).

The Code of Criminal Procedure (Act X of 1882), except chapter 33.

The Code of Civil Procedure (Act XIV of 1882).

"The Provincial Small Cause Courts Act, 1887" (Act IX of 1887).

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AT THE COURT AT WINDSOR.

The 7th day of July, 1897.

PRESENT :

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught and Strathearne.

Lord President.

Earl of Kintore.

Earl of Hopetoun.

Mr. Secretary Chamberlain.

WHEREAS by Treaty, grant, usage, sufferance, and other lawful means, Her Majesty the Queen has power and jurisdiction within the dominions of His Highness the Sultan of Zanzibar :

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue, and in exercise of the powers on this behalf by "The Foreign Jurisdiction Act, 1890," or otherwise, in Her Majesty vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows :

PART I.—PRELIMINARY.

1. This Order may be cited as "The Zanzibar Order in Council, 1897."

The limits of this Order are the Islands of Zanzibar and Pemba, including the territorial waters thereof, and any islets within those waters, which islands and waters are in this Order (except when the context requires a different construction) included in the expression "Zanzibar."

2. This Order is divided into Parts as follows :

Part I.—Preliminary.

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3. In this Order—

- (i) "The Secretary of State" means one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State ;
- (ii) "Treasury" means the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury ;
- (iii) "The Consul-General" means Her Majesty's Consul-General for Zanzibar, including a person acting temporarily, with the approval of the Secretary of State, as or for the Consul-General ;
- (iv) "British Subject" includes a British protected person, that is to say, a person (a) who being a native of any place beyond the dominions of the Sultan of Zanzibar, which is under the Protectorate of Her Majesty is temporarily within the limits of this Order ; or (b) who by virtue of "The Foreign Jurisdiction Act, 1890," or otherwise, enjoys Her Majesty's protection in Zanzibar ;
- (v) "Resident" means having a fixed place of abode in Zanzibar ;
- (vi) "Zanzibar Subject" means a subject of the Sultan of Zanzibar ;
- (vii) "Foreigner" means a subject or citizen of a State in amity with Her Majesty, other than Zanzibar ;
- (viii) "Zanzibar or foreign Court" means a Court of the Government of Zanzibar, or of any foreign State in amity with Her Majesty, exercising lawful jurisdiction in Zanzibar, and includes every member or officer of such a Court.
- (ix) "Treaty" includes any Convention, Agreement, or Arrangement, made by or on behalf of Her Majesty with any State or Government, King, Chief, people, or tribe, whether the Sultan of Zanzibar is or is not a party thereto ;
- (x) "Administration" means (unless a contrary intention appears from the context) letters of administration, including the same with will annexed, or granted for special or limited purposes, or limited in duration ;
- (xi) "Ship" includes any vessel used in navigation, however propelled, with her tackle, furniture, and apparel, and any boat or other craft ;
- (xii) "Offence" means any act or omission made punishable by any law for the time being in force ;

- (xiii) "Imprisonment" means imprisonment of either description, as defined in the Indian Penal Code ;
- (xiv) "Month" means calendar month ;
- (xv) "Will" means will, codicil, or other testamentary instrument ;
- (xvi) "Oath" or "affidavit" includes affirmation or declaration ;
- (xvii) "Person" includes Corporation ;
- (xviii) Words importing the plural or the singular may be construed as referring to one person or thing, or to more than one person or thing, and words importing the masculine as referring to females (as the case may require).

4. (1) Where this Order confers a power or imposes a duty, the power may be exercised and the duty shall be performed from time to time as occasion requires.

(2) Where this Order confers a power or imposes a duty on the holder of an office, then, unless a contrary intention appears, the power may be exercised and the duty shall be performed by the holder of the office for the time being, or by a person duly appointed to act for him.

(3) Where this Order confers a power to make rules, regulations, or orders, the power shall be construed as including a power exercisable in the like manner, and subject to the like approval and conditions (if any), to rescind, revoke, amend, or vary the rules, regulations, or orders.

PART II.—APPLICATION AND EFFECT OF ORDER.

5. (1) This Order extends to British subjects and to foreigners with respect to whom the Government whose subjects they are has, by Treaty or otherwise, agreed with Her Majesty for, or consented to, the exercise of power or authority by Her Majesty ; and the expression "person subject to this Order" shall be construed accordingly.

(2) This Order also extends to (a) the property and all personal or proprietary rights and liabilities in Zanzibar of persons subject to this Order ; (b) British ships, with their boats, and the property on board thereof ; and (c) foreign ships belonging to persons who are, or if they were in Zanzibar would be, persons subject to this Order, so, however, that jurisdiction over such foreign ships shall not be exercised otherwise than according to the practice of the High Court in England in the exercise of jurisdiction over foreign ships.

(3) This Order also extends, in the cases and according to the conditions specified in this Order, to Zanzibar subjects and to foreigners not otherwise subject to this Order.

6. All Her Majesty's jurisdiction exercisable in Zanzibar for the hearing and determination of suits, or for the maintenance of order, or for the control or administration of persons or property, or in relation thereto, shall be exercised under and according to the provisions of this Order, so far as this Order extends and applies.

PART III.—CONSTITUTION OF COURTS.

7. (1) There shall be, and there is, hereby established, a Court styled "Her Britannic Majesty's Court for Zanzibar," hereinafter referred to also as "the Court for Zanzibar" and "the Court."

(2) Subject to the other provisions of this Order, Her Majesty's jurisdiction in Zanzibar shall be, and is hereby, vested in the Court for Zanzibar.

(3) The members of the Court shall be the Judge and the Assistant Judge, but as respects the Assistant Judge, subject to the provisions of this Order and to such exceptions and directions as the Secretary of State from time to time thinks fit to make.

(4) A person appointed to be Judge or Assistant Judge must be a member of the Bar of England, Scotland, or Ireland, and must be of not less than five years' standing on appointment as Judge, and of not less than three years' standing on appointment as Assistant Judge.

(5) The Judge and the Assistant Judge shall be appointed by Her Majesty by warrant under her Royal Sign Manual. Each of them shall hold office during the pleasure of Her Majesty, and, in the event of a revocation of his warrant, until such revocation is notified to him by the Secretary of State.

(6) In case of the illness or temporary absence of the Judge, the Consul-General may appoint either a person qualified to be appointed Judge, or the Assistant Judge, or a person appointed to hold a Subordinate Court under this Order, or a commissioned Consular officer, to act as Judge.

(7) In case of the illness or temporary absence of the Assistant Judge, or of his temporary appointment as Judge, the Consul-General may appoint either a person qualified to be appointed Assistant Judge, or a person appointed to hold a Subordinate Court under this Order, or a commissioned Consular officer, to act as Assistant Judge.

8. The Court shall have a seal bearing the style of the Court and a device approved by the Secretary of State, but until such a seal is provided, a stamp bearing the words "Court for Zanzibar" may be used instead thereof.

9. Subject to the directions of the Secretary of State the Consul-General may appoint such and so many persons to be Registrars, Clerks, Bailiffs, Interpreters, and other officers of the Court as he thinks fit, and remove from office any person so appointed.

Any Registrar of the Court, and any other officer of the Court designated in this behalf by the Consul-General, may administer oaths, and take affidavits, declarations, and affirmations.

10. The Secretary of State may, if he thinks fit, appoint Subordinate Courts to be held at places in Zanzibar, and may appoint a competent person to hold any such Court, under such designation and with such remuneration as he may direct, and may assign to any such Court such of the powers and jurisdiction by this Order conferred on the Court for Zanzibar, to be exercised by the Court so constituted, as he may think fit, and may assign the district in and for which each such Court shall act, and may determine the description and number of the officers to be attached to any such Court, and the mode of their appointment and removal and their duties and remuneration and any matters incident to any of the abovementioned purposes.

Any person appointed under the provisions of this Article shall be removable by authority of the Secretary of State.

PART IV.—APPLICATION OF LAW OF BRITISH INDIA AND OF THE UNITED KINGDOM.

11. (a) Subject to the other provisions of this Order, and to any Treaties for the time being in force relating to Zanzibar, Her Majesty's criminal and civil jurisdiction in Zanzibar shall, so far as circumstances admit, be exercised on the principles of, and in conformity with, the enactments for the time being applicable as hereinafter mentioned of the Governor-General of India in Council, and of the Governor of Bombay in Council, and according to the course of procedure and practice observed by, and before, the Courts in the Presidency of Bombay beyond the limits of the ordinary original jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature at Bombay according to their respective jurisdiction and authority, and so far as such enactments, procedure, and practice are inapplicable, shall be exercised under, and in accordance with, the common and statute law of England in force at the commencement of this Order.

(b) The enactments described in the First Schedule to this Order are hereby made applicable to Zanzibar.

(c) Any other existing or future enactments of the Governor-General of India in Council, or of the Governor of Bombay in Council, shall also be applicable to Zanzibar, but shall not come into operation until such times as may in the case of any of such enactments respectively be fixed by the Secretary of State.

(d) Any Act of the Governor-General of India in Council, or of the Governor of Bombay in Council, whether passed before or after the commencement of this Order, amending or substituted for any Act of either of those Legislatures which is by or under this Order made applicable to and brought into operation in Zanzibar, shall, subject to the provisions of this Article, also apply to Zanzibar.

(e) For the purpose of facilitating the application of any such enactments as before mentioned—

- (i) The Court may construe any such enactment, with such alterations not affecting the substance, as may be necessary or proper to adapt the same to the matter before the Court;
- (ii) The Secretary of State may by order direct by what authority any jurisdiction, powers, or duties incident to the operation of any such enactment, and for the exercise or performance of which no convenient provision has been otherwise made, shall be exercised or performed;
- (iii) The Secretary of State may by order modify, for the purposes of this Order, any provision of any of the before-mentioned enactments, or of any amending or substituted enactment relating to civil or criminal procedure, or to procedure in bankruptcy;
- (iv) Any order of the Secretary of State made in pursuance of this Article shall be published in Zanzibar and in India, in such manner as he directs, and shall have effect as from a date to be specified in the order.

12. The enactments described in the First Schedule to "The Foreign Jurisdiction Act, 1890," shall apply to Zanzibar as if Zanzibar were a British Colony or possession, but subject to the provisions of this Order and to the exceptions, adaptations, and modifications following, that is to say:

- (i) The Consul-General is hereby substituted for the Governor of a Colony or British possession, and the Court for Zanzibar is hereby substituted for a Superior Court or Supreme Court and for a Magistrate or Justice of the Peace of a Colony or British possession.
- (ii) For the portions of the Merchant Shipping Acts, 1854 and 1867, referred to in the said Schedule, shall be substituted Part XIII of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1894."
- (iii) In section 51 of "The Conveyancing (Scotland) Act, 1874," and any enactment for the time being in force amending the same, the Court for Zanzibar is substituted for a Court of Probate in a Colony.

(iv) With respect to "The Fugitive Offenders Act, 1881,"—

(a) So much of the 4th and 5th sections of the said Act as relates to sending a report of the issue of a warrant, together with the information, or a copy thereof, or to the sending of a certificate of committal and report of a case, or to the information to be given by a Magistrate to a fugitive, shall be excepted, and in lieu of such information, the person acting as the Magistrate shall inform the fugitive that in the British possession or Protectorate to which he may be conveyed he has the right to apply for a writ of *habeas corpus* or other like process.

(b) So much of the 6th section of the said Act as requires the expiration of fifteen days before issue of a warrant shall be excepted.

(c) The Consul-General shall not be bound to return a fugitive offender to a British possession unless satisfied that the proceedings to obtain his return are taken with the consent of the Governor of that possession.

(d) For the purposes of Part II of the said Act, Zanzibar, the East Africa and Uganda Protectorates, British India, Mauritius, and all British possessions and Protectorates in Africa south of the Equator shall be deemed to be one group of British possessions.

13. The Secretary of State may, by order published in such manner as he directs, declare that any of the Laws or Ordinances for the time being in force in any African possession of Her Majesty, and not inconsistent with this Order, shall have effect and be administered in Zanzibar with such modifications or adaptations as may be necessary, and thereupon such Laws or Ordinances, as so modified or adapted, shall have effect as if they had been applied by this Order.

PART V.—CRIMINAL MATTERS.

14. Subject to the other provisions of this Order, the Code of Criminal Procedure and the other enactments relating to the administration of criminal justice in India, for the time being applicable to Zanzibar, shall have effect as if Zanzibar were a district in the Presidency of Bombay; and the Assistant Judge shall be deemed to be the Magistrate of the district; the Judge shall be deemed to be the Sessions Judge; the High Court of Judicature at Bombay (hereinafter called the High Court of Bombay) shall be deemed to be the High Court; and the powers both of the Governor-General in Council and of the Local Government under those enactments shall be exercisable by the Secretary of State, or, with his previous or subsequent assent, by the Governor-General of India in Council.

15. When any person is committed to the High Court of Bombay for trial, the Consul-General may, under and in accordance with the provisions of section 6 of "The Foreign Jurisdiction Act, 1890," send him to Bombay for trial; and in such case the Court may, if it thinks fit, bind over such of the proper witnesses as are British subjects, or any of them, in their own recognizances, to appear and give evidence on the trial.

16. If any person subject to this Order smuggles or imports into or exports from Zanzibar any goods whereon any duty is charged or payable to the Government of Zanzibar, with intent to evade payment of the duty, he shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to two months, or with fine which may extend to 1,000 rupees, or with both.

17. Any act which if done in British India would be an offence against the law for the time being in force in British India relating to trade-marks, merchandize marks, copyright, designs, or inventions, shall, if done in Zanzibar by a person subject to this Order, be an offence, whether the person in relation to whose property or right such act is done is, or is not, subject to this Order; and any person convicted of such offence shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to two months, or with a fine which may extend to 1,000 rupees, or with both.

18. (1) In cases of murder or culpable homicide, if either the death or the criminal act which wholly or partly caused the death happened in Zanzibar, a Court acting under this Order shall have the like jurisdiction over any person subject to this Order who is charged either as a principal offender or as an abettor, as if both the criminal act and the death had happened in Zanzibar.

(2) In the case of any offence committed on the high seas, or within the Admiralty jurisdiction, by any person subject to this Order, who at the time of committing such offence was on board a British ship, or on board a foreign ship to which he did not belong, a Court acting under this Order shall have jurisdiction as if the offence had been committed within Zanzibar.

(3) In cases tried under this Article no different sentence can be passed from the sentence which could be passed in England if the offence were tried there.

19. (a) The Consul-General may, if he thinks fit, by general order, prescribe the manner in which, and the places in Zanzibar at which, sentences of imprisonment are to be carried into execution.

(b) The Consul-General may, if he thinks fit, in any case, by warrant under his hand and official seal, cause an offender convicted and sentenced to imprisonment before the Court to be sent and removed to, and imprisoned in, any place in Zanzibar or in the East Africa Protectorate.

20. Where an offender convicted before the Court is sentenced to imprisonment, and the Consul-General, proceeding under section 7 of "The Foreign Jurisdiction Act, 1890," authority in that behalf being hereby given to him, considers it expedient that the sentence should be carried into effect within Her Majesty's dominions, the place shall be a place in some part of Her Majesty's dominions out of the United Kingdom the Government whereof consents that offenders may be sent thither under this Article.

21. (1) Where it is shown by evidence on oath, to the satisfaction of the Consul-General, that any person subject to this Order has committed, or is about to commit, an offence against this Order, or is otherwise conducting himself so as to be dangerous to peace and good order in Zanzibar, or is endeavouring to excite enmity between the Sultan or people of Zanzibar and Her Majesty, or is intriguing against Her Majesty's power and authority in Zanzibar, the Consul-General may, if he thinks fit, by order under his hand and official seal, prohibit that person from being in Zanzibar during any time therein specified, not exceeding two years.

(2) If the person named in the order of prohibition fails to obey, or acts in contravention of, the order—

(i) He shall be guilty of an offence against this Order, and, on conviction thereof, shall be liable to imprisonment for any time not exceeding two years, without prejudice to the operation of the order of prohibition;

(ii) Whether the offender has been convicted of, or imprisoned for, that offence or not, the Consul-General may, if he thinks fit, by order under his hand and official seal, authorize and direct that he be taken into custody, and be removed in custody to some place named in the order of removal, being a place to which a person can under this Order be deported beyond the limits specified in the order of prohibition;

(iii) The offender shall be taken into custody and removed accordingly, and in such removal force may be used if necessary; and he shall be discharged from custody at the place named in the order of removal.

(3) In any case in which the Consul-General can, under this Order, make an order of prohibition, he may, if he thinks fit, in lieu of such order, make and execute an order of deportation in like manner and with all the like consequences, as an order of deportation can under this Order be made and executed in the case of a person who, after conviction of an offence, has failed to give security required for good behaviour.

(4) An appeal shall not lie against an order of prohibition, or removal, or deportation made under this Order.

(5) The Consul-General, by order under his hand and official seal, may vary any order of prohibition (not extending the duration thereof) and may revoke any order of prohibition or removal.

(6) The Consul-General shall forthwith report to the Secretary of State every order made by him under this Article, and the grounds thereof, and the proceedings thereunder.

22. Where a person subject to this Order is convicted of an offence, the Court before which he is convicted may, if it thinks fit, require him to give security to the satisfaction of the Court for his future good behaviour, and for that purpose may, if it thinks fit, cause him to come or be brought before the Court.

23. (a) If any person required by an order under the last preceding Article, or under the law relating to criminal procedure for the time being in force to give security for good behaviour or for keeping the peace, fails to do so, the Court may, if it thinks fit, with the approval of the Consul-General, order that he be deported from Zanzibar.

(b) The Court, on making an order of deportation, shall forthwith report to the Consul-General the order and the grounds thereof.

(c) Thereupon the person ordered to be deported shall be as soon as practicable, and in the case of a person convicted, either after execution of the sentence, or while it is in course of execution, removed in custody, under the warrant of the Consul-General, to the place named in the warrant.

(d) The place shall be a place in that part (if any) of Her Majesty's dominions out of the United Kingdom to which the person belongs, or in some other part of those dominions the Government whereof consents to the reception therein of persons deported under this Order, or a place under the Protectorate of Her Majesty, or in the country out of Her Majesty's dominions to which the person belongs.

(e) The Court, on making an order of deportation, may, if it thinks fit, order the person to be deported to pay all or any part of the expenses of his deportation, to be fixed by the Court in the order.

(f) The Consul-General shall forthwith report to the Secretary of State every order of deportation made under this Order, and the grounds thereof and the proceedings thereunder.

(g) If a person deported under this Order returns to Zanzibar without permission in writing of the Consul-General or Secretary of State, he shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to two months, or with fine which may extend to 1,000 rupees, or with both.

(4) He shall also be liable to be again deported under the original or a new order and a fresh warrant of the Consul-General.

24. (a) Where a person entitled to appeal to the High Court of Bombay from any judgment or order passed in the exercise of criminal jurisdiction under this Order desires so to appeal, he shall present his Petition of appeal to the Court for Zanzibar, and the Petition shall with all practicable speed be transmitted by the Court for Zanzibar to the High Court, with certified copies of the charge (if any) and proceedings, of all documentary evidence admitted or tendered, of the depositions, of the notes of the oral testimony, and of the Judgment or order, and any argument on the Petition of appeal that the appellant desires to submit to the High Court.

25. The Court for Zanzibar shall postpone the execution of the sentence pending the appeal and shall, if necessary, commit the person convicted to prison for safe custody, or detain him in prison for safe custody, or shall admit him to bail, and may take security, by recognizance, deposit of money, or otherwise, for his payment of any fine.

26. (a) Where, under this Order, a person is to be sent, or removed, or deported from Zanzibar, he shall, by warrant of the Consul-General under his hand and seal, be detained, if necessary, in custody, or in prison, until a fit opportunity for his removal or deportation occurs, and then be put on board one of Her Majesty's vessels of war, or, if none is available, then on board some other British or other fit vessel.

(b) The warrant of the Consul-General shall be sufficient authority to the person to whom it is directed or delivered for execution, and to the Commander or master of the vessel, to receive and detain the person therein named, in the manner therein prescribed, and to send, or remove, and carry him to the place therein named, according to the warrant.

(c) In case of sending or removal for any purpose other than deportation, the warrant of the Consul-General shall be issued in duplicate, and the person executing it shall, as soon as practicable after his arrival at the place therein named, deliver, according to the warrant, with one of the duplicates of the warrant, to a constable, or proper officer of police or keeper of a prison, or other proper authority or person there, the person named in the warrant, to be produced on the order of the proper Court or authority there, or to be otherwise dealt with according to law.

27. When a warrant or order of arrest is issued by a competent judicial authority in the East Africa Protectorate or in the Uganda Protectorate for the apprehension of a person who is accused of crime committed in that Protectorate, and who is, or is supposed to be, within Zanzibar, and that warrant or order is produced to any Court acting under this Order, the Court may back the warrant or order, and the same, when so backed, shall be sufficient authority to any person to whom it was originally directed, and also to any constable or officer of the Court by whom it is backed, and to any person named on the back of the warrant or order, to apprehend the accused person at any place within the limits of this Order and to carry him to and deliver him up within the jurisdiction of the authority issuing the warrant or order.

28. The Consul-General and every commissioned Consular officer, respectively, shall have in and for Zanzibar all the power and jurisdiction appertaining to the office of a Justice of the Peace.

PART VI.—CIVIL MATTERS.

29. Subject to the other provisions of this Order, the Code of Civil Procedure, "The Bombay Civil Courts Act, 1869," the Indian Succession Act, and the other enactments relating to the administration of civil justice for the time applicable to Zanzibar, shall have effect as if Zanzibar were a district in the Presidency of Bombay; the Judge shall be deemed to be the District Judge, and the Assistant Judge, the Joint District Judge, of the district, and the Court for Zanzibar, the District Court or Principal Civil Court of Original Jurisdiction in the district; the High Court of Bombay shall be deemed to be the highest Civil Court of Appeal for the district, and the Court authorized to hear appeals from and to revise the decisions of the District Court; and the powers, both of the Governor-General in Council and the Local Government, under those enactments, shall be exercisable by the Secretary of State, or, with his previous or subsequent assent, by the Governor-General of India in Council.

30. The Court for Zanzibar shall, for and within Zanzibar, and for vessels and persons coming within Zanzibar, have all such jurisdiction as is for the time being conferred on the Court by "The Consular Courts (Admiralty) Order in Council, 1894," or by any other Order in Council under section 12 of "The Colonial Courts of Admiralty Act, 1890."

The Assistant Judge shall be the Admiralty Registrar of the Court, but when he acts as Judge the Consul-General may appoint a competent person to be Acting Registrar.

31. (a) The Court shall endeavour to obtain, as early as may be, notice of the death of every person subject to this Order dying in Zanzibar and leaving property to be administered, and all such information as may serve to guide the Court with respect to the securing and administration of his property.

(b) On receiving notice of the death of such a person, the Court shall put up a notice thereof at the Court-house, and shall keep the same there until probate or administration is granted, or, where it appears to the Court that probate or administration will not be applied for, or cannot be granted, for such time as the Court thinks fit.

(c) The Court shall, where the circumstances of the case appear so to require, as soon as may be, take possession of the property in Zanzibar of the deceased, or put it under the seal of the Court (in either case, if the nature of the property or other circumstances so require, making an inventory) and so keep it until it can be dealt with according to law.

(d) All expenses incurred by the Court in so doing shall be the first charge on the property of the deceased, and the Court shall, by sale of the property or part thereof, or otherwise, provide for the discharge of these expenses.

32. When a person subject to this Order dies in Zanzibar intestate, his property shall, until administration is granted, vest in the Judge.

33. If a person named executor in a will, to the establishment of whose title, as such, it is necessary to obtain probate of that will, takes possession of, and administers or otherwise deals with, any part of the property of the deceased, and does not obtain probate within one month after the death, or after the termination of any proceeding respecting probate or administration, he shall be liable to be punished with fine, which may extend to 1,000 rupees.

34. If any person, other than the person named executor, or the administrator, or a person entitled to represent the deceased without obtaining probate or letters of administration, or an officer of the Court, takes possession of, and administers, or otherwise deals with, any part of the property of the deceased, he shall, as soon as practicable, notify the fact and the circumstances to the Court, and shall furnish to the Court all such information as the Court requires, and shall conform to any directions of the Court in relation to the custody, disposal, or transmission of the property, or the proceeds thereof, and, in case of any contravention of this Article, he shall be liable to be punished with fine, which may extend to 1,000 rupees.

35. (1) When the peculiar circumstances of the case appear to the Court so to require, for reasons recorded in its proceedings, the Court may, if it thinks fit, of its own motion, or otherwise, grant letters of administration to an officer or practitioner of the Court.

(2) The person so appointed shall act under the direction of the Court, and shall be indemnified thereby; and if he is a practitioner shall not act otherwise than as administrator in relation to the estate.

(3) He shall publish such notices, if any, as the Court thinks fit, in Zanzibar, Bombay, the United Kingdom, and elsewhere.

(4) The Court shall require and compel him to file, in the proper office of the Court, his accounts of his administration, at intervals, not exceeding three months.

(5) The accounts shall be audited under the direction of the Court.

(6) All expenses incurred in behalf of the Court in execution of this Article shall be the first charge on the estate of the deceased in Zanzibar; and the Court shall, by the sale of the estate, or otherwise, provide for the discharge of those expenses.

36. (a) Where any person entitled to appeal to the High Court of Bombay from any Decree or order made by the Court for Zanzibar in the exercise of civil jurisdiction under this Order desires so to appeal, he shall present his Memorandum of Appeal to the Court for Zanzibar, and, subject to the provisions hereinafter contained, that Court shall receive the same for transmission to the High Court in manner hereinafter provided.

(b) The appellant shall, within such time as the Court directs, give security to the satisfaction of the Court, and to such amount as the Court thinks reasonable, for prosecution of the appeal, and for payment of any costs that may be ordered by the High Court of Bombay on the appeal to be paid by the appellant.

(c) The appellant shall pay into the proper office of the Court for Zanzibar such sum as the Court thinks reasonable, to defray the expense of the making up and transmission to the High Court of Bombay of the record.

37. The appellant may, with his Memorandum of Appeal, file any argument which he desires to submit to the High Court of Bombay in support of the appeal.

38. (a) The Memorandum of Appeal and the argument (if any) shall be served on such persons as respondents as the Court for Zanzibar directs.

(b) A respondent may, within seven days after service, file in the Court for Zanzibar such arguments as he desires to submit to the High Court of Bombay against the appeal.

(c) Copies thereof shall be furnished by the Court for Zanzibar to such persons as that Court thinks fit.

39. (a) On the expiration of the time for the respondent filing his argument, the Court shall, without the application of any party, make up the record of appeal, which shall consist of the Memorandum of Appeal and the arguments (if any), and certified copies of the following, namely, the plaint, written statements (if any), all proceedings, all written and documentary evidence admitted or tendered, the notes of the oral evidence, the Judgment, and the Decree or order.

(b) The several pieces shall be fastened together consecutively numbered, and the whole shall be secured by the seal of the Court, and be forthwith forwarded to the High Court of Bombay.

(c) The Court may, if for special reasons they think fit, send any portion of the documentary evidence in original to the High Court.

PART VII.—ZANZIBAR AND FOREIGN SUBJECTS AND TRIBUNALS.

40. (a) The Court for Zanzibar shall hear and determine all civil questions, claims, or disputes arising between any Zanzibar subject and any person subject to this Order in which the former is plaintiff or complainant.

(b) The High Court of Bombay shall not exercise jurisdiction in any such suit.

41. (a) Where it is desired to commence a suit in which one party is, and the other party is not, a person subject to this Order, the Court shall entertain the same, and shall hear and determine it :

(b) Provided that the person not subject to this Order, if so required by the Court, first obtains and files in the proper office of the Court the consent, in writing, of the competent authority (if any) on behalf of his own nation, to his submitting, and that he does submit, to the jurisdiction of the Court, and, if required by the Court, gives security to the satisfaction of the Court, and to such reasonable amount as the Court thinks fit, by deposit or otherwise, to pay fees, costs, and damages, and abide by, and perform, the decision to be given by the Court or on appeal.

(c) A cross-suit shall not be brought in the Court against a plaintiff, being a person not subject to this Order, who has submitted to the jurisdiction, by a defendant without leave of the Court first obtained ; but the Court may, as a condition of entertaining the plaintiff's suit, require his consent to any cross suit or matter of set-off being entertained by the Court.

(d) The Court, before giving leave, may require proof from the defendant that his claim arises out of the matter in dispute, and that there is reasonable ground for it and that it is not made for vexation or delay.

(e) Nothing in this Article shall prevent the defendant from bringing, in the Court, against a person not subject to this Order, after the termination of the suit in which the latter is plaintiff, any suit which he might have brought in the Court if no provision restraining cross-suits had been inserted in this Order.

(f) Where a person not subject to this Order obtains in the Court an order against a defendant being a person subject to this Order, and in another suit the latter is plaintiff and the former is defendant, the Court may, if it thinks fit, on the application of the first-mentioned defendant, stay the enforcement of the order pending that other suit, and may set off any amount ordered to be paid by one party in one action against any amount ordered to be paid by the other party in the other action.

(g) Where the plaintiff, being a person not subject to this Order, obtains an order in the Court against two or more defendants jointly, being persons subject to this Order, and in another suit one of them is a plaintiff and the first-mentioned plaintiff is defendant, the Court may, if it thinks fit, on application, stay the enforcement of the order pending that other action, and may set off any amount ordered to be paid by one party in one action against any amount ordered to be paid by the other party in the other action, without prejudice to the right of the person plaintiff in the second suit to obtain contribution from his co-defendants under the joint liability.

42. (a) Where it is proved that the attendance of any person subject to this Order to give evidence, or for any other purpose connected with the administration of justice, is required before any Court of Justice in Zanzibar other than a Court established by this Order, the Court for Zanzibar may, if it thinks fit, in a case and in circumstances in which the Court for Zanzibar would require the attendance of that person before the Court, order that he do attend as required. The order may be made subject to conditions as to payment or tender of expenses or otherwise.

(b) If the person ordered to attend, having reasonable notice of the time and place at which he is required to attend, fails to attend accordingly and does not excuse his failure to the satisfaction of the Court for Zanzibar, or if when so attending to give evidence he wilfully gives false evidence, or refuses to be sworn or to give evidence, he shall, independently of any other liability, be liable to be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to two months, or with fine which may extend to 1,000 rupees, or with both.

43. If a person subject to this Order—

(i) Wilfully obstructs, by act or threat, any Court in Zanzibar not established under this Order in the performance of its duty ; or

(ii) Within or close to the room or place where such a Court is sitting wilfully misbehaves in a violent, threatening, or disrespectful manner, to the disturbance of the Court or to the intimidation of suitors or others resorting to the Court ; or

(iii) Wilfully insults any member or officer of such a Court in his going to, or returning from, any place of sitting or office of the Court ;

He shall, on conviction before the Court for Zanzibar, be liable to be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to two months, or with fine which may extend to 1,000 rupees, or with both.

44. (a) Every agreement for reference to arbitration between a person subject to this Order on the one hand, and a person not subject to this Order on the other hand, may, on the application of any party, be filed for execution in the proper office of the Court.

(b) The Court shall thereupon have authority to enforce the agreement and the award made thereunder, and to control and regulate the proceedings before and after the award, in such manner and on such terms as the Court may think fit :

(c) Provided that the person not subject to this Order first obtains and files, in the proper office of the Court, the consent, in writing, of the competent authority (if any), on behalf of his own nation, to his submitting, and that he does submit, to the jurisdiction of the Court, and, if required by the Court, gives security to the satisfaction of the Court, and to such reasonable amount as the Court thinks fit, by deposit or otherwise, to pay fees, damages, costs, and expenses, and abide by and perform the award.

(d) If a person subject to this Order wilfully gives false evidence in an arbitration, he shall on conviction before the Court for Zanzibar be liable to the same punishment as if he were convicted of giving false evidence in a proceeding in that Court.

PART VIII.—MISCELLANEOUS.

45. (1) Notwithstanding anything in this Order, the Court for Zanzibar shall not exercise any jurisdiction in any proceeding whatsoever over Her Majesty's Consul-General, or his official or other residences, or his official or other property.

(2) Notwithstanding anything in this Order, the Court for Zanzibar shall not exercise, except with the consent of the Consul-General, signified in writing to the Court, any jurisdiction in a civil action or proceeding over any person attached to or being a member of Her Majesty's Consulate-General in Zanzibar, or being a domestic servant of the Consul-General.

(3) If, in any case under this Order, it appears to the Court for Zanzibar that the attendance of the Consul-General, or of any person attached to or being a member of Her Majesty's Consulate-General in Zanzibar, or being a domestic servant of the Consul-General, to give evidence before the Court, is requisite in the interests of justice, the Court for Zanzibar may address to the Consul-General a request in writing for such attendance.

(4) A person attending to give evidence before the Court shall not be compelled or allowed to give any evidence or produce any document if, in the opinion of the Consul-General, signified by him personally or in writing to the Court, the giving or production thereof would be injurious to Her Majesty's service.

46. Subject to the approval of the Secretary of State, the Court may frame Rules of Procedure and other Rules consistent with this Order, for the better execution of the provisions herein contained in respect of civil or criminal proceedings, and for regulating the conditions on which persons other than parties may be permitted to practise as advocates or solicitors in any Court, or for suspending or excluding (subject to a right of appeal to the Secretary of State) such persons from practice in case of misconduct: provided that any scale of remuneration fixed by such rules shall have been sanctioned by the Treasury.

47. The Consul-General may make Regulations (to be called *Queen's Regulations*) for the following purposes, that is to say:

- (i) For the peace, order, and good government of British subjects, and other persons subject to this Order, in relation to matters not provided for in this Order.
- (ii) For securing the observance of any Treaty for the time being in force relating to Zanzibar, or of any native or local law or custom.
- (iii) For requiring Returns to be made of the nature, quantity, and value of articles exported from or imported into Zanzibar, or any part thereof, by or on account of any British subject or person subject to this Order, and for prescribing the times and manner at or in which, and the persons by whom, such Returns are to be made.

Any Regulations under this Article may provide for forfeiture of any goods, receptacles, or things in relation to which, or to the contents of which, any breach is committed of such Regulations, or of any Treaty, or any native or local law or custom, the observance of which is provided for by the Regulations.

Any Regulations under this Article shall, when allowed by the Secretary of State and published as he directs, have effect as if contained in this Order: provided that in case of urgency declared in any such Regulations, the same shall take effect, before such allowance, and shall continue to have effect unless and until they are disallowed by the Secretary of State, and until notification of such disallowance is received and published by the Consul-General, and such disallowance shall be without prejudice to anything done or suffered under such Regulations in the meantime.

Any breach of the Regulations shall be an offence against this Order, and any person guilty thereof, shall on conviction be liable to a fine which may extend to 1,000 rupees, or to imprisonment which may extend to two months, or both, in addition to any forfeiture as aforesaid.

48. The Consul-General may also make Regulations for the governance, visitation, care, and superintendence of prisons in Zanzibar, and for the infliction of corporal or other punishment on prisoners committing offences against those Regulations.

Any Regulations under this Article shall, when allowed by the Secretary of State, have effect, as if contained in this Order, and copies thereof shall be exhibited in every prison to which they apply in such manner as the Consul-General may direct.

Any breach of Regulations under this Article, committed by any officer of a prison, or by any other person (not being a prisoner), shall be punishable in like manner as a breach of Queen's Regulations, under the last preceding Article.

49. (a) A non-testamentary instrument to which a British subject is a party, executed after the 28th day of November, 1893, and purporting or operating to create, declare, assign, limit, or extinguish, whether in present or in future, any right, title, or interest, whether vested or contingent to, in, or over immovable property situate in Zanzibar, shall not affect any immovable property comprised therein, or be received as evidence of any transaction affecting that property, unless it has been registered at such time and place and in such manner as may be prescribed by Rules made by the Consul-General and approved by the Secretary of State, and for the time being in force:

(b) Provided that nothing in this Article shall make any instrument inadmissible in evidence in any criminal proceeding.

50. (a) The Consul-General may, with the approval of the Secretary of State, and concurrence of the Treasury, make rules imposing fees leviable in respect of any proceedings in, or processes issued out of, any Court established under this Order, and in respect of the registration of any instrument under this Order.

(b) But the Court may in any case if it thinks fit, on account of the poverty of a party, or for any other reason, dispense in whole or in part with the payment of any fee chargeable in respect of such matter.

(c) The Court shall in every such case forthwith report the dispensation to the Consul-General, and he shall give such directions thereon as he thinks fit.

(d) Nothing in this Order shall affect any Order in Council prescribing a Table of fees to be taken by Consular officers; and, where a fee is taken under that Order, no fee shall be taken in respect of the same matter under this Order.

51. (a) All fees, charges, expenses, costs, fines, damages, and other money payable under this Order, or under any law made applicable by this Order, may be enforced under order of the Court by attachment and sale of goods, and, in case of deficiency, by imprisonment, which may extend to one month.

(b) Any bill of sale or mortgage, or transfer of property, made with the view of avoiding such attachment or sale, shall not be effectual to defeat the provisions of this Order.

(c) All fees, penalties, fines, and forfeitures levied under this Order, except such as may under Treaty be paid to the Sultan of Zanzibar, shall be paid to the public account, and shall be applied in such manner as the Secretary of State, with the concurrence of the Treasury, may direct.

52. Subject to the other provisions of this Order, all expenses of removal of prisoners and others, and the expenses of deportation and of the sending of any person to Bombay, or to any part of Her Majesty's dominions or Protectorates, including expenses of maintenance, shall be defrayed in such manner as the Secretary of State, with the concurrence of the Treasury, directs.

53. (a) If an officer of the Court employed to execute an order loses, by neglect or omission, the opportunity of executing it, then, on complaint of the person aggrieved and proof of the fact alleged, the Court may, if it thinks fit, order the officer to pay the damages sustained by the person complaining, or part thereof.

(b) The order may be enforced as an order directing payment of money.

54. (a) If a clerk or officer of the Court, acting under pretence of the process of authority of the Court, is charged with extortion, or with not paying over money duly levied, or with other misconduct, the Court may, if it thinks fit, inquire into the charge in a summary way, and may for that purpose summon and enforce the attendance of all necessary persons as in an action, and may make such order for the repayment of any money extorted, or for the payment over of any money levied, and for the payment of such damages and costs, as the Court thinks fit.

(b) The Court may also, if it thinks fit, on the same inquiry, impose on the clerk or officer a fine not exceeding 50 rupees for each offence.

(c) A clerk or officer punished under this Article shall not, without the leave of the Court, be liable to an action in respect of the same matter; and any such action, if already or afterwards begun, may be stayed by the Court in such manner and on such terms as the Court thinks fit.

(d) Nothing in this Article shall be deemed to prevent any person from being prosecuted under any other law for any act or omission punishable under this Article, or from being liable under that other law to any higher punishment or penalty than that provided by this Article: provided that no person shall be punished twice for the same offence.

55. The Consul-General, or any Consular officer appointed by him in that behalf, may exercise any power conferred on any Justices of the Peace within Her Majesty's dominions by any Act of Parliament for the time being in force, regulating merchant seamen or the mercantile marine.

56. Not later than the 31st March in each year the Consul-General shall send to the Secretary of State a Report on the operation of this Order up to the 31st December in the previous year showing, for the then last twelve months, the number and nature of the proceedings, criminal or civil, taken under this Order, and the result thereof, and the number and amount of fees received, and containing an abstract of the list of registered British subjects, and such other information, and being in such form as the Secretary of State from time to time directs.

PART IX.—REPEAL AND TRANSITORY PROVISIONS.

57. (a) From the commencement of this Order, the Orders in Council described in the Second Schedule to this Order shall be repealed as to Zanzibar, but this repeal shall not—

- (i) Affect the past operation of any of the repealed Orders, or any Regulation, Rule, or appointment made, or any right, title, obligation, or liability accrued, or the validity or invalidity of anything done or suffered, under any of those Orders before the commencement of this Order;
- (ii) Interfere with the institution or prosecution of any proceeding or suit, criminal or civil, in respect of any offence committed against, or forfeiture incurred, or liability accrued under, or in consequence of any provision of the repealed Orders, or any regulation made thereunder;
- (iii) Take away or abridge any protection or benefit given or to be enjoyed in relation thereto.

(b) Notwithstanding the repeal of the Orders in Council aforesaid, or any other thing in this Order, every Regulation, Rule, appointment, and other thing in this Article mentioned shall continue and be as if this Order had not been made, but so that the same may be revoked, altered, or otherwise dealt with under this Order, as if it had been made or done under this Order.

58. Criminal or civil proceedings begun under any Order in Council repealed by this Order, and pending at the commencement of this Order, shall, from and after that time, be regulated by the provisions of this Order, as far as the nature and circumstances of each case admit.

59. This Order shall commence and have effect as follows:

- (1) As to the making of any warrant or appointment under this Order, immediately from and after the date of this Order.
- (2) As to the framing of Rules of Procedure or Regulations, and the approval thereof by the Secretary of State, immediately from and after the date of this Order.
- (3) As to all other matters and provisions comprised and contained in this Order, immediately from and after the expiration of one month after this Order is first exhibited in the public office of the Consul-General; for which purpose he is hereby required forthwith, on receipt by him of a copy of this Order, to affix and exhibit the same conspicuously in his public office, and he is also hereby required to keep the same so affixed and exhibited during one month from the first exhibition thereof; and notice of the time of such first exhibition shall, as soon thereafter as practicable, be published in Zanzibar in such manner as the Consul-General directs: and, notwithstanding anything in this Order, the time of the expiration of the said month shall be deemed to be the time of the commencement of this Order.
- (4) Proof shall not in any proceeding or matter be required that the provisions of this Article have been complied with, nor shall any act or proceeding be invalidated by any failure to comply with any of such provisions.

60. A copy of this Order shall be kept exhibited conspicuously in the Court and in the Consulate at Zanzibar.

Printed copies shall be provided and sold at such reasonable price as the Consul-General directs.

And the Most Honourable the Marquess of Salisbury, K.G., and the Right Honourable Lord George Hamilton, two of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, are to give the necessary directions herein as to them respectively appertain.

C. L. Peel.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

Indian Acts Applied.

Acts XXXV and XXXVI of 1858, relating respectively to lunatics and lunatic asylums.

The Indian Penal Code (Act XI.V of 1860).

"The Whipping Act, 1864" (Act VI of 1864).

The Indian Succession Act (Act X of 1865), except section 331.

So much of "The Indian Post Office Act, 1866" (Act XIV of 1866) as relates to offences against the Post Office.

The Indian Divorce Act (Act IV of 1869), except so much as relates to divorce and nullity of marriage.

"The Bombay Civil Courts Act, 1869" (Act XIV of 1869), except sections 6, 15, 23, 32, 33, 34, 38 to 43 (both inclusive), the last clause of section 19, and the last two clauses of section 22.

"The Indian Evidence Act, 1872" (Act I of 1872).

"The Indian Contract Act, 1872" (Act IX of 1872).

"The Indian Oaths Act, 1873" (Act X of 1873).

The Indian Majority Act (Act IX of 1875).

"The Indian Limitation Act, 1877" (Act XV of 1877).

The Code of Criminal Procedure (Act X of 1882), except chapter 33.

"The Transfer of Property Act, 1882" (Act IV of 1882).

The Code of Civil Procedure (Act XIV of 1882).

• "The Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, 1890" (Act XI of 1890).

SECOND SCHEDULE.

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"The Zanzibar Order in Council, 1888."

"The Zanzibar Order in Council, 1889."

"The Zanzibar Order in Council, 1892."

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The 3rd September, 1897.

No. 1333-G.—The services of Mr. J. H. Medlicott, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Fort St. George, with effect from the 16th. August 1897.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary to the Government of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 3rd September, 1897.

APPOINTMENTS.

DISTRICT STAFF.

No. 978.—Colonel R. H. F. Rennick, Indian Staff Corps, Colonel on the Staff, Delhi, to officiate in command of a second class district in India, with the temporary rank of Brigadier-General while so employed, *vice* Major-General Sir B. Blood, K.C.B., appointed to the command of the Malakand Field Force. Dated 19th August 1897.

No. 979.—Colonel J. C. R. Glasgow, British Service, Assistant Adjutant-General, Headquarters, Bengal Command, to officiate in command of a second class district in India, with the temporary rank of Brigadier-General while so employed, *vice* Brigadier-General R. C. Hart, C.B., V.C., on leave, and in relief of Brigadier-General J. H. Wodehouse, C.B., C.M.G., appointed to command the 3rd Brigade, Malakand Field Force. Dated 26th August 1897.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 980.—Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel G. McBride Davis, M.D., D.S.O., Indian Medical Service, Bengal Establishment, is granted the temporary rank of Surgeon-Colonel, with effect from 21st August 1897, whilst officiating as Principal Medical Officer, Lahore District, *vice* Surgeon-Colonel G. Thomson, M.B., appointed Principal Medical Officer, Malakand Field Force.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

No. 981.—The tenure of the appointment of Captain R. T. Moore, Royal Artillery, Ordnance Officer, 4th class, and Proof Officer, Balasore, in the Ordnance Department in India, is extended for five years, with effect from the 1st April 1898.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 982.—Lieutenant Albany Robert Cecil Savile, The Queen's (Royal West Surrey) Regiment, officiating squadron officer, the 1st (The Duke of Connaught's Own) Regiment of Bombay Lancers, having completed eighteen months' probationary service, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 1st January 1896, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

No. 983.—Lieutenant Henry Keith Barr, East Surrey Regiment, officiating squadron officer, 1st Regiment, Central India Horse, having completed eighteen months' probationary service, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 20th January 1896, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

No. 984.—The undermentioned officers are admitted to the Indian Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India:

Lieutenant William Wilfrid Bickford, The Queen's (Royal West Surrey) Regiment,

officiating wing officer, 4th (Rifle) Regiment of Bombay Infantry,—22nd July 1896.

Lieutenant Archibald John Scriven Taylor, Royal Artillery, officiating wing officer, 20th Regiment of Bombay Infantry,—31st July 1897.

Lieutenant Seymour Arthur Delmé-Radcliffe, Hampshire Regiment, officiating wing officer, 7th Regiment of Bombay Infantry,—14th August 1897.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 985.—The following extracts are published for general information:

"London Gazette," dated the 6th August 1897, pages 4422 and 4423.

INDIA OFFICE;

31st July, 1897.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to make the following promotion in, and appointments to, the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire:

* * * * *

To be Companions.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Charles Frederick Gordon, 6th (Prince of Wales's) Regiment of Bengal Cavalry;

Major Francis Henry Rutherford Drummond, 2nd Regiment of Central India Horse; and

Rissaldar Major Baha-ud-din Khan, *Sardar Bahadur*, 1st Regiment of Central India Horse.

"London Gazette," dated the 10th August 1897, pages 4484 and 4485.

WAR OFFICE, PALL MALL,

10th August, 1897.

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Staff.—Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel E. B. Anderson, Indian Staff Corps, to be a Colonel on the Staff in India, and to have the substantive rank of Colonel in the Army, *vice* Colonel A. S. Grove, D.S.O., who has resigned that appointment. Dated 5th June 1897.

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INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Colonel John Biddulph is transferred to the unemployed supernumerary list. Dated 25th July 1897.

The undermentioned Captains are granted the temporary rank of Major, whilst serving as regimental seconds-in-command, Indian Army:

Francis G. R. Ostrehan. Dated 1st May 1897.

Edward F. H. McSwiney, D.S.O. Dated 5th June 1897.

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PROMOTIONS.

COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE.

No. 986.—The undermentioned colonels of the Indian Staff Corps are admitted to the colonel's allowance, with effect from the dates specified :

Edward Gordon Lillingston,—30th August 1897.

Duncan George Pitcher, unemployed supernumerary list,—3rd September 1897.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

No. 987.—Subject to Her Majesty's approval, the undermentioned officer is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, whilst serving as regimental commandant, Indian Army :

Major John Archibald Henry Pollock. Dated 15th June 1897.

No. 988.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :

To be Captain.

Lieutenant Charles Joseph Windham,—1st September 1897.

To be Lieutenants.

Second-Lieutenant Reginald Seymour Thomas,—11th July 1897.

Second-Lieutenant Harold Lake Compton Turner,—24th July 1897.

No. 989.—In G. G. O. No. 926 of 1897, granting the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel to Major M. C. Cooke-Collis, whilst serving as regimental commandant, Indian Army, for "6th July 1897" read "25th July 1897."

NATIVE ARMY.

No. 990.—*19th (Punjab) Regiment of Bengal Infantry*—

Jemadar Inayet Khan to be Subadar, Colour-Havildar Fazal Ahmad to be Jemadar, *vice* Saiyid Jalal, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 16th July 1897.

No. 991.—*32nd (Punjab) Regiment of Bengal Infantry (Pioneers)*—

Colour-Havildar Natha Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Atar Singh, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 7th July 1897.

No. 992.—*7th Regiment of Madras Infantry*—

Jemadar Abdur Rahman to be Subadar and Havildar Abdul Azim to be Jemadar, *vice* Safdar Husain, promoted, with effect from the 1st November 1896.

No. 993.—*23rd Regiment of Bombay Infantry (2nd Battalion, Rifle Regiment)*—

Havildar Shiu Nārāyan Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Mausam Khan, promoted, with effect from 19th June 1897.

PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE.

No. 994.—*1st (The Prince Albert Victor's Own) Regiment of Punjab Cavalry*—

Ressaidar and Woordie-Major Janmeja Singh to be Risaldar, Jemadar Inayat Ali Khan to be

Ressaidar, and Dafadar Mazhar Ali Khan to be Jemadar, *vice* Ghaus Muhammad Khan, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 7th February 1897.

No. 995.—*1st Regiment of Punjab Infantry*—

Jemadar Chanda Singh to be Subadar and Havildar Khazan Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Sundar Singh, deceased, with effect from the 11th June 1897.

No. 996.—*1st Battalion, 5th Gurkha (Rifle) Regiment*—

Havildar Amar Sing Gurang to be Jemadar, *vice* Budhe Sing Gurang, deceased, with effect from the 10th June 1897.

REWARDS.

ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA.

No. 997.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following promotions in, and admissions to, the order of British India :

To the 1st class with the title of "Sardar Bahadur."

Subadar-Major Kandhai Singh, *Bahadur*, 6th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent,—1st May 1897.

Subadar Brijlal Singh, *Bahadur*, 1st Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent (temporary).

To the 2nd class with the title of "Bahadur."

Subadar-Major Chiranju Lal Tiwari, 2nd Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, *vice* Subadar-Major Kandhai Singh, *Bahadur*, 6th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, promoted,—1st May 1897.

Subadar Ballia, No. 3 Field Battery, Hyderabad Contingent,—1st May 1897.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

MEDALS AND DECORATIONS.

No. 998.—His Excellency the Governor-General of India has been pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon the undermentioned member of the Indian Volunteer Force, who has been duly recommended for the same under the Royal Warrant of 24th May 1894 (clause 101, India Army Circulars of 1894) :

Great Indian Peninsula Railway Volunteer Rifles.

Captain (Honorary Major) Henry Chinnock Radford.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

No. 999.—*1st Punjab Volunteer Rifles*—

Lieutenant Clarence Kirkpatrick to be Captain, to complete the establishment.

Second-Lieutenant A. Evill resigns his commission.

John Francis Connolly, Gentleman, to be Lieutenant, *vice* Kirkpatrick, promoted.

Frederick William Knaggs Yeoman, Gentleman, to be Second-Lieutenant, to complete the establishment.

Horace Arthur Rose, Gentleman, to be Second Lieutenant, to complete the establishment.

No. 1000.—*2nd Punjab (Simla) Volunteer Rifles—*

Honorary Lieutenant George Cooper, Bengal Unattached List, to be Lieutenant, to complete the establishment.

Henry Charles Sanders, Gentleman, to be Lieutenant, to complete the establishment.

No. 1001.—*2nd (Cadet) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles—*

Lieutenant Edward Colin Dozey to be Captain, *vice* Cooper, promoted.

No. 1002.—*Agra Volunteer Rifles—*

Second-Lieutenant William Christopher John to be Lieutenant, with effect from the 27th August 1897, *vice* Atkinson, transferred to the supernumerary list.

No. 1003.—*North-Western Railway Volunteer Rifles—*

Lieutenant Alfred William Bright to be Captain, with effect from the 15th June 1897, *vice* Hawkes, resigned.

No. 1004.—*Baluchistan Volunteer Rifles—*
In G. G. O. No. 977 of 1897, for "Sulton" read "Sutton."

MARINE DEPARTMENT.**APPOINTMENTS.**

No. 58.—Commander T. H. Heming, Royal Navy, appointed by the Secretary of State for India to be Surveyor in Charge of the Marine Survey of India, arrived at Bombay on the 11th July 1897, and assumed charge of his appointment.

No. 59.—The following appointment to the Royal Indian Marine has been made by the Secretary of State for India, with effect from the 4th August 1897:

To be Sub-Lieutenant.

Charles Osborne Campbell.

P. J. MAITLAND, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.**NOTIFICATION.**

Simla, the 3rd September, 1897.

Under clause 53 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act of 1893, it is notified that reports of the deaths of the undermentioned commissioned officers on the dates specified were received in the Military Department between the 28th August and the 3rd September 1897:

Corps.	Rank and Names.	Date of decease.	Place of decease.	Testate or Intestate.	Remarks.
Indian Staff Corps (Queen's Own Corps of Guides).	Lieutenant H. L. S. Maclean	17th August 1897	Upper Swat .	...	...
2nd Battalion, The Lancashire Fusiliers.	Lieutenant R. T. Greaves .	17th August 1897	Upper Swat .	...	...
Indian Staff Corps (1st Sikh Infantry).	Lieutenant A. J. M. Higginson	10th August 1897	Datta Khel .	...	...
Indian Staff Corps (24th Bengal Infantry).	Major (Temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) J. Lamb.	23rd August 1897	Malakand .	...	...

P. J. MAITLAND, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.**NOTIFICATIONS.**

Simla, the 28th August, 1897.

No. 338.—The services of the undermentioned Royal Engineer officers, who are temporarily employed in the Public Works Department, North-Western Provinces and Oudh, on famine duty, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department:

Lieutenant W. A. Stokes, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, Military Works Department.

Lieutenant C. B. L. Greenstreet, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, Military Works Department.

No. 339.—The services of Major E. C. Spilsbury, R.E., Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, Rajputana and Central India, are temporarily replaced at the disposal of the Military Department for field service.

The 30th August, 1897.

No. 340.—Mr. J. Harford, Supervisor, 1st Grade, State Railways, is appointed to the Provincial Service of the Engineer Branch of the Public Works Department as an Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, on the State Railway list.

No. 341.—Mr. J. E. Hilton, Superintending Engineer, 1st Class, sub. *pro tem.*, Punjab, is appointed to officiate as Chief Engineer and Secretary to that Government in the Public Works Department Buildings and Roads Branch, with effect from the forenoon of the 21st August 1897, during the absence on privilege leave of Major-General G. F. L. Marshall, C.I.E., R.E., or until further orders.

No. 342.—Lieutenant-Colonel J. W. Thurburn, R.E., Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, Punjab, is appointed to officiate as a Superintending Engineer, with effect from the forenoon of the 16th August 1897, *vice* Mr. Hilton.

No. 343.—With reference to Public Works Department Notifications Nos. 317 and 319, dated 17th August 1897, Mr. D. Joseelyne, Superintending Engineer and Secretary to the Agents to the Governor General for Rajputana and Central India, is placed in charge of the current duties of the Office of the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, Rajputana and Central India, in addition to his own duties pending the arrival of Mr. F. P. Dunne.

The 31st August, 1897.

No. 344.—Lieutenant R. S. Muter, R.E., Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, State Railways, is, on return from privilege leave, posted to the establishment under the Director General of Railways for employment on the Hurdwar-Dehra Railway Survey.

No. 345.—Rai Bahadur Bhocbun Mohun Bose, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, State Railways, will retire from the service of Government, with effect from the 8th October 1897, under Article 719 of the Civil Service Regulations.

No. 346.—The following permanent promotions are made in the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, Traffic Department:

Names.	From	To	With effect from
W. H. Price	Class II, Grade 4, temporary rank.	Class II, Grade 4	1st July 1897.
T. G. Acres	Class III, Grade 1 (officiating in Class II).	Class II, Grade 4	4th July 1897.

The 1st September, 1897.

No. 347.—Mr. B. Parkes, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, Punjab, is appointed to officiate as a Superintending Engineer, with effect from the 2nd August 1897, during the absence of Mr. B. G. Wallis, on privilege leave, or until further orders.

The 2nd September, 1897.

No. 348.—The services of the undermentioned officers, who were temporarily deputed to the North-Western Provinces and Oudh for employment on famine duty, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department:

Captain J. P. Brewin, R.E.
 Lieutenant H. D. Pearson, R.E.
 Lieutenant W. H. Bunbury, R.E.
 Lieutenant E. A. Tandy, R.E.

No. 351.—Mr. F. Walley-Dod, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, and Deputy Consulting Engineer to the Government of India for State Railways, is granted furlough for one year and eight months, under Article 340 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st October 1897, or subsequent date with effect from which he may be permitted to avail himself of the leave.

The 3rd September, 1897.

No. 352.—*Corrigendum.*—In Public Works Department Notification No. 331, dated the 23rd August 1897, for "Barron, Mr. W. D." read "Barrow, Mr. W. D."

No. 354.—The services of Lieutenant B. W. Mainprise, R.E., Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, sub. *pro tem.*, Military Works Department, temporarily employed on famine duty in the Public Works Department, Punjab, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department.

TELEGRAPH.

The 2nd September, 1897.

No. 350.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to order the officiating promotion of Mr. A. J. L. Grimes, Assistant Superintendent, Class VI, 2nd Grade, Indian Telegraph Department, to Superintendent, Class V, 2nd Grade, with effect from the 7th August 1897, and until further orders.

The 2nd September, 1897.

No. 349.—The following is published for general information :

No. 227 I., dated Simla, the 31st August, 1897.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Public Works Department.

Review of the Revenue Report of Irrigation Works in Sind for 1895-96.

Read—

Letter No. 483-I, dated 23rd June 1897, from the Government of Bombay, forwarding the Revenue Report of the Irrigation Department in Sind for 1895-96, with a memorandum by the Commissioner in Sind and the Resolution by that Government reviewing the Report.

OBSERVATIONS.—The number of irrigation works for which Capital and Revenue Accounts are kept was 13 or one more than during the previous year owing to the appearance under Major Works of the Dad Canal. Of these works 6 are classed as Major Works and 7 as Minor Works.

The Capital outlay during and up to the end of 1895-96 is shown in the following statement :

	Number of works.	DURING THE YEAR 1895-96.								Total direct and indirect charges to end of 1895-96.		
		Works.	Establishment.	Tools and plant.	Total direct charges.	Deduct receipts on capital account.	Total.	Indirect charges.	Total direct and indirect charges.			
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8		9	10
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	
Major Works.												
Irrigation Works not charged against Revenue (Account head 49)	6	6,53,385	1,60,909	75,258	8,89,552	57	8,89,495	22,973	9,12,468	1,09,19,683		
Minor Works and Navigation.												
Works of which Capital and Revenue Accounts are kept (Account head 43)	7	55,879	12,933	400	69,212	166	69,046	1,811	70,857	36,47,372		
Total	13	7,09,264	1,73,842	75,658	9,58,764	223	9,58,541	24,784	9,83,325	1,45,67,055		

2. On the Janrao Canal there was a Capital expenditure of Rs. 10,64,373, which includes an adjustment on account of part of the expenditure incurred in the previous year on deepening the Nara Supply Channel. As a result of this adjustment there was a net credit of Rs. 2,12,023 to the Eastern Nara Works. The "Works" expenditure on the Eastern Nara debitable to Capital amounted to Rs. 52,498.

The Capital expenditure on the Unharwah was Rs. 37,640, incurred principally on improvements to the canal.

Work on the Dad Canal was begun during the year and a Capital expenditure of Rs. 18,737 was incurred.

Under Minor Works the Capital expenditure amounted to Rs. 70,857. Of this sum Rs. 51,658 were expended on the Fuleli Canal principally on the completion of the new head to the Mulchand Branch and on the construction of Masonry heads to watercourses. The balance Rs. 19,199 was expended on the construction of Karia heads on the Sukkur Canal.

3. The lengths of canals and river embankments were as follows :

					Miles.
Main Canals	...	...	...	...	2,212
Branch Canals	...	...	...	...	3,729
River embankments	...	...	...	...	712

These figures are practically the same as those of the previous year.

4. The financial results of the year are shown in the following statement in detail for works for which Capital and Revenue Accounts are kept and in the aggregate for works for which only Revenue Accounts are kept and for Agricultural works :

Canals.	Total direct and indirect capital outlay at end of 1895-96.	GROSS REVENUE COLLECTED, 1895-96.			WORKING EXPENSES.			Net actual Revenue	Deduct receipts less charges on account of old Irrigation.	Net revenue attributable to outlay of Government Capital.	Percentage* of return.
		Direct Revenue receipts.*	Share of Land Revenue and other indirect receipts.	Total.	Direct.	Indirect.	Total.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
<i>Major Works.</i>	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Irrigation Works not charged against revenue—											
Desert Canal ...	12,70,522	42,011	85,367	1,27,378	56,738	2,623	59,361	68,017	...	68,017	5'35
Unharwah ...	6,32,026	316	1,32,897	1,33,213	69,639	1,422	71,061	62,152	...	62,152	9'83
Begari Canal ...	16,74,026	35,860	2,86,342	3,22,202	75,931	1,556	77,487	2,44,712	24,854	2,10,858	13'13
Eastern Nara Works ...	60,87,517	25,038	3,77,016	4,02,054	1,12,401	4,770	1,17,171	2,63,874	3,100	2,60,774	4'28
Total Major Works, 1895-96...	96,64,003	1,03,125	8,41,622	9,44,747	3,32,712	10,340	3,43,052	6,38,755	27,954	6,10,801	6'32
Total for 1894-95 ...	98,37,541	61,451	10,05,834	10,67,285	4,20,466	8,815	4,29,281	6,48,020	27,954	6,20,072	6'11
<i>Minor Works and Navigation.</i>											
Works of which Capital and Revenue Accounts are kept—											
Sukkur Canal ...	14,10,439	2,286	1,82,791	1,85,077	65,483	1,581	67,064	1,18,013	71,444	46,569	3'30
Ghar Canal ...	4,40,977	11,385	3,27,558	3,38,943	1,71,173	4,529	1,76,002	1,62,941	1,16,671	46,270	10'49
Mehrabwah ...	72,040	187	23,622	23,809	8,286	296	8,582	15,227	19,693	—4,466	...
Alibhar Kacheri Canal ...	23,917	880	21,082	21,962	5,794	168	5,962	16,000	8,239	7,761	32'45
Marak Great Canal ...	2,01,553	3,135	1,26,452	1,29,587	37,460	1,201	38,660	90,918	36,032	54,886	27'23
Surfrazwah ...	1,24,690	2,161	41,335	43,496	13,725	462	14,187	20,300	10,985	18,324	14'70
Fuleli Canal ...	13,73,766	34,661	5,70,327	6,04,988	2,73,778	6,056	2,79,834	3,25,154	1,28,188	1,96,966	14'34
Total Minor Works and Navigation, 1895-96 ...	36,47,372	54,695	12,93,167	13,47,862	5,75,999	14,301	5,90,300	7,57,562	3,91,252	3,66,310	10'04
Total for 1894-95 ...	35,76,515	40,444	18,21,806	18,62,250	6,38,281	14,820	6,53,101	7,24,144	3,91,252	8,23,892	23'04
GRAND TOTAL 1895-96 ...	1,33,11,465	1,57,820	21,74,789	23,32,706	9,11,711	24,881	9,36,592	13,96,317	4,19,206	9,77,111	7'34
GRAND TOTAL 1894-95 ...	1,34,14,056	1,08,001	28,27,640	29,35,641	10,67,927	25,644	10,93,571	18,44,070	4,19,206	14,24,864	10'62
<i>Minor Works.</i>											
Works of which only Revenue Accounts are kept, 1895-96 ...	...	71,768	18,65,586	19,37,354	12,93,800	†	12,93,800	6,43,554	...	...	...
Works of which only Revenue Accounts are kept, 1894-95 ...	...	68,963	24,51,361	24,60,324	12,36,098	†	12,36,098	12,81,228	...	...	...
Agricultural works, 1895-96 ...	...	1,190	86,241	87,431	4,15,834	†	4,15,834	—3,28,401	...	...	...
Agricultural works, 1894-95 ...	...	1,047	1,38,326	1,39,373	3,87,142	†	3,87,142	—2,47,769	...	...	...

* Refunds deducted from direct revenue receipts.

† Separate figures are not available.

There has been a decrease in gross revenue on all these works, as compared with the previous year, which is attributed to the unfavourable nature of the inundation.

5. The interest charges during the year on the four Major Works in operation amounted to Rs. 3,77,417 and up to the end of the year to Rs. 75,03,289. The surplus revenue, after deducting the interest charges, was Rs. 2,33,384 during the year and amounted to Rs. 29,12,761 up to the end of the year. The interest charges on account of works not yet in operation (the Jamrao and Dad Canals) amounted to Rs. 27,732 during the year and Rs. 31,459 up to the end of the year.

6. The following statement compares the areas irrigated, the assessments, and the rate per acre irrigated with the corresponding figures for the previous year:

Canal.	AREA IRRIGATED.						ASSESSED WATER-RATES.				RATE PER ACRE IRRIGATED.			
	1895-96.			1894-95.			1895-96.		1894-95.		1895-96.		1894-95.	
	Government land.	Jaghir.	Total.	Government land.	Jaghir.	Total.	Government land.	Jaghir.	Government land.	Jaghir.	Government land.	Jaghir.	Government land.	Jaghir.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
I.—WORKS FOR WHICH CAPITAL AND REVENUE ACCOUNTS ARE KEPT.														
(a) Major Works.														
Desert Canal ...	57,485	37,447	95,332	67,447	35,947	103,404	87,295	36,026	1,31,661	35,043	1'52	0'95	1'05	1
Unharwah ...	62,875	85	62,960	57,316	...	57,316	1,24,523	...	1,11,146	...	1'98	...	1'04	...
Degari Canal ...	140,599	42,734	183,391	123,564	37,666	211,430	2,83,178	32,601	3,40,566	33,858	2'01	0'76	1'99	...
Eastern Nara Works ...	187,110	2,931	190,041	233,199	1,506	234,795	3,74,751	1,370	4,32,535	826	2'00	0'47	1'85	...
Total Major Works (a) ...	448,069	83,657	531,726	531,626	75,499	607,035	8,71,054	69,997	10,15,008	70,632	1'94	0'81	1'91	...
(b) Minor Works and Navigation.														
Sukkur Canal ...	69,060	3,265	72,325	127,918	1,031	128,949	1,82,036	1,701	3,10,407	525	2'61	0'52	2'42	...
Ghar Canal ...	138,153	6,510	144,732	252,413	9,654	261,477	3,36,017	2,521	7,29,370	3,374	2'43	0'38	2'89	...
Mehrabwah ...	12,884	189	13,073	14,258	169	14,427	23,294	2	25,705	1	1'80	...	1'80	...
Alibhar Kucheri Canal ...	10,002	2,653	12,655	9,712	1,611	11,323	20,717	853	20,658	533	2'07	0'32	2'13	...
Marak Great Canal ...	57,070	8,290	65,360	51,954	7,811	61,846	1,25,628	2,874	1,20,413	2,898	2'20	0'34	2'23	...
Surfrazwah ...	26,454	5,643	32,097	27,319	5,818	33,157	40,625	2,665	45,674	2,183	1'54	0'36	1'57	...
Fuleli Canal ...	265,732	66,318	332,050	266,510	65,030	331,540	5,67,720	30,108	5,64,604	25,247	2'13	0'45	2'12	...
Total of Minor Works and Navigation (b) ...	580,335	92,057	672,392	752,114	90,735	842,749	12,06,067	40,184	18,16,831	34,761	2'23	0'43	2'41	...
Total of (a) and (b) ...	1,028,404	175,614	1,204,018	1,283,740	166,234	1,449,974	21,66,121	1,10,181	28,32,739	1,05,393	2'11	0'62	2'20	...
II.—WORKS OF WHICH CAPITAL ACCOUNTS ARE NOT KEPT.														
Minor Works ...	782,791	29,755	862,546	1,062,200	76,371	1,138,571	18,54,097	...	24,49,250	...	2'37	...	2'31	...
Grand Total, excluding Agricultural Works ...	1,811,215	256,369	2,067,584	2,345,940	242,605	2,588,545	40,20,218	1,10,181	52,81,989	1,05,393	2'22	...	2'25	...

The areas irrigated under all classes of works was less than during the previous year. The decrease amounted on Major Works to 75,309 acres, on Minor Works for which Capital and Revenue Accounts are kept to 169,437 acres, and on Works for which Capital Accounts are not kept to 276,025 acres. Under jaghir lands the area exceeds that of the previous year, the reason for which is said by the Commissioner in Sind to be that the figures include the results of the previous rabi and not those of the rabi under review.

7. The inundation is said to have been the worst on record, its chief characteristic being the sudden rises and falls it was subject to.

The fair irrigating level of 13 feet at Bukkur was reached on the 17th June, and after several rises and falls the river began to fall rapidly on the 16th July and reached a gauge of 8' 2" on the 27th. This reading is the lowest on record for forty years and the low river took place at the period of greatest demand for irrigation. After again rising and falling the river rose to the 13 feet level on the 20th August, falling again on the 27th of that month and not again recovering. The maximum reading on the Bukkur gauge was 15' 3" on the 27th August.

The fair irrigating level of 17 feet on the Kotri gauge was reached on the 20th June, and the fluctuations corresponded closely with those of the Bukkur gauge.

The river at Kotri fell finally for the season on the 29th August. The maximum reading on the Kotri gauge was 18' 4" on the 27th August.

From the gauge diagram appended to the report it appears that during the ten years ending in 1895 the Bukkur mean gauge read higher than the fair irrigating level for an average of 47 days in the year, while the average for the Kotri gauge during the same period was 51 days.

It is stated that owing to the fluctuating character of the inundation the river embankments were at no time severely tried and in many instances no water touched them at all.

The average rainfall in Upper Sind was 4.71 and in Lower Sind 7.00 inches as compared with 3.25 and 16.23 inches during the previous year.

Remissions on Government lands amounted to Rs. 2,76,112 against Rs. 3,25,742 in the previous year and Rs. 2,04,708, the average of the previous five years. The remissions were principally in the Indus Right Bank Division and are attributed chiefly to the fluctuating character of the inundation which caused large deposits of silt at the mouths of the Desert, Sind and Ghar Canals at the most critical period of the season.

8. The following statement shows the total irrigated areas under kharif and rabi crops in Government, jaghir and foreign territory :

				Kharif acres.	Rabi acres.	Total acres.
				Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
Government land	...	...	...	1,521,326	319,082	1,840,408
Jaghir land	...	...	...	143,096	48,195	191,291
Foreign territory	...	...	...	61,252	3,826	65,078
Total				1,725,674	371,103	2,096,777

9. The nominal loss to the canals due to the partial alienation of the water revenue on Jaghir lands is shown to be Rs. 5,41,717, the average for the preceding five years being Rs. 4,83,785.

10. The balance of demands on Government lands remaining unrealised at the beginning of the year was Rs. 90,882 and was Rs. 64,068 at the end of the year.

11. The following statement shows the distribution of outlay on Revenue Accounts :

Canal.	1895-96.					1894-95.
	New works and repairs.	Establishment.	Tools and Plant.	Indirect charges.	Total.	Total.
	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
<i>Major Works.</i>						
Irrigation Works not charged against Revenue—						
Desert canal	40,964	15,596	178	2,623	59,361	1,30,465
Unharwah	51,461	18,048	130	1,422	71,061	62,321
Begari canal	46,152	29,458	324	1,556	77,490	75,153
Eastern Nara works	75,128	57,545	728	4,779	1,38,180	1,70,522
TOTAL MAJOR WORKS	2,13,705	1,20,647	1,360	10,380	3,46,092	4,38,461
Per acre irrigated ... ..	...	...	...	...	0.65	0.72
<i>Minor Works and Navigation.</i>						
Works of which Capital and Revenue Accounts are kept.						
Sukkur Canal	39,516	25,688	279	1,581	67,064	1,00,855
Ghar Canal	1,13,516	57,457	500	4,529	1,76,002	1,63,088
Mehrabwah	3,967	4,310	9	296	8,582	10,560
Alibhar Kacheri Canal	2,593	3,195	6	168	5,962	9,389
Marak Great Canal	18,702	18,715	43	1,209	38,669	46,092
Surfrazwah	7,129	6,579	17	462	14,187	15,075
Fulcli Canal	1,85,897	88,719	— 838	6,056	2,79,834	3,08,051
TOTAL MINOR WORKS	3,71,320	2,04,663	16	14,301	5,90,300	6,53,110
Per acre irrigated ... ..	...	...	...	...	0.88	0.45
<i>Minor Works.</i>						
Works of which only Revenue accounts are kept						
	9,66,466	3,24,059	3,275	...	12,93,800	12,36,098
Per acre irrigated ... ..	...	...	...	...	1.50	1.08
Agricultural works	3,32,716	81,096	2,022	...	4,15,834	3,87,142

12. The direct expenditure chargeable to Revenue on account of works was Rs. 18,84,207, of which Rs. 5,54,106 were for extensions and improvements and Rs. 13,30,101 for repairs. The total direct expenditure under those heads during the year was Rs. 1,59,857 greater than in 1894-95. The excess was due to the extension and improvement of the Sind and Dhamrao Canals, to strengthening and improvement of embankments and to the construction of a new mouth to the Sind Canal; the expenditure on Canal clearances was also heavier than usual.

13. The following statement gives some details of the establishment charges :

					Major and Minor Works for which Capital and Revenue Accounts are kept.	Minor Works for which only Revenue Accounts are kept.	Agricultural Works.	Total.	Percentage.
					Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Direction	...	...	...	...	30,869	2,10,171*	75,959*	4,49,260	61.50
Executive	...	...	...	...	1,32,261				
Collection	...	...	...	...	1,62,180	1,13,888	5,137	2,81,205	38.50
TOTAL					3,25,310	3,24,059	81,096	7,30,465	100.00

* Details not available.

The cost of revenue collection was Rs. 2,81,205 against Rs. 5,52,523 during the previous year. The decrease is partly due to the smaller amounts realized, but mainly to the reduction of collection charges from 10 to 6 per cent. at which latter rate the charges are now calculated.

Of the Major and Minor Works for which Capital and Revenue Accounts are kept the working expenses amounted to 42.8 per cent. of the gross revenue derived from these works after deducting from each the amount due to old irrigation.

14. The expenditure on repairs includes a sum of Rs. 2,21,226 as against Rs. 2,07,137 during the previous year on account of establishment charged to works. Of this sum Rs. 1,03,952 were for supervising establishment and Rs. 1,17,274 for establishment engaged in watching canal banks and river embankments.

15. The following is a statement of the irrigated areas of the principal crops :

					Acres.
<i>Kharif crops—</i>					
Rice	...	...	...	...	647,600
Jowar	...	...	...	...	413,504
Bajra	...	...	...	...	366,465
<i>Rabi crops—</i>					
Wheat	...	...	...	...	215,688

The area of irrigated wheat was little more than half that of the previous year.

The value of the produce derived from irrigated lands is estimated at 411½ lakhs of rupees.

16. The area irrigated by flow amounted to 872,560 acres and by lift 284,088 acres. The double cropped area was 65,407 acres.

17. The principal results of the operations of the year were as follows :

					Area irrigated.	Net revenue.	Percentage of return on capital outlay.
					Acres.	Rs.	
Major Works in operation	...	...	...	...	531,726	6,10,801	6.32
Minor Works for which Capital and Revenue Accounts are kept.	...	...	...	...	673,312	3,66,310	10.04
Works for which only Revenue Accounts are kept	...	...	...	...	862,546	6,43,554	...

18. The report was received by the Government of Bombay somewhat earlier than last year, but owing to delay in printing due to the effects of plague, it was not received by the Government of India until the 26th June 1897.

The fact that with such an unfavourable inundation the canals in Sind exhibit such results as are brought out in the report is quoted by the Local Government as testimony of the profitable nature of these works and of their careful management by the officers concerned, and the Government of India note with satisfaction the approval bestowed by the Government of Bombay on the work of administrative and executive officers named in the review by the Local Government.

ORDER.—Ordered, that a copy of this review, of the report and of the Resolution by the Government of Bombay, be forwarded to the Revenue and Agricultural Department for information.

Ordered also, that a copy of this review be forwarded to the Government of Bombay for information, and that copies of this review, of the report, and of the Resolution by the Government of Bombay be forwarded to the Governments noted in the margin, in the Public Works Department, for information.

The Governments of Madras, Bengal, the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, and the Punjab.

Ordered further, that this review be published in Part I of the *Gazette of India*, and that copies of this review be forwarded to Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India.

The 3rd September, 1897.

No. 353.—The following is published for general information :

No. 2352 G., dated Simla, the 1st September, 1897.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Public Works Department.

Abolition of the practical course in England for passed Engineer Students of Coopers Hill College, except for one or two Students selected for a special course for two years or less.

Read —

Government of India, Public Works Department Circular letter No. 1963 G., dated 5th August 1896.

Replies from Local Governments, Administrations and Officers thereto.

Read also—

Despatch to the Secretary of State, No. 18 P. W., dated 28th April 1897.

Despatch from the Secretary of State, No. 17 P. W., dated 15th July 1897.

In the circular letter quoted in the preamble, an expression of opinion was invited from Local Governments, Administrations and Officers selected by them, on the question of abandoning the practice of detaining passed students of Coopers Hill College after they had completed their College course for a year's practical training in England. This enquiry was made because it had been suggested that the knowledge of Engineering methods gained by the students during their practical course was incommensurate with the time spent thereon and with the attendant expense to the State, and that such experience could as readily be acquired by the young engineer on works in India without any preliminary practical course in England. The result of the reference was that the practical course in England was condemned by a large majority of those consulted. The Government of India, moreover, held that there was nothing to choose as a class between the officers who had originally come to India direct, and those who had remained in England, for a certain period of practical training. Under these circumstances the Government of India recommended to the Secretary of State the abolition of the practical course, except in the case of one or two selected students in each year who might have shown an aptitude for special subjects such as mechanical or sanitary engineering, mining or architecture, and who would be required to go through a two years' course in any one of these special branches. It was, however, explained that such selected students on coming out to India

would not necessarily be employed on the class of work in which they were specially trained, but that endeavours would be made to so employ them.

2. The Secretary of State has concurred in the views of the Government of India, and has decided to abolish the ordinary practical course in England with the following exception, *vis.*, that each year a limited number of students who have qualified for Indian appointments shall be detained in England for the purpose of practical training in certain subjects. The several specified subjects are mechanical, sanitary, and electrical engineering, mining and architecture; and only such Assistant Engineers as show a special aptitude for one or more of the subjects will be eligible for the privilege of receiving the special training. The number so detained will not ordinarily exceed two; and the period of the special course will usually be two years, unless in exceptional cases the Principal, Coopers Hill College, recommends a shorter period. The conditions under which the selected Engineers will follow their course will, as regards pay and service for leave and pension, be the same as those attaching to the present practical course.

3. The Secretary of State has further decided that the new system shall come into full operation in the autumn of 1898, but he has accorded to Assistant Engineers who passed out of Coopers Hill College in July 1897, the option of proceeding direct to India, or of remaining for the one year's practical course hitherto followed.

4. The relative seniority of the Engineers detained for practical training as compared with those of their year who have come direct to India will, apart from selection, depend on their position on the College list; subject to the condition that the prescribed professional test laid down in Public Works Department Code, Volume I, Chapter II, paragraphs 23—25 is passed within a reasonable time, that is, within two years from date of arrival in India. Promotion to the rank of Assistant Engineer, 2nd grade, will in no case be made until the test has been passed.

5. It is not intended that those Coopers Hill Engineers who come out to India after passing their College course shall undergo a course of practical training in this country; but, as their successful training is most likely to be secured by placing them immediately on arrival in responsible charge of work under experienced Engineers, they will in the first instance be posted to administrations where large engineering works are in progress, or are likely to commence for employment on such works. They will not necessarily be posted on first arrival to the particular Province or Branch of the Department, in which the choice, they were permitted to exercise on leaving the College, would entitle them to serve. But, if otherwise posted, they will, as a rule, on completion of their first year in the country, be transferred to the Province or list of their original choice.

6. Local Governments and Administrations will report on the 1st of July of each year the large engineering works in progress, or likely to be commenced, to enable the Government of India to arrange the posting of these officers on arrival in India.

ORDER.—Ordered, that this Resolution be communicated to the Local

The Governments of Madras and Bombay, Public Works Department, General and Railway Branches.

The Governments of Bengal, the North-Western Provinces and Oudh and the Punjab.

The Government of Burma, Public Works Department, General and Railway Branches.

The Chief Commissioners of the Central Provinces, Assam and Coorg.

The Resident at Hyderabad.

The Agents to the Governor General for Rajputana, Central India and Baluchistan.

The Accountant General, Public Works Department.

The Director-General of Railways.

The Consulting Engineers to the Government of India for Railways, Calcutta, Lucknow and Assam.

Governments, Administrations and Officers noted on the margin for information and guidance, and that it be published in Part I of the *Gazette of India*.

W. S. S. BISSET, Colonel, R.E.,

Secretary to the Government of India:



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SIMLA, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1897.

Separate paging is given to this Part in order that it may be filed as a separate compilation.

PART V.

Bills introduced in the Council of the Governor General of India for making Laws and Regulations, Reports of Select Committees presented to the Council, and Bills published under Rule 22.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 2nd September, 1897 :

NO. 12 OF 1897.

A Bill to further amend the Stage-Carriages Act, 1861.

WHEREAS it is expedient to further amend XVI of 1861. the Stage-Carriages Act, 1861; It is hereby enacted as follows :

1. This Act may be called the Stage-Carriages Act (1861) Amendment Act, 1897.
Short title.

2. The proviso to section 1 of the Stage-Carriages Act, 1861, is XVI of 1861. Repeal of proviso to section 1, Act XVI, 1861.
1861.

3. After section 20 of the said Act the following section shall be added, Addition of new section after section 20, namely :
Act XVI, 1861.

" 20 A. (1) The Local Government may, by Power to make rules. notification in the local official gazette, make rules to carry out the purposes and objects of this Act in the territories under its administration or any part of the said territories.

(2) In particular and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power, such rules may—

(a) prescribe forms for licenses under this Act, and the conditions on which they may be granted, and the cases in which they may be revoked;

(b) provide for the inspection of stage-carriages; and

(c) regulate the number and length of the stages for which horses may be driven in stage-carriages and the manner in which they shall be harnessed and yoked.

(3) In making any rule under this section the Local Government may direct that a breach thereof shall be punishable with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees."

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THE application of the Stage-Carriages Act, 1861 (XVI of 1861), is, by the proviso to section 1, limited to carriages ordinarily used for journeys of more than twenty miles. This restriction has been found to be inconvenient, as stage-carriages which ought to be subject to regulation, not infrequently ply for shorter distances, and it is, therefore, proposed, by clause 2 of the Bill, to repeal the proviso above referred to.

2. The Act has also been found defective in practice owing to the absence of any rule-making power by means of which to supplement its provisions. Experience has demonstrated the necessity for auxiliary rules to regulate such matters of detail as the length of the stages for which a horse may be driven in a licensed carriage, and, generally, to guide the executive in carrying the law into effect. Clause 3 of the Bill is designed to confer the necessary power in this respect on the Local Government.

The 3rd August, 1897.

J. WOODBURN.

J. M. MACPHERSON,

Secretary to the Government of India.



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PART VI.

Proceedings of the Council of the Governor General of India, assembled for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA, ASSEMBLED
FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING LAWS AND REGULATIONS UNDER THE
PROVISIONS OF THE INDIAN COUNCILS ACTS, 1861 AND 1892
(24 & 25 VICT., CAP. 67, AND 55 & 56 VICT., CAP. 14).

The Council met at the Viceregal Lodge, Simla, on Thursday, the 2nd
September, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Earl of Elgin, Viceroy and Governor General of India,
P.C., G.M.S.I., G.M.I.E., LL.D., *presiding*.

His Excellency Sir G. S. White, G.C.I.E., G.C.B., V.C., Commander-in-Chief
in India.

The Hon'ble Sir J. Westland, K.C.S.I.

The Hon'ble Sir J. Woodburn, K.C.S.I.

The Hon'ble M. D. Chalmers.

The Hon'ble Major-General Sir E. H. H. Collen, K.C.I.E., C.B.

The Hon'ble A. C. Trevor, C.S.I.

The Hon'ble Nawab Sir Amir-ud-Din Ahmad Khan, K.C.I.E., Bahadur,
Fakharuddoulah, Chief of Loharu.

The Hon'ble Sir H. T. Prinsep, K.T.

The Hon'ble H. E. M. James.

STAGE-CARRIAGES ACT (1861) AMENDMENT B.....

The Hon'ble SIR JOHN WOODBURN moved for leave to introduce a Bill to
further amend the Stage-Carriages Act, 1861. He said:—"The Act is an old one
of 1861, and it has been worked apparently easily and with satisfaction to the
community at large for a long time. It has, however, now been brought to notice

by the Government of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh that in some respects the Act is defective. They have discovered, for example, that the Act does not apply to the case of Stage-carriages which are licensed for a journey shorter than twenty miles; and they have discovered that it does not give validity to the rules which have been passed by the Local Government for regulating the distance to which stage horses may ply, and for enforcing sundry conditions which have from time to time been entered in the licenses under which Stage-carriages may ply. It was a surprise to myself to learn that the Act of 1861 does not cover these particular matters; but as it has been brought to notice it has been decided that not only in the North-Western Provinces but in other provinces also the Act should be supplemented by provisions which will give authority and validity to regulations such as those I have described. It is with that object that the few amendments which are detailed in the Bill have been prepared."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble SIR JOHN WOODBURN introduced the Bill.

The Hon'ble SIR JOHN WOODBURN moved that the Bill and Statement of Objects and Reasons be published in the Gazette of India in English and in the local official gazettes in English and in such other languages as the Local Governments think fit.

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Council adjourned to Thursday, the 23rd September, 1897.

J. M. MACPHERSON,

Secretary to the Government of India,

Legislative Department.

SIMLA ;
The 3rd September, 1897. }

NOTE.—The Meeting of Council which was fixed for the 12th August, 1897, was subsequently postponed to the 2nd September, 1897.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Weather Review of India for the Week ending at 8 a.m. on
Saturday, August 28th, 1897.

During the week under review there has been no change in the generally favourable monsoon conditions which have prevailed over India. During the first two days of the week the fall was confined mainly to Northern India, and the Peninsula had only scattered showers with considerable areas in which no rain was falling. On the following day the rainfall was light and more or less scattered throughout the whole country, but on the 25th a depression was shown off the Madras Coast, so that while the fall remained light in the north it became more general and on the whole heavier over the Peninsula. On the next day the 26th rain increased in the north, and on that and the two following days there occurred very general rain, except in the north-west. The mean temperature of the week, except in the case of the Punjab and Bombay, has approximated closely to the normal. In the former province the weather was considerably cooler and in the latter warmer than the normal.

Daily Summary.—*Sunday, August 22nd.*—The barometer had fallen everywhere, the change over a large part of the country having been brisk. Pressure was highest in Tenasserim and lowest over the Western desert. Over the Bay the barometer read higher than usual. The winds were between south-west and west over nearly the whole country, but in parts of Bengal and of Burma the direction was nearly due south. The south-westerly current from the head of the Arabian Sea continued to blow strongly into North-West India. The mean temperature was lower than usual over Northern India and the greater part of Burma and higher than usual over the Peninsula and the Central Provinces. This distribution of temperature agreed with the rainfall which was light or altogether absent over the Peninsula and was heavy and general in Northern India.

Monday, August 23rd.—Pressure was recovering again and was increasing over nearly the whole country, but particularly in the north-west. The barometer remained highest in Tenasserim and lowest over the Western desert, but the pressure difference owing to the rise in the north-west was slighter. The winds were generally unchanged, but along the foot of the Himalayas an easterly wind was appearing. The distribution of temperature relatively to the normal was the same as on the preceding day. The rainfall remained light or altogether absent over North Bombay and the Peninsula, while, on the country, the fall had been very heavy over the North-West Himalayas.

Tuesday, August 24th.—The barometer had continued to rise in the north-west, but had fallen elsewhere. A band of relatively low pressure overlay Sind, Rajputana, the Southern Punjab, the Gangetic Plain and Bengal, while pressure was relatively high in the North Punjab and was highest in Malabar. South-easterly winds prevailed over Burma and East and North Bengal, calms and variable winds over the North Gangetic Plain and the Punjab and general westerly winds elsewhere. The flow of air from the north of the Arabian Sea into North-West India had ceased. The mean temperature was excessive over the west and centre of the Peninsula and over Bengal, but was lower than usual elsewhere. Showery weather had prevailed generally but with large areas in which no rain had fallen.

Wednesday, August 25th.—The barometer had been steady or risen slightly over parts of North-East India, but had fallen elsewhere. The change had been rapid over parts of Madras, and a shallow depression had appeared over the Madras Coast districts. The winds varied a good deal in direction on the Ganjam and west coasts, they were south-easterly over Burma and Bengal and generally westerly elsewhere, but in the Indus Valley there was a local south-east wind. The distribution of temperature with respect to the normal was the same

as on the 24th. There had been no rain over the Punjab, North Bombay, Rajputana, some central districts and Mysore, but elsewhere general showers had been received. In Madras the rainfall, though not heavy, had been general.

Thursday, August 26th.—The barometer had fallen over North Bombay, the Central Provinces and the Peninsula, but had risen elsewhere. The depression over the Madras Coast districts was better marked than on the previous day, and the winds, except over North-West India, were largely controlled by this depression. The mean temperature had fallen briskly in Madras and was lower than usual there as well as over North-West India and the Gangetic Plain. Elsewhere the heat was excessive. There was an abnormal deficiency of $6^{\circ}9$ at Masulipatam and an abnormal excess of $6^{\circ}3$ at Sholapur. There had been no rain over the greater part of the Bombay Presidency, Rajputana and the Punjab, but elsewhere showers had been general, and in parts of Madras the falls had been heavy.

Friday, August 27th.—Pressure had increased almost everywhere, but a slight local fall was shown over Gujarat. The depression noticed over the Madras Coast districts on the 26th had moved into the Central Provinces and nearly filled up, but pressure remained low off the Madras Coast. Pressure was highest in Tenasserim and was low over Sind, Gujarat, Berar and the Central Provinces. The winds blew from about the normal monsoon directions, blowing from west and north-west in the south and from east and south-east in the north. The heat was excessive over Rajputana, Central India and the Bombay Presidency, but elsewhere the mean temperature was lower than usual. The rainfall distribution was the same as on the preceding day, rain having fallen, except over the Punjab, Rajputana and the Bombay Presidency.

Saturday, August 28th.—The barometer was still rising over the Peninsula and the central parts of the country, but over Northern India a fall had set in. Pressure was high over Malabar, Ceylon and Tenasserim and was low over the Western desert. Pressure was higher than usual over Northern and lower than usual over Southern India, so that the pressure differences were less than the average. The winds continued to blow from about the normal monsoon directions. The mean temperature was low in the Punjab and Madras, but was slightly above the average elsewhere. The weather had been showery over the greater part of the country, and in Madras and the Deccan there had been fair to heavy rain.

Temperature.—As is always the case during the monsoon the variations of the mean temperature from the normal have agreed closely with the variations in the amount of rainfall. In Upper India there was heavy rain early in the week, and in the Punjab the temperature never wholly recovered from the abnormal depression then established. In Madras, on the contrary, the first part of the week was fine and the heat excessive, the second part showery and the heat less than usual.

The following table gives the temperature data for the week :

PROVINCE.	AUGUST 1897.							Mean variation of week.
	22nd	23rd	24th	25th	26th	27th	28th	
	o	o	o	o	o	o	o	
Burma	+0.2	+0.9	+0.3	+0.3	+1.4	+0.2	+0.6	+0.6
Bengal and Assam	-2.0	-1.6	+1.0	+1.9	+1.3	+0.4	+1.0	+0.3
North-Western Provinces and Oudh	-3.3	-2.7	-1.2	+0.3	-0.4	-1.2	+1.9	-0.9
Punjab	-6.1	-7.2	-5.0	-2.8	-0.7	-0.1	-0.8	-3.2
Bombay	+2.6	+2.2	+2.0	+2.2	+2.2	+1.7	+1.4	+2.0
Central Provinces and Berar	+1.1	+0.4	+0.4	+1.0	+1.7	+0.3	+1.1	+0.9
Central India and Gujarat	-0.5	+0.3	+0.5	+0.5	+0.9	+2.7	+1.7	+0.9
Sind and Rajputana	-2.1	o	-0.7	+0.2	+1.5	+2.2	+3.0	+0.6
Madras	+1.6	+2.0	+0.7	+0.3	-1.3	-1.7	-2.1	-0.1
Mean for whole of India	-0.9	-0.6	-0.2	+0.4	+0.7	+0.5	+0.9	+0.1

The above shows that the mean temperature of the whole country differed very little from the normal on each day of the week, and most of the provincial variations for the week were also small. In the Punjab, however, there was an abnormal deficiency for the week of $3^{\circ}2$ and in Bombay an abnormal excess of 2° .

The following are the highest maximum temperatures recorded on each day :

August 22nd	.	.	.	.	.	100°0	at Jacobabad.
" 23rd	.	.	.	.	.	102°5	" "
" 24th	.	.	.	.	.	98°1	" Hyderabad
" 25th	.	.	.	.	.	100°5	" Jacobabad.
" 26th	.	.	.	.	.	103°0	" "
" 27th	.	.	.	.	.	103°9	" "
" 28th						104°4	" "

The highest temperatures were hence reported daily from Sind, and it was practically only in that area that the temperature reached 100° during the week.

Rain.—The daily distribution of rain has been described in the preceding sections. The rainfall table at the close shows the total rainfall for the week. In two divisions, *vis.*, Sind and Baluchistan, there has been no rainfall during the week, but every other division has received effective rain. The average actual fall in the different divisions ranges from 8.30 inches in Coorg, 7.66 inches in Malabar, 5.26 inches in Arakan, 5.20 inches in Lower Burma and 5.02 inches in North Oudh, to 0.69 inch in the Bombay Deccan, 0.62 inch in the South Punjab and 0.45 inch in Western Rajputana. The distribution of the actual average rainfall differs considerably from the normal distribution, there having been a marked excess of rain over the east and south of the Peninsula and Upper India, a marked deficiency over Bengal and Assam and a slight deficiency over the central parts of the country. The third column of the table shows that in the case of twenty-eight divisions the rainfall of the week was heavier than usual and in the case of twenty-nine it was lighter than usual. Thus about half the country has received more and about half less than the normal, but, on the whole, the cases of excess were more pronounced and larger than the cases of deficiency, thus there was an abnormal excess of 4.38 inches in Malabar and of over 2 inches in North Oudh, the North-West Provinces (Hills), Madras (South-Central), Coorg, Madras (Central) and the East Coast (Central), while there was an abnormal deficiency of 4.94 inches in Tenasserim and of over 2 inches in the Konkan only. Over the Bombay Deccan and neighbouring districts of the Nizam's dominions the rainfall of the week has been light generally, though both in Bijapur and Sholapur the fall was better than in the preceding week, while in the distressed districts of Madras, on the contrary, the rainfall has been everywhere excessive and generally fairly steady.

The three concluding columns of the table show the state of rainfall for the three months—June, July and August. They show that the total rainfall for that period has been excessive, *i.e.*, has been 20 per cent. or more above the normal average in fifteen of the rainfall divisions, *vis.*, South Bihar, the North-West Provinces (East), South Oudh, the North-West Provinces (West), the North-West Provinces (West Submontane), the North-West Provinces (Hills), the North Punjab, the West Punjab, Malabar, Madras (South-Central), Coorg, Berar, Sind, West Rajputana and Madras (South), while it has been in defect, *i.e.*, has been 20 per cent. or more below the normal in nine of the rainfall divisions, *vis.*, Upper Burma, Assam (Surma and Hills), North-Bengal, the Bengal Hills, the South Punjab, Gujarat, the Baluchistan Hills and Hyderabad (South). In all the remaining divisions the rainfall for the whole period of the monsoon has been approximately normal. These returns show roughly that over the Gangetic Plain and the coast districts of the Peninsula the rainfall of the

present monsoon has up to date been excessive, but that in the Central Punjab, North-East India and Burma and the central parts of India and the central parts of the Peninsula the rainfall has been normal to deficient.

The following are the principal large totals recorded during the week under review :

Burma	.	.	.	Akyab	.	.	.	.	.	7.48 inches.
Assam	.	.	.	Cherra Poonjee	.	.	.	.	.	7.25 "
Bengal	.	.	.	Brahmanbaria (Tipperah)	.	.	.	.	.	7.59 "
				Kurseong (Darjeeling)	.	.	.	.	.	6.61 "
Bihar	.	.	.	Hilsa (Patna)	.	.	.	.	.	8.35 "
Oudh	.	.	.	Kaisarganj (Bahraich)	.	.	.	.	.	15.41 "
North-West Provinces				Mahal (Azamgarh)	.	.	.	.	.	11.26 "
				Tanakpur (Almora)	.	.	.	.	.	11.84 "
Punjab	.	.	.	Dasuya (Hoshiarpur)	.	.	.	.	.	5.68 "
				Kangra	.	.	.	.	.	5.18 "
West Coast	.	.	.	Mangalore	.	.	.	.	.	18.41 "
				Devala (Nilgiris)	.	.	.	.	.	14.41 "
Central districts	.	.	.	Mul (Chanda)	.	.	.	.	.	15.52 "
Madras	.	.	.	Chodovaram (Vizagapatam)	.	.	.	.	.	10.51 "
				Narsarowpet (Kistna)	.	.	.	.	.	7.69 "
				Illuppur (Trichinopoly)	.	.	.	.	.	7.12 "

PROVINCE.	DIVISION.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING August 28th, 1897.			RAINFALL DATA FROM MAY 30th TO August 28th, 1897.		
		Average actual rainfall of division.	Average normal rainfall of division.	Excess or defect in Inches.	Average actual rainfall of season to date.	Average normal rainfall, May 30th to August 28th.	Excess or de- fect of (seasonal) rainfall expressed as a percentage.
		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Per cent.
BURMA	1. Tenasserim	3'02	7'96	— 4'94	118'77	124'39	— 5
	2. Lower Burma Deltaic	5'20	4'43	+ 0'77	66'66	62'36	+ 7
	3. Central do.	2'17	2'86	— 0'69	33'10	34'99	— 5
	4. Upper do.	2'73	2'69	+ 0'04	19'18	30'01	— 36
	5. Arakan	5'26	5'73	— 0'47	137'99	135'38	+ 2
BENGAL AND ASSAM	6. Eastern Bengal	2'86	3'70	— 0'84	54'14	56'03	— 3
	7. Assam Surma	4'97	5'04	— 0'07	51'62	70'90	— 27
	8. Do. Hills	3'13	5'12	— 1'99	45'69	89'49	— 49
	9. Do. Brahmaputra	2'74	3'23	— 0'49	37'33	44'28	— 16
	10. Deltaic Bengal	2'09	2'96	— 0'87	37'24	34'59	+ 8
	11. Central do.	1'79	2'60	— 0'81	27'72	33'25	— 17
	12. North do.	3'00	3'34	— 0'34	42'53	57'91	— 27
	13. Bengal Hills	4'22	5'80	— 1'58	69'07	88'92	— 22
	14. Orissa	1'42	2'62	— 1'20	31'75	32'15	— 1
	15. Chota Nagpur	1'30	3'13	— 1'83	30'84	33'67	— 8
	16. South Bihar	2'14	2'61	— 0'47	35'89	27'74	+ 29
	17. North do.	2'54	2'21	+ 0'33	28'66	30'94	— 7
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES AND ODDH.	18. N.-W. P. East	4'31	2'68	+ 1'63	35'61	25'33	+ 41
	19. South Oudh	4'13	2'37	+ 1'76	31'56	23'70	+ 33
	20. North do.	5'02	2'34	+ 2'68	29'74	25'58	+ 16
	21. N.-W. P. Central	2'24	2'50	— 0'26	26'12	23'16	+ 13
	22. Do. West	1'74	1'70	+ 0'04	25'46	17'50	+ 46
	23. Do. East Submontane	3'38	2'21	+ 1'17	30'53	26'70	+ 14
	24. Do. West do.	3'61	2'36	+ 1'25	35'90	29'06	+ 24
	25. Do. Hills	4'99	2'58	+ 2'41	41'10	30'53	+ 35
PUNJAB	26. South-East Punjab	1'87	1'25	+ 0'62	17'80	15'04	+ 18
	27. South do.	0'62	1'00	— 0'38	6'99	10'32	— 32
	28. Central do.	1'37	1'11	+ 0'26	9'88	10'99	— 10
	29. Punjab Submontane	1'36	1'50	— 0'14	14'87	18'15	— 18
	30. Do. Hills	4'97	4'13	+ 0'84	38'99	45'80	— 15
	31. North Punjab	1'52	1'02	+ 0'50	13'84	10'48	+ 23
	32. West do.	0'96	0'44	+ 0'52	7'69	5'03	+ 53
BOMBAY AND MALABAR COAST DISTRICTS (MADRAS).	33. Malabar	7'66	3'28	+ 4'38	104'54	83'00	+ 26
	34. Madras South-Central	3'13	1'04	+ 2'09	20'03	15'89	+ 26
	35. Coorg	8'30	5'88	+ 2'42	111'57	91'12	+ 22
	36. Mysore	2'25	0'83	+ 1'42	18'22	17'16	+ 6
	37. Konkan	2'07	4'51	— 2'44	102'41	91'63	+ 12
	38. Bombay Deccan	0'69	0'85	— 0'16	19'10	17'30	+ 11
	39. Hyderabad North . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...
	40. Khandesh	1'29	1'15	+ 0'14	11'97	14'00	— 15
CENTRAL PROVINCES AND BERAR.	41. Berar	1'81	1'53	+ 0'28	20'05	14'15	+ 42
	42. Central Provinces West	2'11	2'16	— 0'05	27'14	27'41	— 1
	43. Do. do. Central	1'99	2'85	— 0'86	34'11	37'63	— 9
	44. Do. do. East	2'77	2'96	— 0'19	38'16	35'08	+ 9
BOMBAY (NORTH)	45. Gujarat	1'95	2'04	— 0'09	25'10	33'29	— 25
	46. Kathiawar	0'87	0'57	+ 0'30	14'75	14'75	0
	47. Sind	0	0'21	— 0'21	6'93	4'25	+ 63
	48. Baluchistan Hills	0	0'03	— 0'03	0'36	1'98	— 82
RAJPUTANA AND CENTRAL INDIA.	49. Central India East	1'60	2'08	— 0'48	27'36	27'40	— 0
	50. Rajputana East, Central India West.	0'86	2'15	— 1'29	18'25	20'83	— 12
	51. West Rajputana	0'45	0'93	— 0'48	13'17	8'91	+ 48
MADRAS	52. East Coast North	3'17	1'29	+ 1'88	18'95	16'34	+ 15
	52-A. Do. do.	2'50	2'15	+ 0'35	31'25	37'92	— 17
	53. Hyderabad South	1'37	1'58	— 0'21	11'99	15'02	— 20
	54. Madras Central	2'90	0'65	+ 2'25	9'85	9'94	— 1
	55. East Coast Central	3'19	0'87	+ 2'32	11'21	10'15	+ 10
	56. Do. South	2'77	1'03	+ 1'74	10'18	9'52	+ 7
	57. Madras South	1'14	0'47	+ 0'67	4'94	3'90	+ 27

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Weekly Report on the state of the Season and Prospects of the Crops.

Madras.—*For week ending 28th August.*—Rainfall normal in Ganjam and Vizagapatam Agency; elsewhere generally in considerable excess, but is somewhat badly distributed in Vizagapatam littoral. Water-supply for drinking purposes is generally sufficient; for irrigation it is much improved, but is still deficient in parts of rain-fed areas and is adequate under the Godavari, Kistna, Kurnool, Cuddapah, Trichinopoly, Tanjore, Periyar, and Tinnevely irrigation systems. Agricultural operations and harvests are extending; outturn generally fair to middling. Pasture is improving. Fodder is insufficient in the Deccan; elsewhere it is generally available, but is scarce and dear. Condition of cattle in the Deccan is bad in many places, deaths being reported from Kurnool and Anantapur; elsewhere generally normal. Prices are slightly easier. Prospects are generally considerably improved, but the condition of the people in Bhadrachalam gives cause for anxiety. The numbers on relief were:—relief workers—125,648 men, 211,028 women, 67,175 children; total 403,851 in the Deccan and Circars. Test-workers—640, unspecified in Kistna. Intermediate workers—310 men, 170 women; total 480 in Vizagapatam. Weavers—29,198 men, 22,582 women, 2,264 children; total 54,044 relieved at their own trade in the Deccan and Circars. Total relief workers 459,015. Kitchen inmates in the Deccan and Circars: (dependants)—346 men, 560 women, 17,340 children; total 18,246. Others—2,184 men, 4,454 women, 15,621 children; total 22,259. Figures incomplete for Cuddapah. Otherwise gratuitously relieved—14,471 men, 39,452 women, 39,553 children with 174 unspecified; total 93,650. Figures incomplete for Cuddapah. Total on gratuitous relief 134,155. Grand total on Government relief 593,170. Prices by which wages are regulated are:—Ganjam 9, Kurnool $9\frac{1}{2}$, Bellary 10, Godavari $11\frac{1}{2}$, Anantapur and Cuddapah 12, and Vizagapatam 13 seers per rupee. Loans disbursed in affected districts during the week Rs. 62,598.

Bombay.—*For week ending 30th August.*—Rain good in Gujrat, Konkan, and parts of the Deccan, Karachi, and Sind; more wanted in Ahmednagar, Sholapur, Bijapur, and parts of Nasik, Satara, and Belgaum. Sowing operations completed, except in Khandesh and Baroda. Rice transplanting continues in Kanara and Baroda. Standing crops are thriving, except in parts of Ahmednagar. Locusts have caused damage in two talukas of Hyderabad; slight in one of Karachi and two of Upper Sind frontier. Fodder is sufficient, except in parts of the Deccan, Bijapur, and Belgaum. Condition of agricultural stock is deteriorating in Ahmednagar, Sholapur, Bijapur, and parts of Satara and Belgaum; improving in Khandesh; healthy elsewhere, except in one taluka of Thana and Kanara. Prices continue high in Karachi, Surat, Nasik, Thana, and Sholapur; stationary in Kolaba and Bijapur. Prices in affected districts are:—Belgaum $8\frac{1}{2}$, Bijapur $7\frac{1}{2}$, Sholapur $6\frac{3}{4}$, Ahmednagar $6\frac{3}{4}$, Poona $6\frac{7}{8}$, Nasik $6\frac{7}{8}$, Satara $7\frac{1}{3}$, Khandesh $6\frac{1}{2}$, Dharwar $9\frac{1}{10}$ seers per rupee. The average number of relief workers, including dependants, was:—Bijapur 137,234, Sholapur 105,973, Ahmednagar 64,664, Poona 16,626, Nasik 5,086, Satara 7,487, Khandesh 2,868, Belgaum 19,567, Dharwar 3,441. On test works:—Ratnagiri 155; total 363,101, of whom 296,240 are relief workers and 66,861 dependants. Of relief workers—97,656 are men, 124,856 women, and 73,728 children. Of dependants—487 are men, 6,893 women, and 59,481 children. On gratuitous relief—Bijapur 15,564, including 972 in poor-houses; Sholapur 13,432, including 208 in poor-houses; Ahmednagar 20,349, including 1,321 in poor-houses; Poona 14,849; Nasik 1,409, including 284 in poor-houses; Satara 4,519, including 283 in poor-houses; Khandesh 525; Belgaum 921; Dharwar 1,066; total 72,634, of whom 30,521 are men, 22,938 women, and 19,175 children. Total number on relief 435,735.

Bengal.—*For week ending 30th August.*—There was rain in all districts during the week. The transplantation of winter rice is everywhere being rapidly completed, but more rain is still required for this purpose in Dinajpore, Purnea, Champaran, the Gopalgunge sub-division of Saran, and the Sitamarhi sub-division of Muzaffarpur. The prospects of the early autumn crops are generally favourable, except that in places in the Patna division and in Monghyr some damage has been caused by heavy rain and floods; in Patna the indian-corn on the *diara* lands is said to have been totally destroyed. The harvesting of early rice, jute, and the earlier autumn crops is going on. Prices are reported to be falling in some districts. New early rice and indian-corn are coming into the market. In the distressed districts the prices of the staple food-grain on which the famine wage is based are—Bankura, common rice $7\frac{1}{2}$ to $9\frac{3}{4}$ seers; Nadia, common rice 7 to 8 seers old and 9 to $11\frac{1}{8}$ seers new; Murshidabad, common rice 8 seers; Saran, barley 13 seers; Champaran, barley $12\frac{5}{8}$ seers; Muzaffarpur, indian-corn 15 seers and *rahar* (*Cajanus indicus*) $10\frac{1}{2}$ seers; Darbhanga, rice 8 seers and indian-corn 13 seers; Puri, common rice 9 to 10 seers; Hazaribagh, rice 6 to 8 seers; Lohardaga, rice $7\frac{1}{2}$ seers; Manbhum, common rice 8 seers per rupee. The numbers on Government relief on Saturday, the 28th August, were—Bankura 13,529, Nadia 7,670, Murshidabad 406, Jessore 38, Khulna 6,086, Dinajpur 54, Pabna 53, Patna 1,588, Shahabad 17,518, Saran 51,811, Champaran 40,962, Muzaffarpur 67,520, Darbhanga 91,324, Puri 3,249, Hazaribagh 1,915, Lohardaga 4,215, Palamau 3,433, Manbhum 24,405; total 335,776 against 391,679 in the preceding week. The numbers relieved from the Indian Famine Charitable Relief Fund were—Bankura 2,042, Nadia 1,039, Khulna 1,143, Rajshahi 8,091, Pabna 846, Shahabad 3,481, Saran 5,142, Champaran 13,246, Muzaffarpur 9,306, Darbhanga 24,150, Bhagalpur 9,369, Sonthal Parganas 3,857, Cuttack 4,459, Hazaribagh 186, Lohardaga 1,569; total 87,926 against 80,263 in the preceding week. The above totals are distributed as follows:—relief workers—men 41,959, women 28,024, children 11,497; total 81,480. Dependants—men 62, women *nil*, children 1,327; total 1,389. In poor-houses and kitchens—men 5,033, women 8,949, children 45,269; total 59,251. Otherwise relieved—men 37,679, women 119,094, children 36,376; total 193,149. Test-workers—men 350, women 93, children 64; total 507. Indian Famine Charitable Relief Fund (the sex of 7,706 recipients of this class of relief has not been reported)—men 12,685, women 47,296, children 20,239; total 80,220. Private relief—relief works—Darbhanga Raj—men 875, women 443, children 170; total 1,488. Hatwa—men 329, women 349, children 202; total 880. Jamtara—men 63, women 92, children *nil*; total 155. Deoghur—men 23, women 13, children *nil*; total 36. Gratuitous relief—Darbhanga Raj—men 2,422, women 5,158, children 5,088; total 12,668. Darbhanga Raj—Muzaffarpur—men 30, women 208, children 158; total 396. Muzaffarpur—men 80, women 170, children 42; total 292; Hatwa—men 169, women 168, children 588; total 525. Cuttack—men 157, women 604, children 187; total 948. Total on private relief 17,788 against 19,971 in the preceding week.

North-Western Provinces and Oudh.—*For week ending 1st September.*—Rain fell in all districts; Almora, Partabgarh, and Bahraich recorded over 11 inches; Dehra Dun, and Shahjahanpur over 9 inches; and Bijnor, Pilibhit, Bulandshahr, Basti, and Sultanpur over 6 inches; in most of the remaining districts the rainfall varied from 2 to 5 inches. Standing crops are doing well. Transplanting of rice is near completion. Preparation of land for spring crops has commenced. Early grain is being cut in a few districts. Heavy rain has caused some damage in lowlying lands. The numbers in receipt of relief on Saturday, the 28th August, in seventeen districts officially recognised as distressed were as follows:—Agra 10,302, Etawah 2,751, Cawnpore 7,585, Fatehpur 8,337, Banda 82,515, Hamirpur 19,160, Allahabad 60,091, Jhansi 21,379, Jalaun 36,199, Mirzapur 12,120, Family Domains of Maharaja of Benares, 5,210, Jaunpur 24,698, Gorakhpur 11,704, Azamgarh 10,846, Lucknow 28,270, Unao 17,812, Rai Bareilly 14,357, Hardoi 47,048; total 420,384. This total is distributed as follows among the various methods of relief prescribed by the Famine Code which are in operation—employed on relief works—19,682; relieved as dependants—4,608; relieved in poor-houses—22,641; relieved under other provisions of the Famine Code, including 62,192 from Charitable Fund, 373,453;

total 420,384. The numbers relieved in nineteen districts which are under observation and not officially recognised as distressed were on the same date as follows :—relieved on test works—*nil* ; relieved in poor-houses—6,317 ; relieved under other provisions of the Famine Code, including 11,263 from Charitable Fund, 44,461 ; total 50,778. The grand total in receipt of relief on the last day of the week was therefore 471,162. Supplies and fodder are sufficient. Prices generally show a tendency to fall. The price of the staple grain on which the famine wage is based varied from $9\frac{1}{8}$ to 12 seers in the districts officially recognised as distressed. The numbers shown as relieved from the Indian Famine Charitable Relief Fund represent the operations of the fund so far only as they are carried out through official agency.

Punjab.—*For week ending 30th August.*—Rain has fallen throughout the Province averaging 3 inches in Lahore ; $2\frac{3}{4}$ in Rawal Pindi ; $\frac{1}{2}$ in Rohtak, and about one inch elsewhere. Sowings for autumn crops still continue in western districts and ploughings for spring crops in most districts. The recent rain has greatly benefited the crops. Cattle is generally in good condition and is improving in Hissar. Green fodder is procurable everywhere ; dry fodder is scanty in Gujranwala. Locusts have appeared in Hissar, Delhi, Karnal, Lahore, Shahpur, Rawal Pindi, and Dera Ismail Khan, doing slight damage, except in parts of Delhi, where eggs having been hatched, damage is reported to have been done to a great extent ; eggs and young are being destroyed. Crops have suffered in parts of Peshawar from excessive rain. The average number of relief workers, dependants, etc., was as follows :—Relief workers—3,812 men, 3,201 women, 941 children. Dependants—8 men, 8 women, 1,499 children. Relieved in poor-houses—87 men, 85 women, 810 children. Otherwise relieved—2,227 men, 2,664 women, 2,205 children. The total number of persons relieved this week were 17,547 against 20,523 last week ; of these 15,300 were in Hissar alone. Prices are generally high ; wheat is selling from $8\frac{3}{4}$ to $10\frac{3}{4}$ seers, maize 8 to $12\frac{3}{4}$, great millet $10\frac{1}{2}$, barley 11 to 13, gram $8\frac{1}{2}$ to 10, bulrush-millet 6 to 10 and rice 6 to $6\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee. Prices of staple food-grains on which the famine wage is reckoned are—Hissar—barley flour and great millet flour 10 seers per rupee each.

Central Provinces.—*For week ending 30th August.*—Weather alternately cloudy and clear with intervals of bright sunshine between the showers. Nimar has received $6\frac{1}{2}$ inches ; Betul, Bhandara, and Mandla over 4 ; other districts less. The partial break has benefited the standing crops, but more clear weather would be beneficial. In Betul and Mandla *jowar* (*Sorghum vulgare*) in low lying lands has sustained some slight damage at places from excess of rain. The early millets are being harvested in the plateau districts and early rice is ripening in Sambalpur. Prospects of summer crops continue generally good, but insects are doing some damage to rice within a limited area in Raipur. Agricultural operations are somewhat retarded in Betul, but are proceeding satisfactorily elsewhere. Prices are generally steady ; somewhat easier in Nimar and Seoni ; but slightly risen in Wardha and Bhandara. There has been a decrease of 33,000 in the number of relief workers due partly to the *Pola* festival and an increase of 7,000 in the number receiving gratuitous relief. This accession has taken place mostly in Mandla and Bilaspur. To the decrease in relief workers most districts contribute. The numbers on relief works were :—Saugor 11,584, Damoh 10,634, Jubbulpore 19,407, Mandla 12,388, Seoni 2,976, Narsinghpur 22,942, Hoshangabad 29,563, Nimar 841, Betul 8,499, Chhindwara 13,585, Wardha 597, Nagpur 13,764, Bhandara 13,288, Balaghat 25,635, Raipur 34,220, Bilaspur 40,808, Sambalpur 800 ; total 261,541. Test workers :—Damoh 122. Numbers on gratuitous relief—Saugor 16,565, Damoh 17,589, Jubbulpore 48,782, Mandla 19,634, Seoni 14,211, Narsinghpur 16,761, Hoshangabad 13,277, Nimar 1,629, Betul 6,145, Chhindwara 5,311, Wardha 859, Nagpur 2,514, Chanda 1,530, Bhandara 11,446, Balaghat 15,471, Raipur 29,644, Bilaspur 85,005, Sambalpur 71 ; total 306,444. Total number on relief 568,107. There were also 15,681 persons employed on railway and other private works. Details of relief workers—men 85,493, women 118,938, children 57,110. Test workers—men 56, women 66. Dependants—men 2,231, women 2,894, children 32,181, with 2,166 unclassified. Poor-houses—men 7,578, women 8,036, children 13,767.

Otherwise relieved—men 30,236, women 62,389, children 74,606, with 70,360 unclassified. Wage prices—Saugor, Damoh, Betul, Chhindwara, Wardha, Raipur 8; Jubbulpore $8\frac{1}{4}$, Mandla, Seoni $7\frac{3}{4}$, Hoshangabad $8\frac{1}{4}$, Nimar, Bhandara, Bilaspur $7\frac{1}{2}$, Nagpur $9\frac{1}{8}$, Balaghat $6\frac{1}{4}$, Sambalpur $9\frac{1}{2}$, Narsinghpur 9 seers per rupee.

Burma.—*For week ending the 28th August.*—In Lower Burma ploughing, sowing and transplanting continue and prospects are good. In Upper Burma during the week good rain fell in most districts and prospects have considerably improved; such crops as had not already withered have revived and agricultural operations are proceeding briskly; prospects are still bad in the Sagaing district, where more rain is urgently needed and in the Salin sub-division, Minbu district; in Meiktila the lake has risen 11 feet and the prospects of irrigation below it have greatly improved. The price of paddy has increased slightly in Myaungmya and Mandalay; decreased largely in Akyab and considerably in Thaton; elsewhere stationary. Numbers on relief works—Meiktila 792 and Myingyan 15,998. On gratuitous relief—Meiktila 122, Yamethin 259, and Myingyan 4,004. Total number on relief 21,175. Price of rice—Meiktila 8 seers 3 chittaks and Myingyan 8 seers per rupee.

Assam.—*For week ending 31st August.*—Weather seasonable. Heavy rain fell in the Surma Valley districts. Reaping of early and transplanting of late rice continue. Prospects of crops are generally good, but late rice crop has been damaged to some extent by insects in Darrang, Sibsagar, and Lakhimpur districts. Prospects of tea are good. Prices—common rice—Silchar 9, Sylhet $8\frac{1}{2}$, Gauhati $7\frac{1}{4}$, Tezpur 7, Sibsagar and Dibrugarh 8 seers per rupee.

Mysore and Coorg.—*For week ending 30th August.*—MYSORE.—Three inches 17 cents in Civil and Military station and good rain in parts. Prospects are favourable. Prices have slightly risen in four districts. *Kagi* (*Eleusine coracana*) sown in Bangalore, Mysore, Chitaldrug, and Shimoga and harvested in parts of Kadur.

COORG.—Rainfall 10 inches 35 cents. Transplanting of rice continues. Prices of food-grains stationary. Water and fodder for cattle abundant.

Berar and Hyderabad.—*For week ending 30th August.*—BERAR.—Weather warm and cloudy. More rain has fallen during the week. Monsoon crops in good condition. Preparation of land continues. Sowings almost completed. Weeding operations are in progress. Fodder and water are sufficient. Prices fluctuating. Relief workers—Akola 345, Amraoti 8, Ellichpur 2,384, Wun 103. On gratuitous relief—Akola 3,347, Basim 103, Ellichpur 2,460. Occupants of poor-houses—Akola 976, Amraoti 347, Basim 269, Buldana 179, Ellichpur 434. Total number on relief 10,955. Prices—*Jowari*—Akola 8, Amraoti 9, Basim 8, Buldana 7, Ellichpur 9, Wun 10 seers per rupee. No cases of cholera on relief works.

HYDERABAD.—Rainfall during the week 92 cents. Only an abstract report has been received from the Nizam's Government regarding good rainfall in many parts of country. Number of persons employed on relief works 15,531. Gratuitous relief given to 5,744 persons. Total number on relief 21,275. Prices—wheat $4\frac{1}{2}$, coarse rice $5\frac{1}{2}$, and *jowari* $8\frac{1}{4}$ seers per current sicca rupee.

Central India.—*For week ending 30th August.*—Rain fell in all agencies during the week; the fall is still below average in parts of Bhopawar; but is sufficient in all other agencies. Agricultural operations are in progress in all agencies. Standing crops are in good condition throughout Central India. Agricultural stock and pasturage are good in all agencies. Prices have fallen in five districts of Gwalier and continue high in other agencies. The number of persons employed on famine relief works were—5,157 Gwalior, 16,216 Bundelkhand, 10,072 Baghelkhand, and 750 Bhopal. On gratuitous relief—3,011 Gwalior, 8,138 Bundelkhand, 5,081 Baghelkhand, and 678 Bhopal. Total number on relief 49,103. Prices—Gwalior 9 to $9\frac{1}{2}$, Bundelkhand $8\frac{1}{4}$ to 12, and Baghelkhand 9 seers per rupee.

Rajputana.—*For week ending 1st September.*—Rainfall over 2 inches at Abu, Jhallawar, and Bikanir; between 1 and 2 inches at Kherwara, Pertabgarh, Meywar, Kotah, Kerowlie, and Ulwar; under 1 inch elsewhere. *Til* sowing in progress in Serohi; other agricultural operations continue satisfactory generally. Everywhere crops are generally thriving, but have been damaged slightly by locusts in parts of Serohi, Meywar, Ajmere district, Kerowlie, and Bhurtpore and by excessive rain in Meywar. Prospects are generally favourable. Agricultural stock is good everywhere. Prices are falling in Meywar and Haraoti; fluctuating in Jhallawar, Serohi; almost steady elsewhere. The number of persons on relief works was—Tonk 118, Sironj 674, and Dholepore 453. Ordinary works—Tonk 363, Dholepore 579, and Bikanir 736. Gratuitous relief—Tonk 2,592, Sironj 301, Pirawa 800, Chabra 62, Bundi 297, Deoli 8, Dholepore 407, Bhurtpore 251, and Bikanir 79. Total number on relief—6,042. Prices—Dholepore 12½ and Tonk 10 seers per rupee.

Kashmir.—*For week ending 31st August.*—Slight rain has fallen. Threshing of crops in progress. Standing autumn crops in good condition. Prices normal.

JAMMU PROVINCE.—No report received.

Nepal.—*For week ending 28th August.*—Rainfall 1.29 inches. Very short rainfall in the Khatmandu Valley, and most irregular in the hills. Even in the Terai more rain is now needed for the rice. Indian-corn has been harvested; outturn about an average crop. Price—6½ seers per rupee.

The total numbers in receipt of relief during the preceding and present weeks are as follows:

NAME OF PROVINCE.	PRECEDING WEEK.			PRESENT WEEK.			Increase or decrease.
	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	
Madras . . .	461,983	192,487	654,470	423,217	169,953	(a) 593,170	—61,300
Bombay . . .	343,874	65,390	409,264	353,101	72,634	435,735	+ 26,471
Bengal . . .	92,876	298,803	391,679	83,376	252,400	(b) 335,776	—55,903
North-Western Provinces and Oudh . . .	30,662	392,848	423,510	24,290	373,417	(c) 397,707	—25,803
Punjab . . .	10,780	9,743	20,523	9,469	8,078	17,547	— 2,976
Central Provinces	293,283	298,746	592,029	261,663	306,444	568,107	—23,922
Burma . . .	21,643	5,709	27,352	16,790	4,385	21,175	— 6,177
Berar . . .	5,302	8,863	14,165	2,840	8,115	10,955	— 3,210
Hyderabad . .	17,427	4,711	22,138	15,531	5,744	21,275	— 863
Central India .	33,462	15,855	49,317	32,195	16,908	49,103	— 214
Rajputana . . .	1,126	6,045	7,171	1,245	4,797	6,042	— 1,129
TOTAL . . .	1,312,418	1,299,200	2,611,618	1,233,717	1,222,875	2,456,592	— 155,026

(a) Figures incomplete for one district.

(b) Exclusive of 87,926 relieved from the Indian Charitable Relief Fund.

(c) Exclusive of 73,455 relieved from the Indian Charitable Relief Fund.

T. W. HOLDERNESS,
Deputy Secretary to the Government of India.

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1st July to the 21st August 1897.
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(c) Including 52,319 weavers relieved at their own trade

* Incomplete.

† Exclusive of 80,263 relieved from the Indian Charitable

G. A. ANDERSON,
Under Secretary.

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PART II.

Notifications by High Court, Comptroller General, etc.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

NOTICE.

The 13th March, 1897.

From the 3rd April next, till further notice, Parts I, IV, V and VI of the *Gazette of India*, and the Weather and Crop Report will be published at Simla. After the 27th March all Notifications and other matter intended for publication in those Parts should be addressed to the Officiating Publisher at Simla.

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WM. ROSS,

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

INVENTIONS and DESIGNS.

Calcutta, the 2nd September 1897.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2525 P.—APPLICATIONS in respect of the undermentioned inventions have been filed, under the provisions of the Inventions and Designs Act of 1888, in the office of the Secretary appointed under that Act during the week ending 28th August 1897 :—

No. 333 of 1897.—Amended application—*See* No. 121 of 1897.

No. 334 of 1897.—Robert McNair Wilson Swan, mining engineer, of 15 Walmer crescent Glasgow, for means for preventing evaporation of water in reservoirs or the like.

No. 335 of 1897.—Philip John Winch, chemist, of 19 Hindley street, and John Terbet Snell, bicycle manufacturer, of 150 Rundle street, both of Adelaide, in the province of South Australia, for an improved method and composition for making pneumatic tyres puncture-proof.

No. 336 of 1897.—Thomas Rushton, engineer, of 16 Sudder street, Calcutta, for an improved punkah-pulling machine.

No. 337 of 1897.—Amended application—*See* No. 165 of 1897.

No. 338 of 1897.—Daniel Kemp West, engineer, of Guntur, in the Madras presidency, for connecting the ends of baling-hoops.

No. 339 of 1897.—George Crawford Elliott, and Walter Platt Hatch, manufacturers, of 253 Broadway, New York, for improvements in type-writing machines.

No. 2526 P.—SPECIFICATIONS of the undermentioned inventions have been filed, under the provisions of the Inventions and Designs Act of 1888, in the office of the Secretary appointed under that Act, and copies have been sent to the Governments of Fort St. George, Bombay, and Burma, and the Director of the department of land records and agriculture, North-Western Provinces and Oudh. These and other specifications are open to public inspection, from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M., at the Secretary's office (Imperial Secretariat, Government Place, West, Calcutta), on payment of a fee of one rupee, and a certified copy of any one of them will be supplied on payment of the fixed expenses of copying :—

No. 18 of 1896.—Francis Charles Dixon, civil engineer (care of Messrs. King, Hamilton & Co., Calcutta), for a pendulum motor which is designed for the more efficient and economical supplying of power to contrivances with an oscillatory or rotary motion. (Specification filed 2 December 1896.)

No. 45 of 1897.—Frederick Henry Haviland, solicitor, of St. Peter's Chambers, Arthur Holloway, science master, of "Hagley," Drummond road, Boscombe, John Bruce Collier, electrical engineer, of Delphi Chambers, and William Henry Murch, engineer, of Upper Terrace road, all of Bournemouth, in the county of Hants, for an improved method of, and apparatus for, the production of calcium carbide. (Specification filed 23 August 1897.)

- No. 63 of 1897.—Dairy Supply Company, Ltd., dairy engineers, of Museum street, in the county of Middlesex, for improvements in apparatus for sterilizing milk, cream, and other alimentary liquids. (Specification filed 23 August 1897.)
- No. 64 of 1897.—Dairy Supply Company, Ltd., dairy engineers, of Museum street, in the county of Middlesex, for improvements in apparatus for sterilizing milk and other liquids. (Specification filed 23 August 1897.)
- No. 109 of 1897.—Emil Claviez, general director, of Leipzig, in the kingdom of Saxony, for an improved double acting jacquard-machine. (Specification filed 23 August 1897.)
- No. 184 of 1897.—Albert Joisten, printer, of 31 Agrippastrasse, and Josef May, agent, of 6^a Andreashloster, both in Cologne, Germany, for improvements in platen printing presses. (Specification filed 24 August 1897.)
- No. 220 of 1897.—William Augustus Bailey, a lieutenant in the 36th Sikhs Native Infantry regiment, and at present cantonment magistrate at Cawnpore, for improvements in portable latrines. (Specification filed 24 August 1897.)
- No. 226 of 1897.—William Henry Dacre Tyler, gentleman, of 14 Kirkstall road, Streatham hill, Thomas Hann, mechanical engineer, and William Bromley, commercial traveller, both of 18 Upper Kennington lane, all in the county of Surrey, for improvements in or connected with velocipedes and other vehicles. (Specification filed 17 August 1897.)

No. 2527 P.—THE undermentioned design has been registered, under the provisions of the Inventions and Designs Act, 1888, in the office of the Secretary appointed under that Act, and copies have been sent to the Governments of Fort St. George, Bombay, and Burma. This and other designs are open to public inspection, from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M., at the Secretary's office (Imperial Secretariat, Government Place, West, Calcutta), on payment of a fee of one rupee, and a certified copy of any one of them will be supplied on payment of the fixed expenses of copying:—

No. 12D of 1897.—Carl Jost, engineer, of 13 Hornby row, Bombay, for buttons or fastener for doors, windows, shutters, etc.

No. 2528 P.—THE fee prescribed in Schedule 4 of Act V of 1888 has been paid for the continuance of exclusive privilege in respect of the undermentioned invention for the period shown against it:—

No. 187 of 1889.—Wassily Kusnezov's invention for improvements in gas-purifiers. (From 28 August 1897 to 28 August 1898.)

No. 2529 P.—WHEREAS the inventors of the undermentioned inventions have respectively failed to pay, within the time limited in that behalf by the fourth schedule to the Inventions and Designs Act (V of 1888), the fees hereinafter respectively mentioned, it is hereby notified that under the provisions of section 8, sub-section (2), of the said Act, the exclusive privilege of making, selling and using the said inventions in British India and of authorising others so to do has ceased:—

No. 288 of 1892.—Stefan von Kvassay's invention for an improved wind and water wheel. (Specification filed 27 May 1893.)

No. 335 of 1892.—Julius Moeller's invention for an apparatus for the manufacture of oil gas. (Specification filed 27 May 1893.)

No. 45 of 1893.—John Fisher's invention for improvements in apparatus for supporting and guiding the wires used for actuating signals upon railways and other purposes of the like kind, and for keeping such wires constantly stretched. (Specification filed 23 May 1893.)

No. 48 of 1893.—James John Bell's invention for a new method of manufacturing *daris*, *purdahs*, *dadoes*, and the like. (Specification filed 22 May 1893.)

Fee in respect of the continuance of an exclusive privilege—

4 (a) After the filing of the specification and before the expiration of the fourth year from the date of the filing thereof.

The sum of Rs50 for each of the said inventions.

NOTICES.

All communications relating to Act V (the Inventions and Designs Act) of 1888 should be addressed to the "Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Revenue and Agriculture (PATENTS BRANCH), CALCUTTA."

The office of the Secretary under the Act is open for the transaction of business from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M. on all days except Sundays and gazetted holidays.

The Government of India are advised that as trade marks are not "designs" within the meaning of the Act, they cannot be registered under Part II.

The fees payable under the fourth and sixth schedules are now collected in cash, and applicants are warned that they must be responsible for any delay in cashing cheques.

Copies of the weekly notifications, and of the quarterly lists, of applications and specifications filed in the Secretary's office are now on sale to the public at one anna and eight annas a copy respectively.

Attention is requested to the rules made by the Government on the 10th October, 1895, in regard to the preparation of applications, specifications and drawings.

All applications made under the Inventions and Designs Act, V of 1888, will from this date (December 19th, 1896) lie in the visitors' room of the Patents Office for ten days from the date of the *Gazette of India* in which their filing may have been notified; or, if the tenth day is a holiday, till the evening of the office day next following.

At the time of delivering or sending an application for leave to file a specification, the applicant shall cause a duplicate copy of the application to be delivered or sent therewith to the Secretary.

A. T. PRINGLE,

*Offg. Secy. under the Inventions and
Designs Act, 1888.*

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 31st August, 1897.

LIABILITIES.			ASSETS.		
	R	a. p.		R	a. p.
Capital paid-up	2,00,00,000	0 0	Government Securities	81,44,726	10 0
Reserve Fund	80,00,000	0 0	Other authorised Investments	77,44,845	8 0
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Public Deposits at Branches . 34,03,794 11 1			Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorised Securities	2,05,72,650	15 0
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	5,57,47,540	2 8	Bills discounted and purchased	1,14,27,195	0 4
Bank Post Bills, etc.	3,80,922	4 2	Balances with other Banks	3,15,888	10 7
Sundries	20,86,318	11 7	Bullion	2,896	11 0
RUPES	9,76,31,722	11 5	Dead Stock	13,37,930	3 6
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BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 2nd September, 1897.

E. J. BIRCH,
Offg. Chief Accountant.
Rate for Demand Loans 5 per cent.
Percentage 44·6.

By order of the Directors,
W. D. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.

COMPTROLLER GENERAL'S OFFICE, The Treasury.

NOTICE.

Calcutta, the 28th August, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the Public Debt Office and the Government Account Department at the Bank of Bengal will be opened for the transaction of business and the receipt and payment of money on Government account on the following days during the Durga Puja holidays :—

30th September and 1st, 6th, 7th, 8th and 9th October, 1897.

The Paper Currency Office at Calcutta and the Comptroller General's Office will be open on the above dates.

O. T. BARROW,
Offg. Comptroller General.

SURVEY OF INDIA DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 31st August, 1897.

No. 249.—Lieutenant-Colonel St. G. C. Gore, R.E., Officiating Superintendent, 1st grade, and Superintendent, Trigonometrical Surveys, is granted privilege leave for one month, under Article 291 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th September, 1897, or

the subsequent date on which he may avail himself thereof.

F. B. LONGE, Major, R.E.,
for Surveyor General of India

The 2nd September, 1897.

No. 250.—Mr. J. McHatton, Head Draftsman, Head Quarters Office, Calcutta, is brought on to the effective list, with effect from the 1st September, 1897.

No. 251.—Mr. J. McHatton, Extra Assistant Superintendent, 5th grade, is granted privilege leave for two months, under Article 291 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st September, 1897, or subsequent date.

The 3rd September, 1897.

No. 252.—The following promotions are made, with effect from the 2nd September, 1897, vice Mr. A. J. Wilson, Extra Assistant Superintendent, 1st grade, retired :—

Mr. H. W. Peychers, Extra Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade, to be Extra Assistant Superintendent, 1st grade.

Mr. W. C. Price, Extra Assistant Superintendent, 3rd grade, to be Extra Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade.

Mr. Hugh Todd, Extra Assistant Superintendent, 4th grade, to be Extra Assistant Superintendent, 3rd grade.

Mr. P. J. W. Doran, Extra Assistant Superintendent, 5th grade, to be Extra Assistant Superintendent, 4th grade.

CHAS. STRAHAN, Major-Genl., R.E.,
Surveyor-General of India.

DIRECTOR-GENERAL, INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 25th August, 1897.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT,
HOSPITAL ASSISTANT BRANCH, BENGAL
ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 55.—The undermentioned Hospital Assistants qualified themselves for promotion to the next higher grade on 15th of April, 1897, and are entitled to the pay of the same, with effect from the dates specified against their names:—

No. 743, 3rd grade, Rala Ram (E)—1st May, 1897.

No. 751, 3rd grade, Wakar Ali (E)—1st May, 1897.

(E) Passed in English.

JAMES CLEGHORN, M.D.,

Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL, RAJPUTANA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Abu, the 25th August, 1897.

No. 3752—202-G.—With reference to Foreign Department Notification No. 1275-G., dated the 18th instant, it is hereby notified that Captain L. Impey, Indian Staff Corps, assumed charge of the Ulwar Agency on the forenoon of the 18th idem.

No. 3754—188-G.—With reference to Foreign Department Notification No. 1275-G., dated the 18th instant, it is hereby notified that Captain A. F. Bruce, Indian Staff Corps, took over charge of the duties of the First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana, and Chief Commissioner, Ajmere-Merwara, on the afternoon of the 16th idem.

By Order,

A. F. BRUCE, Captain,

First Assistant Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana.

MILITARY WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 28th August, 1897.

Corrigenda.—In Director General, Military Works' Notification No. 9-A., dated 17th August, 1897, published in *Gazette of India*, Part II, dated 21st August, 1897, against the names of Lieutenants Watling and Cameron, R.E., for "14th March, 1897," read "4th March, 1897."

J. A. FERRIER, Major, R.E.,

for Director General of Military Works in India.

NORTHERN INDIA SALT REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

LEAVE.

Agra, the 25th August, 1897.

No. 171.—Mr. R. G. Rose, Superintendent, Pachbudra Division, is granted privilege leave for one month, under Article 291, Section II, Chapter XII, of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of that sanctioned by order No. 121, dated 10th July, 1897.

A. B. PATTERSON,

Commissioner, N. I. Salt Revenue Dept.

DIRECTOR GENERAL OF RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 24th August, 1897.

No. 68.—With reference to Public Works Department Notification No. 328, dated the 20th August, 1897, 2nd Lieutenant C. L. Magniac, R.E., Assistant Engineer, 3rd grade, is posted to the North Western Railway.

No. 69.—Mr. E. S. Strong, Assistant Locomotive Superintendent, in class III, grade 1, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is appointed to officiate as District Locomotive Superintendent, North Western Railway, in class II of that establishment during the absence of Mr. H. H. Buckland on privilege leave, or until further orders.

The 25th August, 1897.

No. 70.—Lieutenant W. K. Russell, R.E., Assistant Engineer, 3rd grade, passed the Professional Examination prescribed in Public Works Department Code, Volume I, Chapter II, paragraphs 23 to 25, and the Colloquial Examination prescribed in paragraph 28 of the same chapter, on the 10th August, 1897.

T. GRACEY, Colonel, R.E.,

Director General.

REPORT OF DESERTION.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 1st Battalion, Bedfordshire Regiment of Infantry, dated at Umballa, this 28th day of August, 1897.

Number, Rank, and Name, —No. 4358, Private James Anderson.	Parish and County in which born,—Annan, Dumfries.
Age,—25 years 7 months.	Date of Desertion or Absence,—10th August, 1897.
Height,—5 feet 6 inches.	Place of Desertion or absence,—Umballa.
Colour of—	Marks,—Mole on abdomen; mole on left side; scar left knee.
Complexion, sallow; hair, dark brown; eyes, brown.	Without leave.
Trade,—Farm servant.	3 years 7 months.
Date of Enlistment,—8th October, 1891.	
Place of Enlistment,— Dumfries (Scotland).	

E. PICKARD-CAMBRIDGE, Capt.,

for Lieut.-Col.,

Comdg. 1st Battn., Bedfordshire Regt.

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 25th August, 1897.

No. 2673-C.—Mr. A. D. Appleby, Postmaster, Nowshera Base Office, is appointed to be a Superintendent in charge of postal arrangements in connection with the Malakand Field Force and North-West Frontier Disturbances, with effect from the 15th August, 1897.

No. 2690-C.—The following appointments are made, with effect from the 12th July, 1897, in place of Rai Anantha Charlu Bahadur, Superintendent of Post Offices, 3rd grade, deceased:—

Mr. T. S. Carrol, Superintendent of Post Offices, officiating in the 3rd grade, is confirmed in that grade.

Mr. S. Seshachelum Naidu, officiating as Superintendent of Post Offices, 4th grade, is confirmed in that grade.

No. 2706-C.—Mr. Sorabji Dadabhai Surti is appointed, with effect from the date he assumes charge, to be Superintendent of Post Offices, 4th grade, in place of Mr. Lakshman Balvant Khare, Superintendent of Post Offices, 4th grade, deceased.

The 30th August, 1897.

No. 2779-C.—The following appointments are made, with effect from the 10th June, 1897, in place of Rai Luchman Singh Bahadur, Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 2nd grade, deceased:—

Mr. F. W. Tytler, Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 3rd grade, is promoted to the 2nd grade.

Lala Raj Narayan, Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, officiating in the 3rd grade, is confirmed in that grade.

Mr. A. D. Gibson is appointed to be Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 4th grade.

No. 2786-C.—The following appointments are made, with effect from the 18th July, 1897, in place of Moulvi Allahdad Khan, Superintendent of Post Offices, 3rd grade, deceased:—

Mr. W. A. Roussac, Superintendent of Post Offices, officiating in the 3rd grade, is confirmed in that grade.

Babu Radhika Mohan Lahiri, B.A., officiating as Superintendent of Post Offices, 4th grade, is confirmed in that grade.

No. 2795-C.—The following acting appointments are made during the absence on deputation of Mr. I. G. J. Hamilton, Superintendent of Post Offices, 1st grade, to act as Deputy Postmaster General, Sind and Baluchistan:—

Mr. H. Tulloch, Superintendent of Post Offices, 2nd grade, to act in the 1st grade.

Mr. C. C. D'Albedyhl, Mail Officer, 1st class, Sea Post Office, Bombay, to act as Superintendent of Post Offices, 2nd grade.

A. U. FANSHAWE,

Div. Genl. of the Post Office of India.

Unclaimed Letters held in the Calcutta General Post Office on the 31st August, 1897.

Abac & Co., J. H.	Kirkbridge & Co.	Ross, Mose.
Bathurst & Co.	Lattimar Crick & Co.	Scott & Co., C. & W.
(Chemists).	Lee, James.	Smith & Sons, Wool Merchants.
Bonaud (Confectioner).	Manager, Excelsior Medicine Co.	Temple, F. G.
Burn & Co., Charles.	Newton, E. (Cigar Manufacturers).	Thompson & Co.
Crawford & Co.	Nicol Fleming & Co., G.	Trahan, Mrs. M. J.
Croft, T. R.	Pope Manufacturing Co.	Walker, C. J. C.
Cundiffe, E.	Richardson & Co., Finlay.	
Editor of the "Ibis."		
Harrison & Co., W.		
W. (Electro Plate Works).		

Letters marked "Care of Post Office."

Albrute, C. B.	Gibson, Miss.	Raines, Mrs.
Andree, R. M.	Goldgleek, Mrs. L.	Rhode, Capt. J. H.
Atkins, F. T.	Grant, Lewis.	Ridsdale, H.
Ayres, W. R.	Guise, Miss Dollic.	Robbins, Capt. J. A.
Back, Fanny.	Gutpay, B. L.	Robertson, G.
Barrett, J.	Harvey, G. F.	Roche, Mr.
Bauer, Fritz.	Heinesfeir, F.	Rogers, G. S.
Baxter, Mrs.	Hemming, Wm. P.	Koussac, J.
Bishop, S. O., Dr.	Hill, B.	Scotfield, Robert.
Bitsatsh, Solomon.	Hirsch, Rosina.	Setters & Co.
Bloom, Annette, Miss.	Hoyle, J. O.	Shuhan, G. M. R.
Braham, A.	Hoyle, Mr.	Smith, J. E.
Bride, Mrs. C.	Inman, Thos.	Smyth, S. G.
Brothers & Co., R.	James, Herbert.	Spence, T. G., care of Capt. Passitul.
Burlington, F.	Joakim, W. L.	Stephens, Mrs. A.
Caine, H.	Jones, Alfred.	Story, Mrs.
Campos, L.	Jordan, Mrs. H.	Street, H. A.
Cobbett, Miss E.	Keep, Chas. J.	Swaries, A. M.
Collins, R. A.	Kelsall, L., Miss.	Swinforde, Mrs. W.
Cook, Percy.	Kemp, Charles.	Targot, C. A. B.
Cross, J.	Kenna, Thos. J.	Tasselli, Miss Gladys.
Dale, Miss S.	Kidd, J. A.	Temple, G. F.
Daly, H.	Klopsch, Dr.	Tetley, A. E.
Darcy, Miss T.	Leslie, Mrs. K. L.	Thomas, Bayliss Wm.
Davies, D. Picton.	Litchfield, E.	Thomson, G. W.
Davis, Miss L.	Lopez, Eva, Miss.	Thornton, T. P.
Davis, Mrs.	Macleon, C. W.	Townsend, Prof. D. J.
Deas David, care of E. Osmond.	Mansell, Miss.	Trenscin, Mrs. G.
Dettmer, Henry.	Mason, Alex.	Tripe, J. T.
Devonshire, E. T.	McCallum, E.	Walker, J.
Duffot, Miss A.	McGuire, T.	Watson, E., Mrs.
Edwards, J. T.	Miller, W.	Watson, J. D.
Eisenstark, Leon.	Mitchell, Mrs.	Weiss, A.
Ferrao Joas.	Morris, J. R., Dr.	Welso, Mrs.
Antonio.	Morrison, Miss Emmie.	Williams, Esq.
Forde, J.	Norah, Miss.	Williams, F. M.
Fuller, Mrs. R. W.	O'Grady, W.	Willis, Mrs. M. H.
Gallagher, W.	O'Mally, A.	Winter, Mrs. E. C.
Gardanstein Lazer.	Patrick, F. S.	
George, E., Mrs.	Paul, C.	
	Philben, E.	

Registered Letters and Parcels.

A. M. (Ali Muhammad) Jaquob of Simla.	Handcock, James, P.	McMaster, Thos.
Christian, C. W.	Katz, Gusta, Madam.	Noble, H. J.
Daly, H.	Kilchmann, Alf.	Rossac, J.
	Langer, A.	Stacer, R. R.
		Targot, C., Mrs.

Unclaimed Letters held in the Bombay General Post Office.

Albert, G., Miss.	Elliott, C. F.	Leunn, J.
Ashuk, H. Mirza, Capt.	Kmpy, Dr.	Martin, R. R.
Aylward, W. E.	Fiemarsdorf, E. J.	Monrow, M. J.
Browne, D. L.	Freeman, J. A.	Mowes, Paul.
Bell, H. E.	Fernandez, J. H.	Massani, S. P.
Brown, Ella, Madam.	Fernandez, A.	MacMunn, G. F., Mrs.
Binley, H.	Gover, A. G.	Marinelli Michael.
Brown, G. C.	Goodson, M., Dr.	Nesbitt, B., Mrs.
Corry, C. H.	Hickie, C. F.	O'Conner, T.
Culthorpe, E. R.	Hickie, W.	Oldham, R. D.
Cardozo, A. H.	Hutchinson, S. St.	Payne, C. H.
Cooke, E., Miss.	Harding, Chas.	Power, P.
Clark, W., Mrs.	Irvine, A. A., Lt.	Riley, G. R.
Cook, P.	Jackson, S.	Roodour, James.
Cordie, H. M.	Jones, A.	Rhester.
Chandler, M. H., Mrs.	Jennings, E.	Rohand, L., Monsieur.
D'Souza, D. H.	Kumar Shri Kerost-sing Sahib.	Simpson, B. G.
D'Cruse, M.	Kenny, C.	Stewart, J. J.
Dracott, C. H.	Kinscruner, Majoriki.	Tosselle, Miss.
Davis, J. M.	King, H.	Wilson, C., Conductor.
Engler, J., Dr.	Lyon, V.	Wilkinson, C. W. C.
	Langley, F.	

Unclaimed Letters held in the Barrackpore Post Office on the 31st August, 1897.

Clifford, Mrs.	Corvit, G.	Cooley Patrick, P.
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The 4th September, 1897.
CALCUTTA POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Mails for	Date of closing at the General Post Office, Calcutta.	Route by which despatched.
Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, Zanzibar, Mozambique, Delagoa Bay, Mauritius, Madagascar, Réunion, etc., Natal, and Cape Colony, and in general all countries served through the United Kingdom.	1897. 8th Sept.	Per P. & O. Str. from Bombay.
Parcels for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	7th "	Ditto.
Australasian Colonies	4th "	Via Tuticorin and Colombo.
Ditto ditto	11th "	Ditto.
Straits Settlements, China, and Japan.	7th "	Per Steamer <i>Chelydra</i> .
Rangoon and Moulmein	9th "	Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s Steamer.
Rangoon, Moulmein, Tavoy, and Mergui.	6th "	Ditto.
Rangoon, Moulmein, Penang, and Singapore.	4th "	Ditto.
Ditto ditto ditto	11th "	Ditto.
Akyab, Kyaukpadaung, Sandoway, and Rangoon.	8th "	Ditto.
Port Blair	6th "	Via Rangoon.
South African Ports	4th "	Per Steamer <i>Congella</i> .
Mauritius, Réunion, Mayotte, Nossi Bé, Delagoa Bay, Natal, and Cape Colony.	11th "	Via Tuticorin and Colombo.

*Although the date entered in column 2 is, as far as can be calculated, the latest safe date of posting for the next Mail steamer, full allowance being made for the steamer being in advance of her published timing, Mails for the places mentioned in column 1 are despatched daily to Colombo, so that they may proceed by any steamer that has been unusually accelerated or retarded, or by any special opportunity that may be afforded by a steamer not belonging to one of the regular lines.

The letter-box for Inland articles will be cleared for the evening Mails without late fee at the following hours, viz:—

For Darjeeling and Assam at 3-25 P.M. without late fee, and 3-55 P.M. with late fee of ½ anna.

For the Bombay Mail via Jubbulpore, carrying also mails for Ceylon, at 6 P.M.

For the Punjab at 7-30 P.M.

Late letters bearing a fee of ½ anna will be received for the Bombay Mail via Jubbulpore up to 6-30 P.M. and for other mails from 7-30 to 8 P.M. and from 8-0 to 8-45 P.M. with a late fee of 1 anna for the Punjab Mails only.

Articles for Burma, and for Port Blair by Sea, are received without late fee up to 7-30 P.M., after which hour they are received fully prepaid and bearing an extra stamp of ½ anna up to 8 P.M.

On the latest safe day of despatch of the Mail for the Australasian Colonies via Tuticorin, the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time for articles without the late fee at 6 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 6-30 P.M.

On the day of despatch of the Mail for Europe (Wednesday during the monsoon), the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time for articles without the late fee at 6-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 7 P.M. Late registered articles will be received from 5 to 6 P.M. On other days the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time without the late fee at 6 P.M., and late letters and papers will be received up to 6-30 P.M. for despatch by any Foreign Mails via Tuticorin, Madras, or Bombay the same night and up to 8-30 P.M., late letters and papers up to 9 P.M., for any Foreign Mails despatched by Sea. The late fee for Foreign articles is 4 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps affixed to the articles.

JOHN OWENS,

Presidency Postmaster, Calcutta.

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Reports on the Inspection of Mines in India during 1893-94 and 1894-95. By JAMES GRUNDY, Inspector of Mines in India (1894 and 1896). Price Rs 1 and Rs 2, respectively.

To be had on application to the Registrar, Geological Survey of India, Calcutta.

GOVERNMENT CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.

Cinchona Febrifuge can be purchased by all Government officers, and by any one taking *six pounds* at a time, from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Calcutta, at the following rates —per four-ounce tin, Rs 8; per eight-ounce tin, Rs 5; per pound tin, Rs 10. The general public can be supplied by the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, *for cash only*, at the under-noted rates: per four-ounce tin, Rs 3; per eight-ounce tin, Rs 6; per pound tin, Rs 12. This medicine is also sold by the principal European and Native druggists in Calcutta. Postage, four annas per four-ounce tin, eight annas per eight-ounce tin, and twelve annas per pound tin, in addition to the foregoing rates.

سکونا فبري فيوج :عنه تپ بهگانے
والہ سکونا *

سکونا فبري فيوج کلکتہ کے برٹانکل گارڈن یعد کمپنی باغ کے سپرنٹنڈنٹ صاحب سے ہر ایک ملازم سرکاری اور ایک مشیت چھہ پوند تک اپنے والا ہر آدمی حسب نرخ ذیل خرید کرسکتا ہی — یعنی چار اونس والا تین بقیمت در روپیہ آٹھہ آنہ ؛ آٹھہ اونس والا تین بقیمت پانچ روپیہ ؛ ایک پوند والا تین بقیمت دس روپیہ *

عام آدمیوں کو یہ دوا برٹانکل گارڈن یعنی کمپنی باغ کے سپرنٹنڈنٹ صاحب سے بقیمت نقد حسب نرخ دیل مد سکتی ہی — یعنی چار اونس والا تین بقیمت تین روپیہ ؛ آٹھہ اونس والا تین بقیمت چھہ روپیہ ؛ ایک پوند والا تین بقیمت بارہ روپیہ *

یہ دوا کلکتہ کے بڑے بڑے ولایتی اور دیسی مراخانوں میں بھی بنتی ہی — ماسوائے قیمت مذکورہ بالا کے محمول ذاک چار اونس والا تین ، چار آنہ ؛ آٹھہ اونس والا تین ؛ آٹھہ آنہ ؛ اور ایک پوند والا تین ؛ بارہ آنہ *

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Manufactured at the Bengal Government Cinchona Plantation.

From 1st April, 1897, the price of this Quinine will be as follows:—

1-pound tin, Rs 15, or, post free, Rs 15-12.
½ " " Rs 7-6, " " Rs 8.
¼ " " Rs 3-12, " " Rs 4-4.

Analysis shows this Quinine to be of the purest manufacture; and it is guaranteed to be free from wilful mixture with the inferior alkaloids, Cinchonine and Cinchonidine. It is for sale only to Government officers, and only for cash, and may be had from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Seebpore, near Calcutta.

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১ আদ . . . ৭৫ . . . ৮

১ শিকি . . . ৩৫ . . . ৪০

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শিবপুরে বৈকোম্পানির বাগানের সুপারিন্টেন্ডেন্টের নিকট পাওয়া
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giving a brief account of six typical Bay of Bengal
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respecting Cyclonic Storms in the Bay. Demy, 212
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JOHN ELIOT,

Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of India.

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the Society's Agents, Messrs. Luzac & Co., 46, Great Russell
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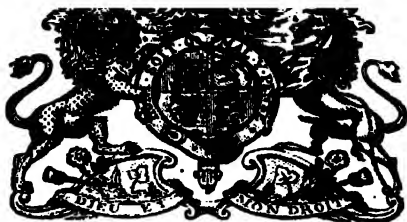
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JUDGE OF KUMAUN AT NAINI
TAL.

CITATION UNDER SECTION 250, ACT X
OF 1865.

In the matter of the estate of the late (Mrs.)
Margaret Fleming, who died at Naini
Tal on the 13th July, 1897.

Whereas Mr. Joseph Paterson Fleming, the
husband of the deceased, has made an applica-
tion for the grant of letters of administration
to the above estate, and the 27th day of Sep-
tember, 1897, has been fixed at Naini Tal for
hearing of the same; this citation is issued
calling upon all persons claiming to have any
interest in the estate of the deceased to come

and see the proceedings in this Court before
the grant of letters of administration.

Given under my hand and the seal of the
Court, this 29th day of July, 1897.

E. E. GRIGG, *Lieut.-Col.,*
District Judge.

NOTICE.

The public are hereby warned against
dealing with any Government securities, shares
or other documents standing in the name of
late Baboo Kristo Gobindo Mukerjee, of No. 7,
Badur Bagan Lane, Calcutta, some of which
have been missing since his death.

SURES CHANDRA MUKERJEE,
No. 7, Badur Bagan Lane.



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DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

PRINCIPAL PORTS—		Week ending 28th August 1897.	1st November 1896 28th August 1897.
CALCUTTA	Imports Exports	283,077 48,607 + 234,470	11,198,801 4,712,099 + 6,486,702
RANGOON	Imports Exports	6,781 392,397 — 385,616	345,718 27,915,504 — 27,569,786
MADRAS	Imports Exports	38,800 25,600 + 13,200	1,230,800 349,600 + 881,200
BOMBAY	Imports Exports	300,100 55,200 + 244,900	9,540,300 4,287,600 + 5,252,700
KARÁCHI	Imports Exports	80,400 224,200 — 143,800	1,433,871 4,059,376 — 2,625,505
PROVINCES AND DISTRICTS—			
BENGAL—			
Patna Division—			30th January to 28th August 1897
PATNA	Imports Exports	30,800 10,000 + 20,800	1,083,900 767,000 + 316,900
GAYA (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports Exports	13,700 ... + 13,700	244,300 95,400 + 148,900
SHAHABAD	Imports Exports	13,200 2,300 + 10,900	289,800 339,500 — 49,700
SARAN	Imports Exports	16,900 200 + 16,700	1,267,900 170,800 + 1,097,100
CHAMPÁRAN	Imports Exports	2,900 1,700 + 1,200	475,900 50,600 + 425,300
MUZAFFARPUR	Imports Exports	8,727 4,104 + 4,623	947,505 65,152 + 882,353
DARBHANGA (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports Exports	22,800 2,200 + 20,600	1,278,800 110,500 + 1,168,300
Bhágalspur Division—			
MONGHYR (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports Exports	12,700 19,600 — 6,900	269,900 1,084,700 — 814,800

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE —continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 28th August 1897.	30th January to 28th August 1897.
BENGAL—contd.			
Bhágálpur Division—contd.			
BHÁGALPUR	Imports . . .	3,200	321,099
	Exports . . .	22,500 —19,300	972,097 —650,998
PURNEA	Imports . . .	300	115,023
	Exports . . .	1,600 —1,300	159,839 —44,816
MALDA	Imports . . .	200	1,600
	Exports . . .	100 + 100	1,800 —200
SANTHAL PARGANAS (<i>incomplete</i>) . . .	Imports . . .	5,500	237,394
	Exports . . .	8,000 —2,500	431,585 —194,191
Rajshahi Division—			
RAJSHAHI (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports . . .	5,900	372,700
	Exports . . .	300 + 5,600	55,398 + 317,302
DINAJPUR (")	Imports . . .	1,600	59,500
	Exports . . .	800 + 800	407,384 —347,884
JALPAIGURI	Imports . . .	3,900	313,303
	Exports . . .	... + 3,900	12,333 + 300,970
DARJEELING	Imports . . .	2,900	156,800
	Exports . . .	300 + 2,600	4,600 + 152,200
RANGPUR	Imports . . .	200	43,100
	Exports . . .	6,500 —6,300	70,500 —27,400
BOGRA	Imports . . .	7,800	49,500
	Exports . . .	1,100 + 6,700	297,500 —248,000
PABNA (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports . . .	800	268,800
	Exports . . .	200 + 600	22,000 + 246,800
Dacca Division—			
DACCA	Imports . . .	1,800	15,300
	Exports . . .	1,000 + 800	19,900 —4,600
NARAIINGANJ	Imports . . .	1,800	32,800
	Exports . . .	... + 1,800	—102,200 —129,400
MAIMENSINGH (<i>preceding week</i>) . . .	Imports . . .	1,007	78,936
	Exports . . .	... + 1,007	9,693 + 69,243
FARIDPUR	Imports . . .	400	181,800
	Exports . . .	... + 400	126,500 + 55,300
BACKERGANJ	Imports . . .	...	1,200
	Exports . . .	100 —100	42,600 —41,400

1. PORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and FULSE—*continued*.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 28th August 1897.	30th January to 28th August 1897.
BENGAL—<i>contd.</i>			
Chittagong Division—			
TIPPERA	Imports	2,000	47,404
	Exports . . . . .	...	38,963
		+ 2,000	+ 8,441
NOAKHALI	Imports . . . . .	...	400
	Exports	100	6,900
		- 100	- 6,500
CHITTAGONG	Imports	5,500	592,467
	Exports . . . . .	...	129,420
		+ 5,500	+ 463,047
Burdwan Division—			
BURDWAN	Imports	2,700	167,700
	Exports	28,000	1,689,000
		- 25,300	- 1,521,300
BIRBHUM	Imports	1,100	34,300
	Exports	7,800	1,596,800
		- 6,700	- 1,562,500
HOOGHLY (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	3,500	89,000
	Exports	600	70,000
		+ 2,900	+ 19,000
MIDNAPUR*	Imports . . . . .	...	40,199
	Exports . . . . .	...	275,470
		...	- 235,271
Presidency Division—			
24-PARGANAS	Imports	700	30,800
	Exports . . . . .	...	25,700
		+ 700	+ 5,100
NADIA (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	1,600	795,500
	Exports	3,800	831,500
		- 2,200	- 36,000
MURSHIDABAD (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	1,700	61,700
	Exports	4,300	281,000
		- 2,600	- 219,300
JESSORE	Imports	1,100	269,200
	Exports	800	67,500
		+ 300	+ 201,700
KHULNA	Imports . . . . .	...	15,200
	Exports . . . . .	...	34,200
		...	- 19,000
Chota Nagpur Division—			
HAZÁRIBAGH	Imports	4,000	195,400
	Exports . . . . .	...	2,100
		+ 4,000	+ 193,300
LOHÁRDAGA	Imports . . . . .	...	4,200
	Exports . . . . .	...	3,700
		...	+ 500
MÁNBHUM (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	5,400	200,500
	Exports	200	7,700
		+ 5,200	+ 192,800
SINGHBHUM (")	Imports	100	8,333
	Exports	48,300
		+ 100	- 39,967
RANCHI (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	2,854
	Exports	5,948
		...	- 3,094

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IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

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[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 28th August 1897.	30th Jan 28th Aug
BENGAL—concl.			
Orissa Division—			
CUTTACK	Imports . . . . .	...	2
	Exports	477	328
		-477	-328
BALASORE	Imports	600	10
	Exports	20,500	1,088
		-19,900	-1,068
PURI	Imports	157	1,703
	Exports	2,374	48,312
		-2,217	-46,609
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES—			
Meerut Division—			
SAHARANPUR	Imports	2,235	261,372
	Exports	6,939	195,465
		-4,704	+65,907
MUZAFFARNAGAR (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	800	210,700
	Exports	2,200	400,500
		-1,400	-189,800
MEERUT	Imports	1,700	310,340
	Exports	22,700	553,159
		-21,000	-242,819
BULANDSHAHR	Imports	500	43,100
	Exports	34,800	720,100
		-34,300	-677,000
ALIGARH	Imports	3,100	152,300
	Exports	40,100	793,900
		-37,000	-641,600
Agra Division—			
MUTTRA	Imports	1,090	80,810
	Exports	3,728	143,719
		-2,638	-62,909
AGRA	Imports	13,500	526,400
	Exports	17,100	483,600
		-3,600	+42,800
FARUKHABAD (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	1,400	111,600
	Exports	3,200	22,100
		-1,800	+89,500
MAINPURI	Imports . . . . .	...	17,500
	Exports	2,800	24,600
		-2,800	-7,100
ETAWAH	Imports . . . . .	...	66,300
	Exports	500	36,500
		-500	+29,800
ETAH (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	100	18,400
	Exports	5,800	199,700
		-5,700	-181,300

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—*continued*.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports —].

		Week ending 28th August 1897.	30th January to 28th August 1897.
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES			
<i>—contd.</i>			
Rohilkhand Division—			
Bijnor	Imports . . .	4,100	225,700
	Exports . . .	300	10,000
		+ 3,800	+ 215,700
MORADABAD	Imports . . .	6,100	198,000
	Exports . . .	6,700	407,600
		—600	—209,600
SHAHJAHANPUR	Imports . . .	1,800	89,964
	Exports . . .	3,000	305,042
		—1,200	—215,078
BUDAUN	Imports . . .	100	4,100
	Exports . . .	1,000	21,600
		—900	—17,500
PILIBIT	Imports . . .	...	52,675
	Exports . . .	...	76,650
		...	—23,975
BAREILLY	Imports . . .	2,500	173,600
	Exports . . .	5,200	204,000
		—2,700	—30,400
Allahabad Division—			
Cawnpore	Imports . . .	18,000	1,878,000
	Exports . . .	20,100	621,700
		—2,100	+ 1,256,300
FATEHPUR	Imports . . .	7,900	213,300
	Exports . . .	...	2,937
		+ 7,900	+ 210,363
BANDA	Imports . . .	9,500	628,400
	Exports . . .	...	3,800
		+ 9,500	+ 624,600
HAMIRPUR	Imports . . .	4,400	142,900
	Exports . . .	...	4,500
		+ 4,400	+ 138,400
ALLAHABAD (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports . . .	24,000	1,217,300
	Exports . . .	500	15,300
		+ 23,500	+ 1,202,000
JHANSI	Imports . . .	10,400	456,400
	Exports . . .	600	18,100
		+ 9,800	+ 438,300
JALAUN	Imports . . .	4,900	253,500
	Exports . . .	400	15,100
		+ 4,500	+ 238,400
Benares Division—			
BENARES	Imports . . .	6,300	605,700
	Exports . . .	100	46,000
		+ 6,200	+ 559,700
MIRZAPUR	Imports . . .	4,100	228,215
	Exports . . .	300	11,663
		+ 3,800	+ 216,552
JAUNPUR	Imports . . .	2,800	215,200
	Exports . . .	200	41,600
		+ 2,600	+ 173,600
GHAZIPUR	Imports . . .	300	132,600
	Exports . . .	300	84,600
		...	+ 48,000

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE —continued.

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[Net imports +].

[Net exports —].

		Week ending 28th August 1897.	30th January to 28th August 1897.
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES			
—concld.			
Gorakhpur Division—			
BASTI	Imports . .	...	26,700
	Exports . .	4,600	334,500
		—4,600	—307,800
BALLIA	Imports . .	298	79,948
	Exports . .	451	63,225
		—153	+16,723
GORAKHPUR	Imports . .	300	122,300
	Exports . .	400	515,800
		—100	—393,500
Kumaun Division—			
GARHWAL	Imports . .	...	6,700
	Exports . .	...	...
		...	+6,700
NAINI TAL	Imports . .	4,000	26,200
	Exports . .	500	83,700
		+3,500	—57,500
ODDH—			
Lucknow Division—			
LUCKNOW	Imports . .	13,400	473,500
	Exports . .	1,300	82,200
		+12,100	+391,300
UNAO	Imports . .	500	61,800
	Exports . .	100	600
		+400	+61,200
RAE-BARELI	Imports . .	9,600	258,900
	Exports . .	...	9,200
		+9,600	+249,700
SITAPUR	Imports . .	...	22,496
	Exports . .	8,500	376,500
		—8,500	—354,004
KHERI	Imports . .	...	12,700
	Exports . .	3,100	158,200
		—3,100	—145,500
HARDOI	Imports . .	1,100	164,400
	Exports . .	300	47,900
		+800	+116,500
Fyzabad Division—			
FYZABAD	Imports . .	4,200	242,200
	Exports . .	3,400	333,200
		+800	—91,000
GONDA	Imports . .	3,900	196,032
	Exports . .	5,000	190,900
		—1,100	+5,132
BAHRAICH	Imports . .	100	8,810
	Exports . .	6,900	204,700
		—6,800	—195,890
BARABANKI	Imports . .	...	70,200
	Exports . .	16,100	281,200
		—16,100	—211,000
RAJPUTANA—			
JODHPUR	Imports . .	4,268	28,355
	Exports . .	6,043	113,290
		—1,775	—84,935
BIKANER	Imports . .	6,603	166,616
	Exports	5
		+6,603	+166,611

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

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[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 28th August 1897.	30th January to 28th August 1897.
AJMERE-MERWARA			
	Imports	8,500	272,000
	Exports	2,400	87,355
		+ 6,100	+ 184,645
PANJAB—			
Delhi Division—			
HISSAR			
	Imports	15,700	1,048,200
	Exports	8,500	76,000
		+ 7,200	+ 972,200
ROHTAK			
	Imports	...	5,500
	Exports	...	3,800
		...	+ 1,700
GURGAON (incomplete)			
	Imports	2,600	102,500
	Exports	7,800	178,400
		—5,200	—75,900
DELHI			
	Imports	12,000	822,800
	Exports	22,400	389,800
		—10,400	+ 433,000
KARNÁL			
	Imports	800	53,000
	Exports	800	52,600
		...	+ 400
AMBALA			
	Imports	8,000	400,700
	Exports	1,200	62,400
		+ 6,800	+ 338,300
SIMLA			
	Imports	500	65,500
	Exports	...	200
		+ 500	+ 65,300
Jalandhar Division—			
JALANDHAR			
	Imports	900	96,200
	Exports	16,400	820,300
		—15,500	—724,100
LUDHIÁNA			
	Imports	1,300	117,600
	Exports	14,500	700,200
		—13,200	—582,600
FEROZPUR			
	Imports	12,400	335,900
	Exports	28,300	715,700
		—15,900	—379,800
Lahore Division—			
MULTAN			
	Imports	2,100	186,600
	Exports	1,600	191,700
		+ 500	—5,100
JHANG			
	Imports	300	26,900
	Exports	5,300	160,300
		—5,000	—133,400
MONTGOMERY			
	Imports	1,100	103,500
	Exports	1,600	23,800
		—500	+ 80,300
LAHORE			
	Imports	5,300	443,402
	Exports	12,100	391,901
		—6,800	+ 51,501
AMRITSAR			
	Imports	7,600	280,000
	Exports	14,000	540,300
		—6,400	—260,300
GURDÁSPUR			
	Imports	300	54,400
	Exports	4,800	410,018
		—4,500	—355,618

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

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[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 28th August 1897.	30th January to 28th August 1897.
PANJAB—contd.			
Ráwalpindi Division—			
SIÁLKOT	Imports . . .	1,200	131,000
	Exports . . .	1,600	57,500
		—400	+73,500
GUJRÁT	Imports . . .	4,900	145,300
	Exports . . .	1,300	29,700
		+3,600	+115,600
GUJRÁNWÁLA	Imports . . .	1,600	116,700
	Exports . . .	13,400	514,900
		—11,800	—398,200
SHAHPUR	Imports . . .	800	72,100
	Exports . . .	1,700	71,600
		—900	+500
JHELAM	Imports . . .	2,612	208,319
	Exports . . .	492	27,091
		+2,120	+181,228
RÁWALPINDI	Imports . . .	45,700	872,951
	Exports . . .	8,200	101,500
		+37,500	+771,451
Pesháwar Division—			
PESHÁWAR	Imports . . .	9,800	260,700
	Exports . . .	7,600	294,700
		+2,200	—34,000
Derajat Division—			
BANNU	Imports . . .	100	6,670
	Exports . . .	2,300	110,657
		—2,200	—103,987
DERA ISMAIL KHAN	Imports . . .	600	19,900
	Exports . . .	9,300	212,300
		—8,700	—192,400
MUZAFFARGARH	Imports . . .	100	7,801
	Exports . . .	1,900	152,800
		—1,800	—144,999
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY—			
Guzerat Division—			
AHMADABAD	Imports . . .	16,600	515,500
	Exports . . .	7,200	336,300
		+9,400	+179,200
KAIRA	Imports . . .	9,200	204,700
	Exports . . .	1,700	196,000
		+7,500	+8,700
PANCH MAHÁLS	Imports . . .	...	17,553
	Exports . . .	5,347	640,984
		—5,347	—623,431

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

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[Net imports +].

[Net exports —].

		Week ending 28th August 1897.	30th January to 28th August 1897.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY—contd.			
Guzerat Division—contd.			
BROACH	Imports . . .	6,200	365,431
	Exports . . .	500	263,966
		+ 5,700	+ 101,465
SURAT (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports . . .	12,500	600,100
	Exports . . .	7,200	196,500
		+ 5,300	+ 403,600
BHAVNAGAR	Imports . . .	...	70,874
	Exports . . .	...	761
		...	+ 70,113
KÁTHIAWÁR (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports . . .	746	189,065
	Exports . . .	338	3,532
		+ 408	+ 185,533
Deccan—			
KHANDESH (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports . . .	33,100	942,500
	Exports . . .	5,700	10,500
		+ 27,400	+ 932,000
NÁSÍK	Imports . . .	34,300	602,400
	Exports . . .	900	84,000
		+ 33,400	+ 518,400
AHMADNAGAR	Imports . . .	23,400	266,400
	Exports . . .	100	71,300
		+ 23,300	+ 195,100
POONA	Imports . . .	44,700	984,321
	Exports . . .	1,000	22,500
		+ 43,700	+ 961,821
SHOLAPUR	Imports . . .	56,800	381,100
	Exports . . .	2,900	195,700
		+ 53,900	+ 185,400
SATARA	Imports . . .	...	510,899
	Exports . . .	...	11,526
		...	+ 499,373
Karnátak—			
BELGAUM (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports . . .	12,000	478,200
	Exports . . .	1,000	177,400
		+ 11,000	+ 300,800
BIJÁPUR (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports . . .	60,700	532,800
	Exports . . .	1,700	12,600
		+ 59,000	+ 520,200
DHARWAR	Imports . . .	16,000	201,433
	Exports . . .	23,900	518,021
		— 7,900	— 316,588
TANNA	Imports . . .	1,800	193,700
	Exports . . .	1,600	306,700
		+ 200	— 113,000
KOLÁBA (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports . . .	1,500	119,567
	Exports . . .	1,200	132,520
		+ 300	— 12,953
KOLHAPUR	Imports . . .	20,665	769,557
	Exports . . .	3,227	73,994
		+ 17,438	+ 695,563
KANARA	Imports . . .	...	26,500
	Exports . . .	...	125,400
		...	— 98,900
RATNAGIRI (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports . . .	1,800	667,200
	Exports . . .	1,600	20,500
		+ 200	+ 646,700

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 28th August 1897.	30th January to 28th August 1897.
SIND AND BALUCHISTAN—			
SHIKÁRPUR	Imports . . .	846	137,592
	Exports . . .	92,440	1,947,934
		—91,594	—1,810,342
THAR-PÁRKAR (<i>preceding week</i>) . . .	Imports . . .	19,900	308,300
	Exports . . .	1,100	337,100
		+18,800	—28,800
UPPER SIND FRONTIER	Imports . . .	2,200	24,500
	Exports . . .	11,600	297,900
		—9,400	—273,400
HYDERABAD	Imports . . .	...	155,800
	Exports . . .	...	217,400
		...	—61,600
CENTRAL PROVINCES—			
Jubbulpore Division—			
SAUGOR	Imports . . .	10,700	317,800
	Exports . . .	60	21,360
		+10,640	+296,440
JUBBULPORE	Imports . . .	9,100	432,700
	Exports . . .	2,200	261,500
		+6,900	+171,200
Nerbudda Division—			
NARSINGHPUR	Imports . . .	5,800	194,600
	Exports . . .	2,100	91,200
		+3,700	+103,400
HOSHANGABAD (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports . . .	4,500	245,600
	Exports . . .	500	44,100
		+4,000	+201,500
NIMAR	Imports . . .	8,000	246,200
	Exports . . .	100	31,900
		+7,900	+214,300
Nágpur Division—			
WARDHA	Imports . . .	9,200	94,500
	Exports . . .	600	19,300
		+8,600	+75,200
NÁGPUR	Imports . . .	14,600	546,900
	Exports . . .	6,100	115,000
		+8,500	+431,900
CHÁNDA	Imports . . .	100	14,300
	Exports . . .	1,000	71,100
		—900	—56,800
BHANDÁRA (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports . . .	10,100	375,500
	Exports . . .	1,400	91,100
		+8,700	+284,400
Chhattisgarh Division—			
RAIPUR	Imports . . .	7,500	108,000
	Exports . . .	8,300	500,000
		—800	—392,000
BILÁSPUR (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports . . .	9,000	186,959
	Exports . . .	200	57,598
		+8,800	+129,361
SAMBALPUR	Imports . . .	...	13,400
	Exports . . .	13,100	575,600
		—13,100	—562,200

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

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[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 28th August 1897.	30th January to 28th August 1897.
BERAR—			
East—			
AYRÁOTI	Imports . . .	16,300	290,500
	Exports . . .	1,000	22,400
		+ 15,300	+ 268,100
West—			
AKOLA (incomplete)	Imports . . .	11,000	233,900
	Exports . . .	2,100	124,500
		+ 8,900	+ 109,400
BULDĀNA	Imports . . .	100	47,800
	Exports . . .	2,000	5,000
		—1,900	+ 42,800
MADRAS—			
GANJAM	Imports . . .	13,100	143,000
	Exports . . .	800	133,600
		+ 12,300	+ 9,400
VIZAGAPATAM	Imports . . .	17,800	539,000
	Exports . . .	1,600	39,300
		+ 16,200	+ 499,700
GODÁVARI	Imports . . .	4,500	206,200
	Exports . . .	43,000	1,470,500
		—38,500	—1,264,300
KISTNA	Imports . . .	3,400	47,474
	Exports . . .	40,700	1,120,107
		—37,300	—1,072,633
NELLORE	Imports . . .	300	26,058
	Exports . . .	3,200	80,904
		—2,900	—54,846
KARNÚL (incomplete)	Imports . . .	6,100	125,500
	Exports . . .	1,200	35,900
		+ 4,900	+ 89,600
BELLARY	Imports . . .	29,700	529,700
	Exports . . .	8,000	138,700
		+ 21,700	+ 391,000
ANANTAPUR (incomplete)	Imports . . .	7,800	124,000
	Exports . . .	4,200	169,800
		+ 3,600	—45,800
CUDDAPAH	Imports . . .	3,200	132,300
	Exports . . .	5,100	105,400
		—1,900	+ 26,900
NORTH ARCOT	Imports . . .	10,800	292,600
	Exports . . .	32,700	609,100
		—21,900	—316,500
CHINGLEPUT	Imports . . .	1,000	27,400
	Exports . . .	10,600	264,600
		—9,600	—237,200
SOUTH ARCOT	Imports . . .	700	97,600
	Exports . . .	37,500	947,700
		—36,800	—850,100

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—concluded.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 28th August 1897.	30th January to 28th August 1897.
MADRAS—contd.			
SALEM	Imports . . .	1,700	37,500
	Exports . . .	28,000 —26,300	427,500 —390,000
COIMBATORE	Imports . . .	24,100	331,900
	Exports . . .	39,000 —14,900	882,200 —550,300
TRICHINOPOLY	Imports . . .	1,148	45,919
	Exports . . .	22,478 —21,330	269,894 —223,975
TANJORE (incomplete)	Imports . . .	8,500	143,100
	Exports . . .	120,700 —112,200	3,568,700 —3,425,600
MADURA	Imports . . .	1,500	91,900
	Exports . . .	26,900 —25,400	577,600 —485,700
TINNEVELLY	Imports . . .	36,900	814,400
	Exports . . .	5,400 + 31,500	706,900 + 107,500
MALABAR	Imports . . .	24,200	1,756,600
	Exports . . .	4,500 + 19,700	381,900 + 1,374,700
SOUTH CANARA	Imports . . .	...	111,020
	Exports . . .	...	624,290 —513,270

J. E. O'CONOR,
Director-General of Statistics.

T. W. HOLDERNESS,
Deputy Secretary to the Government of India.



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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

MILITARY SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 10th September, 1897.

No. 12744-M.—HIS EXCELLENCY THE VICEROY AND GOVERNOR GENERAL will leave Simla on Tuesday, the 9th November 1897, and proceed direct to Burma, visiting Rangoon, Mandalay, Bhamo, Prome, and Moulmein. His Excellency will arrive at Calcutta on or about the 12th December 1897.

By Command,

A. DURAND, *Colonel,*

Military Secretary to the Viceroy.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

PUBLIC.

Simla, the 7th September, 1897.

No. 1831.—His Excellency the Governor General is pleased to add the following Consular Officer to the list of those declared by Home Department Notification No. 672, dated the 30th April 1897, whether permanently or temporarily in office, to have as such the privilege of private entrée to the Government House at Calcutta :

MEDICAL.

The 8th September, 1897.

No. 1038.—The services of Surgeon-Lieutenant W. W. Clemesha, M.B., B.Sc., I.M.S. (Bengal), are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the 7th August 1897.

The 9th September, 1897.

No. 1041.—The services of the undermentioned officers are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Bombay for employment on plague duty, with effect from the dates on which they respectively assumed charge of their duties :

Surgeon-Captain D. J. Collins, M.B., A.M.S.

Surgeon-Lieutenant C. K. Morgan, M.B., A.M.S.

Surgeon-Lieutenant H. A. L. Howell, A.M.S.

Surgeon-Lieutenant E. F. E. Baines, I.M.S.

Surgeon-Lieutenant G. O. F. Sealy, I.M.S.

No. 1044.—The services of Surgeon-Lieutenant J. C. Robertson, M.B., C.M., I.M.S. (Bengal), are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Bombay for employment on plague duty, with effect from the date on which he was relieved of his duties at Sutna.

The 10th September, 1897.

No. 1046.—The services of Surgeon-Lieutenant F. H. Watling, M.B., C.M., I.M.S. (Bengal), are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the 26th August 1897.

No. 1049.—The services of the undermentioned officers are replaced temporarily at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the dates on which they respectively made over charge of their duties under the Government of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh :

Surgeon-Major G. Money-Shewan, M.B., I.M.S. (Bengal).

Surgeon-Captain W. H. E. Woodwright, F.R.C.S.I., I.M.S. (Bengal).

Surgeon-Captain J. K. Close, M.D., I.M.S. (Bengal).

Surgeon-Captain J. M. Crawford, M.B., C.M., I.M.S. (Bengal).

No. 1052.—The services of the undermentioned officers are replaced temporarily at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the dates on which they respectively made over charge of their duties under the Government of Bengal :

Surgeon-Captain J. G. Jordan, M.B., C.M., I.M.S. (Bengal).

Surgeon-Captain F. O'Kinealy, I.M.S. (Bengal).

No. 1055.—The services of Surgeon-Captain H. St. John Fraser, I.M.S. (Madras), are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the date on which he made over charge of his duties in the Central Provinces.

No. 1058.—The services of the undermentioned officers are replaced temporarily at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the dates on which they respectively made over charge of their duties in Assam :

Surgeon-Major G. H. Fink, I.M.S. (Bengal).

Surgeon-Captain E. C. Hare, I.M.S. (Bengal).

No. 1061.—The services of the undermentioned officers are replaced temporarily at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the dates mentioned against their names :

Surgeon-Captain E. Wilkinson, F.R.C.S., I.M.S. (Bengal),—16th August 1897.

Surgeon-Captain G. Y. C. Hunter, I.M.S. (Bengal),—15th August 1897.

No. 1064.—The services of the undermentioned officers are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the dates on which they respectively made over charge of their duties, under the Government of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh:

Surgeon-Captain A. W. Dawson, M.D., I.M.S. (Bengal).
 Surgeon-Captain W. Westropp White, M.D., M.CH., I.M.S. (Bengal).
 Surgeon-Captain B. R. Chatterton, M.D., M.CH., F.R.C.S.I., I.M.S. (Bengal).
 Surgeon-Captain J. Davidson, M.B., C.M., I.M.S. (Bengal).
 Surgeon-Lieutenant C. H. Bensley, I.M.S. (Bengal).
 Surgeon-Lieutenant J. S. Stevenson, I.M.S. (Bengal).

No. 1067.—The services of Surgeon-Major H. E. Deane, A.M.S., are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the 31st July 1897.

No. 1070.—The services of the undermentioned officers are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the dates noted against their names:

Surgeon-Captain J. H. Rivers, A.M.S.,—15th June 1897.
 Surgeon-Captain C. M. Fleury, A.M.S.,—16th June 1897.
 Surgeon-Lieutenant H. A. F. Knapton, I.M.S. (Bombay),—26th August 1897.

SANITARY.

The 9th September, 1897.

No. 2093.—The rules for quarantine against plague at the Ports of Rangoon, Akyab, Moulmein, and Bassein published in Home Department Notification No. 28, dated 14th January 1897, as amended by Notification No. 1679, dated 11th June 1897, and in Home Department Notifications Nos. 248, 324 and 325, dated the 28th January and 5th February 1897, respectively, were withdrawn, with effect from the 24th August, in so far as they relate to vessels arriving from Karachi.

The 10th September, 1897.

No. 2096.—The following draft of a Notification which it is proposed to issue in exercise of the powers conferred by section 58 of the Pilgrim Ships Act, 1895 (XIV of 1895), is published for the information of all persons likely to be affected thereby, and notice is hereby given that the said draft will be taken into consideration by the Governor General in Council on or after the 10th October 1897.

2. Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the draft before the date aforesaid will be considered by the Governor General in Council:

Draft Notification.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 58 of the Pilgrim Ships Act, XIV of 1895, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following rule shall be substituted for Rule 22 of the rules published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Home Department No. 262, dated the 5th October 1895:

22. The upper deck and the between decks of every pilgrim ship shall be either of wood, or of iron or steel sheathed with wood and caulked.

J. P. HEWETT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

FAMINE.

Simla, the 6th September, 1897.

No. 2924—105-56-F.—With reference to Notification No. 911—105-15 (Famine), dated 25th March 1897, the services of Lieutenant E. O'Brien, 30th Regiment of Bombay Infantry (3rd Baluch Battalion), employed on famine duty in the Central Provinces, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the date he is relieved of his present duties.

The 7th September, 1897.

No. 2942—105-58-F.—The services of Lieutenant G. S. F. Broome, 21st Field Battery, Royal Artillery, are placed at the disposal of

the Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces, for famine duty.

FORESTS.

The 8th September, 1897.

No. 871—221-4-F.—Mr. J. A. McKee, Conservator of Forests, 3rd (officiating 2nd) grade, in charge of the Southern Forest Circle, Central Provinces, is granted privilege leave for two months and twenty-eight days, under Articles 277 and 291 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 1st instant.

Mr. W. P. Thomas, Deputy Conservator, 1st grade, Central Provinces, is appointed to officiate as Conservator, 3rd grade, and to be in charge of the Southern Forest Circle, during Mr. McKee's absence, or until further orders.

DENZIL IBBETSON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

INDIAN EMPIRE.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 33-I. E.

Simla, the 10th September, 1897.

The following notifications, which appeared in the *London Gazette*, dated the 6th August, 1897, are republished for general information :

India Office, July 30, 1897.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to nominate and appoint Monsieur Laurent Marie Emile Beauchamp, Governor of the Island of Réunion and its Dependencies, to be an Honorary Companion of the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire.

India Office, July 31, 1897.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to make the following promotion in, and appointments to, the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire :

To be a Knight Grand Commander.

His Highness Sir Waghji, Thakor Saheb of Morvi, K.C.I.E.

To be Companions.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Charles Frederick Gordon, 6th (Prince of Wales's) Regiment of Bengal Cavalry ;

Major Francis Henry Rutherford Drummond, 2nd Regiment of Central India Horse ; and

Rissaldar Major Baha-ud-din Khan, Sardar Bahadur, 1st Regiment of Central India Horse.

(Notification, No. 27-I. E., dated the 26th July, 1897, is cancelled.)

By Order of the Grand Master,

W. J. CUNINGHAM,

Secretary to the Most Eminent

Order of the Indian Empire.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 6th September, 1897.

No. 1350-G.—Mr. W. S. Davis, a Political Assistant of the 3rd (officiating 2nd) Class, is posted, on return from privilege leave, as Assistant Political Agent for Dir and Swat, with effect from the 27th August, 1897.

No. 3084-F.—The services of Surgeon-Captain G. D. Browning, Army Medical Staff, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the date on which he relinquishes charge of his plague duty in Baluchistan.

No. 3385-I. B.—The undermentioned officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Secretary of State for India :

Lieutenant W. C. Scott, Indian Staff Corps, Assistant Inspecting Officer, Punjab Imperial Infantry (medical certificate), for three months.

The 7th September, 1897.

No. 3395-I. A.—With reference to the Notification of the Home Department No. 540 (Medical), dated the 28th May, 1897, the services of Surgeon-Lieutenant N. P. O'G. Lalor, M.B., B.CH., Indian Medical Service (Madras), are

replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the date of his relief by Surgeon-Lieutenant J. A. Black, M.B., C.M., Indian Medical Service (Bengal).

The 9th September, 1897.

No. 1370-G.—The following changes are made in the graded list of the Political Department :

Consequent on the return from privilege leave of Captain F. G. Beville, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 3rd (officiating 1st) Class, and with effect from the 31st July, 1897—

Captain A. D'A. G. Bannerman, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 1st Class, reverts to officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class.

Lieutenant S. G. Knox, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, reverts to officiating Political Assistant of the 3rd Class.

Consequent on the grant of privilege leave to Mr. W. S. Davis, a Political Assistant of the 3rd (officiating 2nd) Class, and with effect from the 7th August, 1897—

Lieutenant S. G. Knox, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 3rd Class, to officiate as a Political Assistant of the 2nd Class.

Consequent on the grant of furlough to Captain J. Ramsay, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Agent of the 3rd (officiating 2nd) Class, and with effect from the 11th August, 1897—

Captain J. R. C. Colvin, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Agent of the 3rd Class, to officiate as a Political Agent of the 2nd Class.

Captain L. Impey, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 1st Class, to officiate as a Political Agent of the 3rd Class.

Captain A. D'A. G. Bannerman, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 3rd (officiating 2nd) Class, to officiate as a Political Assistant of the 1st Class.

Lieutenant A. B. Drummond, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 3rd Class, to officiate as a Political Assistant of the 2nd Class.

Consequent on the transfer of Captain S. H. Godfrey, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 2nd (officiating Political Agent of the 2nd) Class, from Gilgit to Kashmir, and his reversion (hereby ordered) to officiating Political Assistant of the 1st Class, and with effect from the 15th August, 1897—

Captain C. Archer, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Agent of the 3rd Class, to officiate as a Political Agent of the 2nd Class.

Captain M. A. Tighe, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 1st Class, to officiate as a Political Agent of the 3rd Class.

Consequent on the appointment of Major T. C. Pears, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Agent of the 2nd Class, to officiate as a Resident of the 2nd Class, and Resident at Gwalior, and with effect from the 16th August, 1897—

Captain K. D. Erskine, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Agent of the 3rd Class, to officiate as a Political Agent of the 2nd Class.

Captain S. H. Godfrey, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 2nd (officiating 1st) Class, to officiate as a Political Agent of the 3rd Class.

Captain R. B. Berkeley, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 3rd (officiating 2nd) Class, to officiate as a Political Assistant of the 1st Class.

Lieutenant F. B. Prideaux, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 3rd Class, to officiate as a Political Assistant of the 2nd Class.

Consequent on the appointment (hereby ordered) of Lieutenant F. B. Prideaux, Indian Staff Corps, to officiate as a Political Assistant of the 1st Class, and with effect from the 21st August, 1897—

Captain R. B. Berkeley, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 3rd (officiating 1st) Class, reverts to officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class.

Consequent on the return from privilege leave of Mr. W. S. Davis, a Political Assistant of the 3rd (officiating 2nd) Class, and with effect from the 27th August, 1897—

Lieutenant A. B. Drummond, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, reverts to officiating Political Assistant of the 3rd Class.

No. 1371-G.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. C. Findlay, as acting Consular Agent for the United States of America at Rangoon, *vice* Mr. C. Gairdner.

No. 3441-I. B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 4 and 5 of the Foreign Jurisdiction and Extradition Act, 1879 (XXI of 1879), and of all other powers enabling him in this behalf, and in continuation of the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 2803-I. B., dated the 3rd September, 1896, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to apply to the Hyderabad Assigned Districts the provisions of the Glanders and Farcy Act (1879) Amendment Act, 1896.

The 10th September, 1897.

No. 1431-E. A.—The services of Mr. J. G. M. O'Hara, Assistant Engineer, 2nd grade, State Railways, are replaced at the disposal of the Public Works Department, with effect from the 1st October 1897.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 4071.

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

MINT.

Simla, the 11th September, 1897.

In continuation of the Notifications No. 2662, No. 2663, and No. 2664, dated June 26, 1893, the Governor General in Council hereby notifies for public information that, from and after the date of this Notification, sovereigns and half sovereigns of current weight coined at any authorised Royal Mint in England or Australia will be received at the Reserve Treasuries at Calcutta, Madras, and Bombay, and rupees will be issued in exchange therefor, the sovereign and half sovereign being taken as the equivalent of fifteen rupees and of seven rupees eight annas respectively.

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

PUBLIC DEBT.

The 3rd September, 1897.

No. 3957-A.—In pursuance of Rule 22 of the Rules made by the Government of India under Section 14 of the Indian Securities Act XIII of 1886, and published in the *Gazette of India* of the 7th January 1888, page 6, the following list is hereby advertised of Securities lost or destroyed, in respect of which an order has been made for payment of interest pending the issue of a duplicate Security, or for the issue of such duplicate Security. All persons other than the respective claimants named below, who have any claim upon these Securities, should communicate immediately with the Comptroller General, the Treasury, Calcutta.

The list is divided into two parts,—Part A being the list of Securities now advertised for the first time, and Part B the list of Securities previously advertised.

N. B.—Under Section 13 of the said Act, Government will be discharged from all liability in respect of these original Securities after the lapse of six years from (a) the several dates stated against them in the last column of the list, or (b) the last payment of interest on them, whichever date is the later.

No. of the Note and name of Loan.	Value.	In whose name issued.	From what date bearing interest.	Name of claimant for duplicate.	No. and date of Comptroller General's order.	Date of publication under Act XIII of 1886 of which Security was first mentioned.
156397 4% 1842-43	R 500	Deb Nath Sremany	Feb. 1, 1886	Sham Lal Roy, administrator to the estate of Gopal Lal Roy.	2354/D, dated 15-2-97	Sept. 1897.
038066 " 1854-55	2,000	} Uma Churn Ghose	June 30, 1885	Surendra Nath Ghose, Hari Har Ghose, and Monmohini Dasi, administrators to the estate of Uma Churn Ghose.	2395/D, dated 20-2-97	Ditto.
038067 " "	500					
273273 " 1865	1,000	} The Bank of Bengal	May 1, 1890	Mussumut Hosseinee Begum.	2557/D, dated 22-3-97	Ditto.
257741 " "	500					
By. 002242 } Cal. 091472 }	500	The National Bank of India, Ltd.	June 30, 1893	M. X. D'Souza	2555/D, dated 22-3-97	Ditto.
063577 " 1842-43	500	Gopal Chunder Sremany	Aug. 1, 1879	Srimati Monmohini Dasi, certificate holder for the estate of Ram Gopal Khan.	5/D, dated 1-4-97	Ditto.
201701 " "	500	} Krishna Prasanna Ghose, executor to the estate of Akhoy Coomari Dasi.	Feb. 1, 1890	Krishna Prasanna Ghose, executor to the estate of Akhoy Coomari Dasi.	144/D, dated 27-4-97	Ditto.
201702 " "	1,000					
201703 " "	500					
299406 " 1865	500					
294511 " "	1,000	Troylucko Nath Banerjee	Nov. 1, "	Mohendra Nath Sircar.	112/D, dated 27-4-97	Ditto.
018714 " 1842-43	500	Damother Hari Chandrasee.	Feb. 1, 1881	Munshi Navandhrail Dulptra.	347/D, dated 17-6-97	Ditto.
*073587 31% 1865	1,000	Accountant General, Punjab.	May 1, 1894	Judge, Small Cause Court, Delhi.	2398/D, dated 22-6-97	Ditto.
†321444 4% "	5,000	Ashutosh, Mohendra Nath, Sushil Chunder, and Promotho Nath Banerjee, surviving executors of Taramony Dabee.	May 1, 1893	Ashutosh, Mohendra Nath, Sushil Chunder, and Promotho Nath Banerjee, surviving executors of Taramony Dabee.	2448/D, dated 2-3-97	Ditto.
†032661 4½% 1879	1,000	The Bank of Bengal	Sept. 16, 1887	Luximbai, widow of Yesmantrao Gopal Raomural Jambekar.	2601/D, dated 27-3-97	Ditto.
195947 4% 1865	1,000	Commissioner, Salt Revenue, Madras.	Nov. 1, 1890	} C. Chuckerai Chetty.	389/D, dated 29-6-97	Ditto.
109131 " 1842-43	1,000	R. Srinivasa Aingar	Aug. 1, "			
C120432 " "	500	} The Bank of Madras	Feb. 1, "			
C120441 " "	500					

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000055 4% 1828-29	R Sic. 200	Punchanun Bysack	Feb. 13, 1876	Amrita Lal Kar	644/D, dated 13-10-93	Feb. 17, 18
002134 " 1832-33	500	Bykant Nath Mukerjee	Nov. 1, 1882	{ Bykant Nath Mukerjee and Kailas Chunder Mukerjee, administrators to the estate of their father, Fatick Chunder Mukerjee.	1200/D, dated 26-1-91	Aug. 1, 18
009710 " 1835-36	500	Rajnarain Chatterjee	Mar. 31, 1875		1510, dated 13-6-78	Jan. 28, 18

* Immediate issue of a duplicate authorised as a special case.

† Half-notes—Duplicates have been issued.

No. of the Note and name of Loan.	Value.	In whose name issued.	From what date bearing interest.	Name of claimant for duplicate.	No. and date of Comptroller General's order.	Date of publication under Act XIII of 1886 of list in which the Security was first mentioned.
017045 4% 1835-36	R 500	Bykant Nath Mukerjee	Sept. 30, 1882	Bykant Nath Mukerjee and Kailas Chunder Mukerjee, administrators to the estate of their father, Fatick Chunder Mukerjee.	1200 D, dated 26-1-91	Aug. 1, 1891.
16034 " "	500	Chunder Coomar Sen	Mar. 31, 1883	Baroda Churn Sen, administrator to C. C. Sen.	1136 D, dated 15-2-93	Aug. 12, 1893.
025480 " "	4,600	Radhica Churn Nundy	Sept. 30, 1892	Radhica Churn Nundy.	860 D, dated 8-8-96	Mar. 6, 1897
075291 " 1842-43	10,000	Penumatcha Sitaramaraga	Aug. 1, 1877	Penumatcha Sitaramaraga Gara.	6592, dated 27-12-80	Jan. 28, 1888
051414 " "	1,000	Burjorjee Framjee & Co.	Feb. 1, 1878	Administrator General, Bengal, administrator, estate of Raj Chunder Ghose.	13, dated 19-3-87	Ditto.
078549 " "	1,000	Radha Nath Dutt	Feb. 1, 1887	Radha Nath Dutt	358, dated 29-6-91	Aug. 1, 1891.
078550 " "	1,000	Raja Babu Dutt	Ditto	Raja Babu Dutt	D, dated 29-6-91	Aug. 1, 1891.
170948 " "	1,600	Messrs. Arbuthnot & Co.	Ditto	M. La Bouchardiere	493 D, dated 28-7-91	Feb. 20, 1892.
087061 " "	500	Omesh Chunder Dutt	Feb. 1, 1886	Mathura M. Ghose	620 D, dated 1-9-91	Ditto.
001186 " "	500	Fakirjee Manockjee, Davour and Cooverbai.	Feb. 1, 1889	Fakirjee Manockjee, Davour and Cooverbai.	607 D, dated 8-9-92	Feb. 11, 1893
159316 " "	500	The Bank of Bengal	Aug. 1, 1887	Girish Chunder Mookerjee.	621 D, dated 9-9-92	Ditto.
103146 " "	100	Kally Coomar Chowdhry	Ditto			
153774 " "	100	Debnath Sreemany	Ditto	Girish Chunder Mookerjee.	621 D, dated 9-9-92	Ditto.
158481 " "	100					
158484 " "	100	The Bank of Bengal	Feb. 1, 1887	Sreemutty Mokhoda Sundari Dass, executrix to R. N. Dutt.	52 D, dated 20-4-93	Aug. 12, 1893.
171815 " "	100					
171816 " "	100	Protab Chunder Roy Chowdhry, executor of Tarini Churn Dutt.	Aug. 1, 1883	Haradhone Nag	1285 D, dated 27-3-93	Ditto.
037065 " "	1,000					
131311 " "	1,000	The Bank of Bengal	Aug. 1, 1887	Kader Nath Sanyal, executor to D. B. Mudy.	77 D, dated 26-4-93	Ditto.
131313 " "	500					
131314 " "	500	Rajnarain Roy	Feb. 1, 1869	Madam Soobbanah Chetty.	509 D, dated 2-9-93	Feb. 17, 1894.
17877 " "	1,000					
17879 " "	1,000	Ditto	Ditto	Sreemutty Sowdamini Dabee.	646 D, dated 13-10-93	Ditto.
173407 " "	500	The Commissioner of Salt and Abkari Revenue, Madras.	Aug. 1, 1887			
189049 " "	500	Sowdamini Dabee	Aug. 1, 1888	Bissendyal Hurdial.	672 D, dated 31-10-93	Ditto.
087227 " "	1,000	The Bank of Bengal	Feb. 1, 1884	Cowkur Srinivasa Row.	992 D, dated 24-1-94	Oct. 13, 1894.
134612 " "	200					
134613 " "	300	Cowkur Kamalaboy-aminah.	Feb. 1, 1890	Sreemutty Netto Soonderi Dassee.	1196 D, dated 16-3-94	Ditto.
134614 " "	500					
134615 " "	2,800	Brojendra Lal Singha	Ditto	Koylash Chunder Banerjee.	229 D, dated 11-6-94	Ditto.
172220 " "	500					
104999 " "	1,000	Koylash Chunder Banerjee	Ditto	Bonomali Pal	1551 D, dated 22-10-94	Feb. 23, 1895.
095713 " "	500	Ram Lal Sen	Aug. 1, 1890	Sreemutty M. Lukshimoni Dassee.	2090 D, dated 29-12-94	Ditto.
24077 " "	500	Mohaorjee Dhenjee	Feb. 1, 1867	Sreemutty Rashmoney Dassee.	2266 D, dated 18-1-95	Aug. 10, 1895.
170719 " "	500	Rashmoney Dassee	Feb. 1, 1890	Womesh Chundra Mookerjee.	878 D, dated 1-8-95	Feb. 22, 1896.
170720 " "	500					
155453 " "	1,000	The Bank of Bengal	Feb. 1, 1890	Lollit Chand Mitter and Probode Chand Mitter, receivers to the estate of Neemdhone Dassee.	826 D, dated 25-7-95	Ditto.
155530 " "	500					
183550 " "	1,000	Khetter Mohun Bose	Aug. 1, 1889	Monohur Sen	2028 D, dated 7-2-96	Aug. 8, 1896.
075300 " "	100	Kartick Chunder Bural	Feb. 2, 1886	Amrito Lal Bose	130 D, dated 24-4-96	Ditto.
117857 " "	500	Amrito Lal Bose	Aug. 1, 1893	Prosunno Kumar Bhattacharjee.	151 D, dated 29-4-96	Ditto.
117858 " "	1,000					
206861 " "	100	Prosunno Kumar Bhattacharjee.	Feb. 1, 1891	Deenbai	601 D, dated 1-7-96	Mar. 6, 1897.
170518 " "	500	Deenbai	Feb. 1, 1892	Shyama Lal Ganguly	1187 D, dated 25-9-96	Ditto.
198202 " "	500	The Bank of Bengal	Feb. 1, 1894	Sreemutty Kusum Kamini Dabee.	1414 D, dated 30-10-96	Ditto.
159865 " "	1,000	The Bank of Bengal	Feb. 1, 1892	Poolin Behary Pyne.	919 D, dated 17-8-96	Ditto.
165422 " "	500					
202887 " "	500	The Bank of Bengal	Feb. 1, 1892	Sreemutty Shama Sundary Chowdhoo-ary.	13, dated 23-6-82	Jan. 28, 1888.
000478 3 1/2% 1853-54	5,000	Shama Sundary	Feb. 29, 1878			

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Ct. 10299 4% 1854-55	1,000	Administrator General, Bengal.	June 30, 1868.	Sreemutty Bama Sundary Dabee, administratrix to the estate of Tarini Chunder Banerjee.	24, dated 30-10-82.	Jan. 28, 1886
33693 " "	1,000	Abdul Rahman	Dec. 31, 1855.	Musummat Ammeeran, administratrix, estate, Abdul Rahman.	25, dated 5-10-87.	Ditto.
018438 " "	1,000	The Collector of 24-Per-gunnahs.	Dec. 31, 1885.	Bykant Nath Mukerjee.	$\frac{1200}{D}$, dated 26-1-91.	Aug. 1, 189
036975 " "	3,000	Bykan. Nath Mukerjee	Dec. 31, 1887.	Kedar Nath Bhatta-charjee.	$\frac{57}{D}$, dated 21-1-92.	Aug. 13, 18
049509 " "	500	Kader Nath Bhattacharjee, administrator of Pro-sannomoyee Dabee.	Dec. 31, 1888.	The Union Bank of London, Ltd.	$\frac{109}{D}$, dated 26-5-92.	Ditto.
051711 " "	1,000	W. W. Bell and the Rev. J. S. S. Robertson.	June 30, 1887.	Hurry Pado Bando-padhyia and Shama Pado Bandopadhyia.	$\frac{706}{D}$, dated 24-9-92.	Feb. 11, 189
039035 " "	1,000	Hurry Pado Banerjee and Shama Pado Banerjee.	Dec. 31, 1885.	Baroda Churn Sen, administrator to C. C. Sen.	$\frac{1136}{D}$, dated 15-2-93.	Aug. 12, 18
7612 " "	1,000	Prosunno Coomar Sen.	Dec. 31, 1876.	Poresh Nath Mookerjee.	$\frac{941}{D}$, dated 9-1-94.	Oct. 13, 189
7615 " "	500	Parbutty Churn Mookerjee.	June 30, 1889.	S. Appu Row	$\frac{1169}{D}$, dated 13-3-94.	Ditto.
055895 " "	1,700	S. Appu Row	Dec. 31, 1885.	Nemy Churn Dey	$\frac{308}{D}$, dated 6-7-94.	Ditto.
055896 " "	1,300	Nemy Churn Dey	Dec. 31, 1889.	Vurjeevandoss	$\frac{1903}{D}$, dated 15-1-96.	Aug. 8, 189
051998 " "	500	Madhowdoss	Dec. 31, 1892.	Atmaram Balcrustna Kirtikar.	$\frac{446}{D}$, dated 3-6-96.	Ditto.
052081 " "	500	Nanabhoy Balcrustnaji	Dec. 31, 1891.	Pooln Behary Pyne	$\frac{919}{D}$, dated 17-8-96.	Mar. 6, 1899
062340 " "	5,000	The Bank of Bengal	Dec. 31, 1882.	Gunga Prosunna Mukerjee.	$\frac{1923}{D}$, dated 16-12-96.	Ditto.
062341 " "	5,000	Obhoy Charn Roy	May 1, 1868.	Sreemutty Bama Sundary Dabee, administratrix to the estate of Tarini Churn Banerjee.	24, dated 30-10-82.	Jan. 28, 1886
071604 " "	500	Tara Prosunna Mukerjee	May 1, 1876.	Chuna Lal	31, dated 29-12-82.	Ditto.
5256 " 1865	500	E. E. Petrocochino & Co.	Nov. 1, 1877.	Administrator General, Bengal, administrator, estate of Raj Chunder Ghose.	13, dated 19-3-87.	Ditto.
000208 " "	500	Kartick Chundra Bural	Nov. 1, 1878.	Bunkoo Lall Dhur	17, dated 26-4-87.	Ditto.
048219 " "	500	Mooltan Chand	Nov. 1, 1882.	Mrs. Maria de Vizi-tacao E. Souza.	$\frac{1640}{D}$, dated 13-3-89.	July 27, 188
048219 " "	500	Luchmee Chand Radha Kissen.	Nov. 1, 1884.	Miss F. M. Temple-ton.	$\frac{584}{D}$, dated 19-7-89.	Jan. 25, 189
105488 " "	500	Deb Nath Sreemany	May 1, 1886.	T. Luchman Pillai	$\frac{1473}{D}$, dated 25-3-90.	Aug. 2, 1899
163257 " "	500	Kanye Lall Sen	Nov. 1, 1886.	Koylash Chunder Sircar.	$\frac{747}{D}$, dated 29-9-90.	Jan. 31, 189
193015 " "	500	The Bank of Bengal	Nov. 1, 1888.	Girisa Chandra Bisvas.	$\frac{171}{D}$, dated 18-5-91.	Aug. 1, 1899
191278 " "	500	Omar Chand Pal	Nov. 1, 1888.	Sreemutty Tripoora Dassee.	$\frac{291}{D}$, dated 18-6-91.	Ditto.
128853 " "	500	Deb Nath Sreemany	May 1, 1887.	Sreemutty Huro Soondary Dassee.	$\frac{360}{D}$, dated 29-6-91.	Ditto.
227104 " "	1,000	Girisa Chandra Bisvas	Nov. 1, 1886.	Dhunjeebhoy Merwanjee Jejeebhoy and Peroshaw Merwanjee Jejeebhoy.	$\frac{481}{D}$, dated 27-7-91.	Feb. 20, 189
227105 " "	1,000	The Bank of Bengal	May 1, 1888.	Pundit Kanhya Lall	$\frac{548}{D}$, dated 12-8-91.	Ditto.
227106 " "	1,000	Deb Nath Sreemany	May 1, 1887.	T. R. Stokoe	$\frac{737}{D}$, dated 3-10-91.	Ditto.
227107 " "	1,000	Rai Dhunput Singh Bahadur.	May 1, 1886.	Bhoobanesh Chuck-erbutty.	$\frac{949}{D}$, dated 15-12-91.	Ditto.
234771 " "	1,000	Madhubun Dass Dwar-ka Dass.	May 1, 1887.	Gones Dass	$\frac{974}{D}$, dated 18-12-91.	Ditto.
234772 " "	1,000	Bolaki Dass	May 1, 1876.	Bolaki Dass	$\frac{975}{D}$, dated 18-12-91.	Ditto.
234773 " "	1,000	Abhoy Churn Guho	Nov. 1, 1881.	Sreemutty Soshee Mookhee Debya, administratrix of Seetul Nath Mookerjee.	$\frac{1102}{D}$, dated 27-1-92.	Aug. 13, 189
150770 " "	500	The Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China.				

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221373 4% 1865	R 500	Surendro Nath Banerjee.	May 1, 1886.	{ Surendro Nath Banerjee.	1296 D, dated 19-3-92.	Aug. 13, 1892.
209883 " "	500	The Bank of Bengal.	Nov. 1, 1888.	{ Umbica Churn Banerjee.	226 D, dated 1-6-92.	Ditto.
259379 " "	1,000	Umbica Churn Banerjee.				
242257 " "	500	The Bank of Bengal.	May 1, 1887.	{ Grish Chunder Mukerjee.	621 D, dated 9-9-92.	Feb. 11, 1893.
221180 " "	100	{ Omrito Lall Sen.				
221181 " "	100					
238858 " "	500	D-b Nath Sreemany.	Nov. 1, 1889.	{ Russick Lall Dutt.	900 D, dated 29-11-92.	Ditto.
188252 " "	500	Kheromoney Dassee.	Ditto.	{ Sreemutty Kheromoney Dassee.		
160426 " "	1,000	The Bank of Bengal.	Nov. 1, 1888.	{ Sreemutty Kheroda Dabee.	985 D, dated 31-12-92.	Ditto.
205964 " "	1,000	The Comptroller General.	Ditto.	{ Manohar Lal.	987 D, dated 31-12-92.	Ditto.
277803 " "	600	The Bank of Bengal.				
214004 " "	500	{ Ram Durga.				
111657 " "	500					
102108 " "	500		Nov. 1, 1885.	{ Sreemutty Ram Durga Dassee.	1193 D, dated 3-3-93.	Aug. 12, 1893.
102109 " "	500	{ The Bank of Bengal.				
102110 " "	500					
102111 " "	500					
165443 " "	500	Bapoojee Morojee.	May 1, 1889.	Maneckbai.	12 D, dated 6-4-93.	Ditto.
256779 " "	100	{ The Bank of Bengal.	Nov. 1, 1887.	{ Surendro Nath Mukerjee.	27 D, dated 11-4-93.	Ditto.
256780 " "	100					
256781 " "	100					
189684 " "	1,000		Ditto.	Haradhane Nag.	1285 D, dated 27-3-93.	Ditto.
190072 " "	1,000	{ Ditto.				
190073 " "	1,000					
226942 " "	1,000					
006909 " "	500	Radha Nath Chatterji.	May 1, 1876.	Bissendyal Hurdial.	672 D, dated 31-10-93.	Feb. 17, 1894.
229064 " "	100	The Agra Bank, Limited.	Nov. 1, 1886.	Rustomjee Framjee Wadia.	574 D, dated 21-9-93.	Ditto.
277723 " "	500	The Bank of Bengal.	Ditto.	Kumud Behary Samanta.	1162 D, dated 10-3-94.	Oct. 13, 1894.
205875 " "	1,000	Ditto.	May 1, 1891.	Sreemutty Souraviny Dassee.	1302 D, dated 25-9-94.	Feb. 23, 1895.
232068 " "	500	{ Agra Bank, Limited.	May 1, 1887.	{ Admr. Genl., Bombay.	1366 D, dated 27-9-94.	Ditto.
232069 " "	500					
150555 " "	5,000	Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China.	Nov. 1, 1889.	Moung Shwe Boo.	1081 D, dated 4-12-94.	Ditto.
3003368 } " "	1,000	{ The Accountant General, Bombay.	May 1, 1890.	S. Rangasami Aiyar.	2233 D, dated 16-1-95.	Aug. 10, 1895.
1301944 } " "						
235979 " "	500	{ Kumud Kaminy Dassee.				
235978 " "	500					
235977 " "	500		May 1, 1891.	Sreemutty Kumud Kamini Dassee.	2268 D, dated 18-1-95.	Ditto.
235991 " "	500					
220245 " "	500	Tarini Churn Ghose.				
206706 " "	500	Comptroller General.				
163493 " "	500	Ranjilban Ghosh.	May 1, 1871.	Hurry Churn Sett, administrator to the estate of Amrito K. Dassee.	42 D, dated 5-4-95.	Ditto.
037562 " "	500	The Bank of Bengal.				
191030 " "	1,000	{ Ditto.	Nov. 1, 1891.	Huzaree Loll Moodialli.	980 D, dated 14-8-95.	Feb. 22, 1895.
191031 " "	1,000					
325177 " "	1,000					
325178 " "	1,000	{ Ditto.	May 1, 1892.	Rama Shunker Misra.	1694 D, dated 7-12-95.	Ditto.
325179 " "	1,000					
325180 " "	1,000					
325181 " "	1,000					
306355 " "	1,000	Ganoda Debi.	Nov. 1, 1890.	{ Sreemutty Ganoda Dabee.	1960 D, dated 24-1-96.	Aug. 8, 1896.
321307 " "	2,500	Shamapado Sreemany.	May 1, 1892.			
299592 " "	500	Debnath Sreemany.	May 1, 1890.			
158005 " "	1,000	Amrito Lal Bose.	Aug. 1, 1893.	Amrito Lal Bose.	130 D, dated 24-4-96.	Ditto.
281383 " "	500	The Bank of Bengal.	Nov. 1, 1893.	Shyama Lal Ganguly.	1187 D, dated 25-9-96.	Mar. 6, 1897.
219907 " "	500	{ Ohick Ch. Chuckerbutty.				
219908 " "	500		Nov. 1, 1892.	Sreemutty Mokshada Dabee.	1219 D, dated 30-9-96.	Ditto.
332563 " "	500	Mokshada Dabee, admx of Ohick Ch. Chuckerbutty.				
264758 " "	500	The Bank of Bombay.	May 1, 1892.	Vinayak Chintamon Joglekar.	673 D, dated 7-7-96.	Ditto.
015116 4 1/2% 1878	1,000	Nandi Bai, administratrix of Thakoor Pershad.	Sept. 15, 1887.	Siddessur Bose.	566 D, dated 12-8-91.	Feb. 20, 1892.
015120 " "	100	Mangesh Shabaram.	Sept. 15, 1888.	Cowasjee Byramjee.	242 D, dated 12-6-93.	Aug. 12, 1893.
015282 " "	1,500	V. N. Gopaulinga.	Ditto.	Papannah.	1113 D, dated 18-9-96.	Mar. 6, 1897.
023973R 4% 1879	5,000	Beethal Pershad.	July 16, 1873.	Mussummat Laitmina, administratrix, estate of Beethal Pershad.	2305, dated 27-7-77.	Jan. 28, 1888.
208776 " "	500	Bunsi Lal Abeerchand.	July 16, 1874.	P. Durgachellum Modelier.	1, dated 8-2-82.	Ditto.
055431 " "	500	Executive Commissariat Officer, Sialkot.	Jan. 16, 1876.	Bhogaon Dass.	29, dated 15-12-87.	Ditto.
034705 " "	1,000	Kanhya Lal Pundit.	July 16, 1888.	Pundit Kanhya Lal.	548 D, dated 12-8-91.	Feb. 20, 1892.
056857 " "	5,000	Ram Lal Budreedas.	July 16, 1876.	Gones Dass.	974 D, dated 18-12-91.	Ditto.

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060886 L 4% 1879	500	The Bank of Bengal	Jan. 16, 1885	Sashipodo Bando- padya, guardian of Sreemutty Sukhtra Bando-padhyas.	$\frac{1265}{D}$, dated 7-3-92	Aug. 13, 1892
062887 " "	500	Mohomedbhoy Rowj Labai and Ibrahimbhoy Mohomedbhoy.	July 16, 1887	Atmaram Damodhor	$\frac{344}{D}$, dated 25-7-92	Feb. 11, 1892
A032274 " "	100	Balchand Tarachand	Jan. 16, 1886	Rustomjee Framjee Wadia.	$\frac{574}{D}$, dated 21-9-93	Feb. 17, 1892
A032275 " "	100	The Bank of Bengal	Jan. 16, 1890	Gopal Ch. Gooptu	$\frac{755}{D}$, dated 17-11-93	Ditto.
A027214 " "	1,000	Ditto	July 16, 1882	T. Rethinasami Na- dar.	$\frac{862}{D}$, dated 13-8-94	Feb. 23, 1892
A017810 " "	10,000	Ramungalu Chetty	Jan. 16, 1888	Fathay Chand Go- lacha.	$\frac{2116}{D}$, dated 3-1-95	Aug. 10, 1892
A020023 " "	1,000	Rev. Dr. J. M. Strachan	July 16, 1883	Sreemutty Surno- moyee Dabee.	$\frac{1664}{D}$, dated 25-11-96	Mar. 6, 1897
A020024 " "	1,000	The Bank of Madras	July 16, 1883	Gunga Prosunna Mukerjee.	$\frac{1923}{D}$, dated 16-12-96	Ditto.
A023717 " "	1,000	Promotho Nath Bose	Jan. 16, 1883	Soonabai and Curset- bai.	$\frac{952}{D}$, dated 7-3-84	Aug. 10, 1892
A028378 " "	500	Tara Prosonno Mukerjee	Mar. 15, 1882	D. F. Lobo	$\frac{1303}{D}$, dated 19-2-91	Aug. 1, 1892
006517 " "	500	The Bank of Bombay	Mar. 15, 1888	Siddessur Bose	$\frac{546}{D}$, dated 12-8-91	Feb. 20, 1892
037271 4½ " "	500	D. F. Lobo	Mar. 15, 1885	Cowasjee Byramjee	$\frac{242}{D}$, dated 12-6-93	Aug. 12, 1892
027256 " "	1,000	Major E. B. Corbyn	Mar. 15, 1889	B. Wiggin, adminis- trator of Mrs. J. E. Wiggin.	$\frac{1212}{D}$, dated 8-3-93	Ditto.
060173 " "	500	Dhurmsey Naronjee	Mar. 15, 1887	Ahmed Hossein	$\frac{724}{D}$, dated 13-11-93	Feb. 17, 1892
089547 " "	100	Cowasjee Byramjee and Maneckjee Marwanjee	Mar. 15, 1888	Mr. E. H. Hearn and Mrs. Mary H. H. Hearn.	$\frac{1263}{D}$, dated 22-9-94	Feb. 23, 1892
089548 " "	100	The Comptoir D'Escompte de Paris.	Mar. 15, 1887	Mrs. Sarah Walker Stevenson.	$\frac{2286}{D}$, dated 13-3-96	Aug. 8, 1896
089549 " "	100	The Bank of Bengal	Mar. 15, 1889	F. J. Gonsalves	$\frac{1424}{D}$, dated 29-10-95	Feb. 22, 1896
089550 " "	100	Ditto	Sept. 15, 1887	Dosibai	$\frac{1330}{D}$, dated 24-10-96	Ditto.
089551 " "	100	Wm. Watson & Co.	Sept. 15, 1887	Collector of Cawn- pore.	$\frac{760}{D}$, dated 18-8-94	Feb. 23, 1892
089552 " "	100	Sarah Walker Stevenson	Sept. 15, 1888	Gopika Bai, manager of Mandir Vitul Rookhmai of Ramtek.	11, dated 15-2-87	Jan. 28, 1888
049181 " "	1,000	The Bank of Madras	Sept. 15, 1888	Hem Nath Sen	$\frac{517}{D}$, dated 13-8-92	Feb. 11, 1892
073556 " "	500	The Bank of Bengal	Mar. 15, 1889	Goormukh Singh	$\frac{1921}{D}$, dated 7-12-94	Feb. 23, 1892
072756 " "	500	Ditto	Sept. 15, 1887	The National Bank of India, Limited.	$\frac{266}{D}$, dated 4-5-95	Aug. 10, 1892
079105 " "	500	Wm. Watson & Co.	Sept. 15, 1887	Executive Engineer, Coimbatore Divi- sion.	$\frac{1556}{D}$, dated 21-11-95	Feb. 22, 1896
082145 " "	100	Sarah Walker Stevenson	Sept. 15, 1888	Mritonjoy Mukerjee	$\frac{432}{D}$, dated 2-6-96	Aug. 8, 1896
082146 " "	100	The Bank of Madras	Sept. 15, 1888	L. B. Simeon	$\frac{11}{D}$, dated 2-4-95	Aug. 10, 1892
082147 " "	100	The Bank of Bengal	Mar. 15, 1884	Ghunesham Mitter	$\frac{1130}{D}$, dated 21-9-96	Mar. 6, 1897
082148 " "	100	Choubay Sadhari Lall	June 30, 1880	Tripasore Sashagererow	$\frac{542}{D}$, dated 21-1-86	Feb. 20, 1892
082149 " "	100	Gopika Bai, manager of Mandir Vitul Rookhmai of Ramtek.	Mar. 16, 1883	Kedar Nath Sanyal, executor to D. B. Mudy.	$\frac{324}{D}$, dated 13-7-93	Aug. 12, 1892
063548 " "	2,500	The Bank of Bengal	Mar. 15, 1889	Shapurjee Jehangir- jee.	$\frac{672}{D}$, dated 6-7-95	Feb. 22, 1896
M000124 " "	500	The Bank of Madras	Sept. 15, 1888	Chunder Kissore Sen	$\frac{735}{D}$, dated 3-10-91	Feb. 20, 1892
Cal.086685 " "	300	The Bank of Bengal	Mar. 15, 1884	Manshanker Vija- shanker.	$\frac{93}{D}$, dated 2-5-92	Aug. 13, 1892
087335 " "	500	Choubay Sadhari Lall	June 30, 1880	Collector of Cawn- pore.		
043016 4½% 1879	500	Gopika Bai, manager of Mandir Vitul Rookhmai of Ramtek.	Mar. 16, 1883	Gopika Bai, Manager of Mandir Vitul Rookhmai of Ramtek.	11, dated 15-2-87	Jan. 28, 1888
000256 4% Cawn- pore-Farruckabad Railway debenture Non-transferable Treasury Note.	1,000	Choubay Sadhari Lall	June 30, 1880	Collector of Cawn- pore.		
000062 5%	500	Gopika Bai, manager of Mandir Vitul Rookhmai of Ramtek.	Mar. 16, 1883	Gopika Bai, Manager of Mandir Vitul Rookhmai of Ramtek.	11, dated 15-2-87	Jan. 28, 1888
†190586 4% 1842-43	100	The Bank of Bengal	Aug. 1, 1889	Hem Nath Sen	$\frac{517}{D}$, dated 13-8-92	Feb. 11, 1892
†190587 " "	100	The Bank of Bengal	Aug. 1, 1889	Goormukh Singh	$\frac{1921}{D}$, dated 7-12-94	Feb. 23, 1892
†190588 " "	100	The Bank of Bengal	Aug. 1, 1889	Goormukh Singh	$\frac{1921}{D}$, dated 7-12-94	Feb. 23, 1892
†190589 " "	100	The Bank of Bengal	Aug. 1, 1889	Goormukh Singh	$\frac{1921}{D}$, dated 7-12-94	Feb. 23, 1892
†188573 " "	500	Goormukh Singh	Aug. 1, 1888	Goormukh Singh	$\frac{1921}{D}$, dated 7-12-94	Feb. 23, 1892
†196711 " "	800	The Bank of Madras	Feb. 1, 1893	The National Bank of India, Limited.	$\frac{266}{D}$, dated 4-5-95	Aug. 10, 1892
*131670 " "	1,000	The Bank of Bengal	Aug. 1, 1885	Executive Engineer, Coimbatore Divi- sion.	$\frac{1556}{D}$, dated 21-11-95	Feb. 22, 1896
*151922 " "	1,000	Gopal Chunder Dutta	Aug. 1, 1885	Mritonjoy Mukerjee	$\frac{432}{D}$, dated 2-6-96	Aug. 8, 1896
†097461 " 1854-55	10,000	The Allahabad Bank, Limited.	Dec. 31, 1893	L. B. Simeon	$\frac{11}{D}$, dated 2-4-95	Aug. 10, 1892
†039431 " "	500	Ghunesham Mitter	June 30, 1883	Ghunesham Mitter	$\frac{1130}{D}$, dated 21-9-96	Mar. 6, 1897
*Ct.6979 5½% 1859-60	3,500	Tripasore Sashagererow	May 31, 1871	Tripasore Sashagererow	$\frac{542}{D}$, dated 21-1-86	Feb. 20, 1892
*20311 " "	1,000	W. D. H. Oehme	Nov. 30, 1868	Kedar Nath Sanyal, executor to D. B. Mudy.	$\frac{324}{D}$, dated 13-7-93	Aug. 12, 1892
*20312 " "	1,000	W. D. H. Oehme	Nov. 30, 1868	Kedar Nath Sanyal, executor to D. B. Mudy.	$\frac{324}{D}$, dated 13-7-93	Aug. 12, 1892
*033633 " "	1,000	The New Bank of Bom- bay, Limited.	Nov. 30, 1876	Shapurjee Jehangir- jee.	$\frac{672}{D}$, dated 6-7-95	Feb. 22, 1896
†129049 4% 1865	800	Binod Lall Sen	May 1, 1889	Chunder Kissore Sen	$\frac{735}{D}$, dated 3-10-91	Feb. 20, 1892
*088800 " "	5,000	Dr. John Ince	May 1, 1888	Manshanker Vija- shanker.	$\frac{93}{D}$, dated 2-5-92	Aug. 13, 1892

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†205028 4% 1865	500	The Agra Bank, Limited	} May 1, 1891	Mrs Louisa Woodward.	$\frac{222}{D}$, dated 6-6-93	Aug. 12, 1893.			
†239875 " "	1,500	Bhubonesh Chakravarti .							
B147680 " "	800	The Administrator General, Bengal.	} Nov. 1, 1891	The Alliance Bank of Simla, Limited.	$\frac{264}{D}$, dated 20-6-93	Ditto.			
†213118 " "	1,000	The Bank of Bengal .							
†275886 " "	1,000	John A. Stowell .	Nov. 1, 1890	Ahmed Hosein .	$\frac{724}{D}$, dated 13-11-93	Feb. 17, 1894.			
†282915 " "	1,000								
†296587 " "	1,000	The Bank of Bombay .	May 1, 1889						
†172391 " "	1,000								
†257559 " "	300	The Accountant General, High Court, Madras.	} Nov. 1, 1888	A. D. Souza Barrett .	$\frac{997}{D}$, dated 24-1-94	Oct. 13, 1894.			
†268463 " "	500	The Bank of Madras .							
†268464 " "	500	The Bank of Bengal .	May 1, 1893	Judge of Burdwan	$\frac{132}{D}$, dated 12-5-94	Ditto.			
†332766 " "	500								
B135450 " "	5,000	The National Bank of India, Limited.	Nov. 1, 1889	(Inderjee Makanjee . (Nichabhai Fouzdar	$\frac{1251}{D}$, dated 22-9-94	Feb. 23, 1895.			
†147021 " "	500	Bunsee Dhyr	May 1, 1894	The Bank of Bengal .	$\frac{2650}{D}$, dated 13-3-95	Aug. 10, 1895.			
†210155 " "	1,000	} King, Hamilton & Co.,	May 1, 1893	The Alliance Bank of Simla, Limited.	$\frac{157}{D}$, dated 22-4-95	Ditto.			
†209218 " "	1,500								
*344705 " "	500	Ekkari D., certificate holder in the estate of Rambullov De.	} May 1, 1894	The Bank of Bengal .	$\frac{250}{D}$, dated 4-5-95	Ditto.			
†194443 " "	1,000	Bank of Bengal . . .							
			Ditto	Radha Madhub Goswamee.	$\frac{1157}{D}$, dated 9-9-95	Feb. 22, 1896.			
†356990 " "	1,500	} The Bank of Bengal .	May 1, 1894	Executive Engineer, Agra Division.	$\frac{1402}{D}$, dated 30-10-96	Mar. 6, 1897.			
†356999 " "	1,500								
029771 " "	500	Surbessur Mitter . . .	Ditto	Surbessur	$\frac{530}{D}$, dated 7-8-91	Feb. 20, 1892.			
016221 " "	1,000	Chocnee Lall Nanchund .	Jan. 16, 1889	Ahmed Hosein .	$\frac{724}{D}$, dated 13-11-93	Feb. 17, 1894.			
014138 " "	1,000	The Alliance Bank of Simla, Limited.	Ditto	(Inderjee Makanjee . (Nichabhai Fouzdar	$\frac{1261}{D}$, dated 23-9-94	Feb. 23, 1895.			
026951 " "	1,000	Salum Meenatchu . . .	July 16, 1892	Srikakolapu Venkataratnam.	$\frac{785}{D}$, dated 24-7-95	Mar. 6, 1897.			
010934 " "	1,000	The Joint Admrs. of the Gondal State.	July 16, 1880	P. Sevapatha Modr .	$\frac{671}{D}$, dated 7-7-95	Ditto.			
001593 4½% 1879	500	Jugobundho Chatterjee .	Sept. 15, 1888	Post Master General of N.-W. P.	$\frac{1302}{D}$, dated 21-3-92	Aug. 13, 1892.			
071224 " "	500	The Bank of Bengal . .	Mar. 15, 1889	Ahmed Hosein .	$\frac{724}{D}$, dated 13-11-93	Feb. 17, 1894.			
029045 3½% 1865	100	} Jogendra Nath Ghose .	May 1, 1895	} Bank of Bengal, Calcutta.	$\frac{940}{D}$, dated 20-8-96	Mar. 6, 1897.			
029046 " "	100								
009951 " 1893-94	2,000	Thorma Pada Sreemany .	} Dec 31, 1894						
020112 " "	100	H. W. Barber							
020113 " "	100								

† Duplicates of these notes have been issued.

† Half-notes—Duplicates have been issued.

‡ Mutilated notes—Duplicates have been issued.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

The 9th September, 1897.

No. 4069-Gl.—Mr. C. W. Sandford, Chief Superintendent in the Office of the Accountant General, Bengal, was employed on special duty under the Government of Bengal from the 4th March to the 6th April 1897 and from the 20th April to the 31st August 1897, both days inclusive.

J. F. FINLAY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 10th September, 1897.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 1005.—The following appointments are made, with effect from the dates on which the officers assume their duties:

Lieutenant A. Grant-Duff, Royal Highlanders, and Captain A. Pressey, 4th Bengal Infan-

try, to be commandants of the Depôts of British and Native Troops, respectively, at Peshawar.

ARMY STAFF.

No. 1006.—Captain H. V. Bailey, 5th Lancers, to be a Station Staff Officer, 1st class, in the Bengal Command, *vice* Captain H. R. B. Donne, appointed a Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General on the establishment. Dated 6th July 1897.

No. 1007.—Captain H. C. Frith, 1st Battalion, Somersetshire Light Infantry, to be Station Staff Officer, 1st class, in the Punjab Command, *vice* Captain S. C. F. Jackson, appointed Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Head Quarters, Bombay Command. Dated 28th July 1897.

No. 1008.—Captain R. Fanshawe, Oxfordshire Light Infantry, Station Staff Officer, 2nd class, Bareilly, to officiate as Station Staff Officer, 1st class, and to act as Staff Officer to Colonel E. H. Wilson, C.B., Commanding Peshawar. Dated 13th August 1897.

No. 1009.—The following appointments are made, with effect from the dates on which the officers assume their duties :

Colonel W. J. Vousden, V.C., Colonel on the Staff and Base Commandant at Edwardesabad, to be Colonel on the Staff and Base Commandant at Kohat.

Lieutenant-Colonel V. C. Tonnochy, Commandant, 3rd Regiment of Sikh Infantry, to be Colonel on the Staff and Base Commandant, Tochi Field Force, at Edwardesabad, *vice* Colonel Vousden.

Major A. J. W. Allen, East Kent Regiment, Station Staff Officer, 1st class, Edwardesabad, to be Station Staff Officer, 1st class, at Kohat.

Captain F. St. D. Skinner, Royal Sussex Regiment, to be Station Staff Officer, 1st class, Edwardesabad, *vice* Major Allen.

DISTRICT STAFF.

No. 1010.—Brevet-Colonel A. W. Jamieson, Indian Staff Corps, Commandant, 7th (The Duke of Connaught's Own) Regiment of Bengal Infantry, to officiate in Command of a second class district in India, with the temporary rank of Brigadier-General while so employed, *vice* Major-General A. G. Yeatman-Biggs, C.B., appointed to command the 3rd Reserve Brigade. Dated 18th August 1897.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1011.—Surgeon-Major H. St. C. Carruthers, Indian Medical Service, Madras Establishment, officiating Medical Storekeeper, Madras Command, is confirmed in that appointment, with effect from 6th July 1897, *vice* Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel S. L. Dobie, retired.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 1012.—The undermentioned officers are admitted to the Indian Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India :

Lieutenant Edward Herbert Sweet, Royal Irish Regiment, officiating wing officer, 2nd Battalion, 2nd Gurkha Rifles,—10th July 1896.

Lieutenant William Horsburgh Lane, The Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment), officiating wing officer, 5th Regiment of Madras Infantry,—18th August 1897.

STATION STAFF.

No. 1013.—Colonel E. H. Wilson, C.B., Indian Staff Corps, Commandant, 34th (Punjab) Regiment of Bengal Infantry (Pioneers), to be Colonel on the Staff (temporary), Peshawar. Dated 12th August 1897.

FIELD OPERATIONS.

MALAKAND.

No. 1014.—The following appointments are made, with effect from the dates on which the officers assume their duties :

Captain H. d'E. Vallancey, 2nd Battalion, Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, and Captain R. R. Renton, 18th Regiment of Bengal Infantry, to be Commandants of the Depôts of British and Native Troops, respectively, at Nowshera.

MOHMAND.

No. 1015.—The Governor-General in Council sanctions the despatch of a force as detailed below, to be styled the Mohmand Field Force, to move into the Mohmand country from Shabkadr and co-operate with a force under the command of Major-General Sir B. Blood, K.C.B.

2. The force will be composed as follows :

1st Brigade.

1st Battalion (The Prince Albert's) Somersetshire Light Infantry.

20th (Punjab) Regiment of Bengal Infantry.

2nd Battalion, 1st Gurkha (Rifle) Regiment.

Sections A and B, No. 5 British Field Hospital.

No. 31 Native Field Hospital.

2nd Brigade.

2nd Battalion, The Oxfordshire Light Infantry.

9th Gurkha (Rifle) Regiment of Bengal Infantry.

*37th (Dogra) Regiment of Bengal Infantry (6 companies).

Sections C and D, No. 5 British Field Hospital.

No. 44 Native Field Hospital.

Divisional Troops.

13th (The Duke of Connaught's) Regiment of Bengal Lancers.

No. 3 Mountain Battery, Royal Artillery.

No. 5 (Bombay) Mountain Battery.

28th Regiment of Bombay Infantry (Pioneers).

No. 5 Company, Bengal Sappers and Miners.

1st Patiala Infantry (Imperial Service Troops).

Detachment, 16th Lancers, with a maxim gun.

* The detachments of the 37th Dogras at Michni and Abazai will be relieved under arrangements to be made by the General Officer Commanding, Peshawar District.

Detachment, 1st Battalion, The Devonshire Regiment, with 2 maxim guns.

Sections C and D, No. 63 and Section A, No. 45 Native Field Hospitals.

The abovementioned troops will move on the field service scale of strength, establishments, etc., as laid down in the Field Service Equipment Tables for the different branches, except that the number of British officers with regiments of Native Cavalry and Native Infantry will not be increased above the peace establishment.

Depôts will be formed as laid down in the "Mobilisation Measures" in the Field Service Equipment Tables. Depôts of Native Infantry will be on Scale B.

3. Concentration of Force.—The corps and units detailed for this force are already in the Peshawar District, and will march from thence under the orders of the General Officer Commanding the Force.

The Staff and Departments of the Force will be directed to assemble at Peshawar.

Shabkadr will be the base of operations, but will remain in the Punjab Command.

4. Commands and Staff.

General Officer Commanding the Force (with the local rank of Major-General), Brigadier-General E. R. Elles, C.B.

Aide-de-Camp, Lieutenant M. R. Elles, R.E.

Orderly Officer, Captain K. MacLaren, XIII Hussars.

Extra Orderly Officer, Captain R. E. Grimston, 6th Bengal Cavalry.

Assistant Adjutant-General, Major C. L. Woolcombe, 2nd Battalion, King's Own Scottish Borderers.

Assistant Quarter Master General, Major G. H. W. O'Sullivan, R.E.

Deputy Assistant Quarter Master General (Intelligence), Captain F. A. Houghton, 1st Bombay Grenadiers.

Field Intelligence Officer, Lieutenant C. E. Macquoid, 1st Lancers, Hyderabad Contingent.

Commanding Royal Artillery, Lieutenant-Colonel A. E. Duthy, R.A.

Adjutant, Royal Artillery, Captain W. MacLeod, R.A.

Field Engineer, Captain F. H. Kelly, R.E.

Assistant Field Engineer, Lieutenant W. A. Stokes, R.E.

Assistant Field Engineer, Lieutenant C. B. L. Greenstreet, R.E.

Principal Medical Officer, Surgeon-Colonel E. Thompson, A.M.S.

Superintendent, Army Signalling, Captain G. C. Rigby, 1st Battalion, Wiltshire Regiment.

Provost Marshal, Major P. Massy, 19th Bengal Lancers.

Field Treasure Chest Officer, Lieutenant W. M. Grimley, 20th Punjab Infantry.

Chaplain _____

Senior Veterinary Officer and Veterinary Inspector, Veterinary-Captain F. W. Forsdyke, A.V.D.

Chief Commissariat Officer, Captain G. Westropp, Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd class.

Assistant to Chief Commissariat Officer, Captain G. R. C. Stuart, 1st Battalion, East Lancashire Regiment.

Divisional Transport Officer, Captain F. A. Rideout, Assistant Commissary-General.

Assistant to Divisional Transport Officer, Lieutenant W. M. C. Vandeleur, 2nd Battalion, Essex Regiment.

Ordnance Officer, Major T. E. Rowan, R.A.

Survey Officer, Brevet-Major W. J. Bythell, R.E.

Section Commandant, Captain W. C. Knight, 4th Bengal Cavalry.

Staff Surgeon (from the Force).

1st Brigade.

Commanding Brigadier-General R. Westmacott, C.B., D.S.O.

Orderly Officer, Lieutenant R. C. Wellesley, R. H. A.

Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Captain W. P. Blood, Royal Irish Fusiliers.

Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Captain F. J. M. Edwards, 3rd Bombay Cavalry.

Brigade Commissariat Officer, Captain E. Y. Watson, D.A.C.G.

* Brigade Transport Officer, Captain D. H. Armstrong, 1st Battalion, East Yorkshire Regiment.

* Regimental Commissariat and Transport Officer, Lieutenant N. G. Fraser, 4th Bombay Cavalry.

Assistant Superintendent, Army Signalling, Lieutenant H. W. Field, The Devonshire Regiment.

Provost Marshal (from the Brigade).

Veterinary Officer, Veterinary Lieutenant F. U. Carr, A.V.D.

2nd Brigade.

Commanding, Colonel (with temporary rank of Brigadier-General) C. R. Macgregor, D.S.O.

Orderly Officer, 2nd-Lieutenant E. W. C. Ridgeway, 29th Punjab Infantry.

* These officers will personally report themselves for orders to the Chief Commissariat Officer, Peshawar.

No. 359.—Mr. J. Elston, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, is appointed to officiate as Engineer-in-Chief of the Rae Bareilly-Benares Railway, with the rank of Superintendent of Works, during the absence of Mr. G. A. Campbell on privilege leave, or until further orders.

No. 360.—*Corrigendum.*—In Public Works Department Notification No. 347, dated the 1st September 1897, for "2nd August 1897" read "afternoon of 4th August 1897."

No. 362.—It is hereby notified for general information, in supersession of the Notification No. 359, dated the 11th September 1894, that the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India in Council has, in Despatch No. 73 Railway, dated the 29th July 1897, accorded sanction to a total expenditure of Rs. 6,07,428 of the cost of constructing the Royapuram-Ennore Section of the Bezwada-Madras Railway, a distance of about ten miles.

The 9th September, 1897.

No. 363.—The services of the undermentioned officers of Royal Engineers who were temporarily deputed to the Public Works Department, Bengal, for employment on famine duty, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department :

Lieutenant J. L. Meyer, Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, temporary rank, Military Works Department.

Lieutenant H. F. E. Freeland, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, Military Works Department.

Lieutenant G. R. Pridham, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, Military Works Department.

Lieutenant F. B. Tillard, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, sub. *pro tem.*, Military Works Department.

Lieutenant H. Biddulph, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, Military Works Department.

No. 364.—Mr. H. Miller, Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade, Military Works Department is appointed to the Provincial Service of the Engineer Branch of the Public Works Department as an Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, and posted to Bengal.

No. 365.—The services of Lieutenant L. H. Close, R.E., Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, *temporary rank*, Military Works Department, temporarily employed in the Public Works Department, Bengal, on Famine Relief Works, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department.

No. 366.—Babu Mohit Kanta Sen, Apprentice Engineer, Provincial Engineer Establishment, State Railways, is promoted to Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, with effect from the 1st June 1897.

The 10th September, 1897.

No. 367.—Mr. K. Balarama Iyer, Deputy Examiner of Accounts, temporarily lent to the Burma Railways Company, is, on return to Government service, posted to the Office of the Examiner of Accounts, North Western Railway.

No. 368.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to order the following promotions of Executive and Assistant Engineers attached to State Railways, with effect from the dates specified :

Names.	From	To	Nature of promotion.	With effect from
Chamier, Lieutenant A. T., R.E.	Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade.	Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade.	Permanent	24th January 1897.
Mathews, R. T.	Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade.	Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade.	Permanent	14th January 1897.
Chattopadhyay, Gopal Chandra.	Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade.	Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade.	Permanent	16th February 1897.
Muter, Lieutenant R. S., R.E.	Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade.	Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade.	Permanent	17th February 1897.
Beechey, W.	Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade.	Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade.	Temporary	2nd March 1897.
Richards, G.	Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade.	Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade.	Permanent	1st April 1897.
Heap, J. H.	Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade.	Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade.	Permanent	1st April 1897.

No. 369.—Lieutenant Robert George King, R.E., is appointed to the Public Works Department, as an Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, and posted to State Railways. His services are placed at the disposal of the Director General of Railways.

Public Works Department Notification No. 115, dated the 15th March 1897, is cancelled.

No. 370.—Colonel T. Gracey, C.S.I., R.E., Director General of Railways, and Deputy Secretary to the Government of India in the Public Works Department, is appointed to officiate as Secretary to the Government of India in the Public Works Department, during the absence on privilege leave of Colonel Sir W. S. S. Bisset, K.C.I.E., R.E., or until further orders.

No. 371.—Mr. F. R. Upcott, Chief Engineer, 3rd Class, and Consulting Engineer for Railways, Madras, on special duty with the Government of India in the Public Works Department, is appointed to officiate as Director General of Railways, and Deputy Secretary to the Government of India in the Public Works Department, *vice* Colonel T. Gracey, C.S.I., R.E., until further orders.

No. 372.—Mr. F. Wolley-Dod, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, State Railways, and Deputy Consulting Engineer to the Government of India for State Railways, is deputed on special duty with the Government of India in the Public Works Department, *vice* Mr. F. R. Upcott, until further orders.

TELEGRAPH.

The 8th September, 1897.

No. 357.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to order the following temporary promotion in the Superior Establishment of the Indian Telegraph Department, with effect from the date specified and until further orders:

Name.	From	To	Date.
Mr. R. L. D. Gompertz	Superintendent, Class V, 1st Grade.	Chief Superintendent, Class IV.	15th July 1897.

No. 361.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to order the following officiating promotion in the Superior Establishment of the Indian Telegraph Department, with effect from the date specified, and until further orders:

Name.	From	To	Date.
Mr. H. Mayston	Assistant Superintendent, Class VI, 2nd Grade.	Superintendent, Class V, 2nd Grade.	6th August 1897.

W. S. S. BISSET, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Weather Review of India for the Week ending at 8 a.m. on
Saturday, September 4th, 1897.

The pressure distribution during the week under review has been somewhat irregular and abnormal. The ordinary low pressure area which is characteristic of the monsoon period has been shown over the west and north of the Punjab, and steep gradients have existed over Northern India to the south and east of this area of depression. But at the same time pressure has been relatively low off the Madras Coast, and the barometer has been unsteady over the east of the Peninsula. Westerly and south-westerly winds have prevailed over North-West India, and these winds have as is usual been accompanied with fair weather over the plains, though they have occasioned more or less rain on and near the hills. The low pressure area on the Madras Coast has, on the contrary, given showery weather to the east of the Peninsula, most parts of which have received effective rain during the week. This low pressure area has not been sufficiently pronounced to interfere unfavourably with the free flow of air up the Bay, and hence general rain has been experienced over Burma and North-East India. The monsoon along the West Coast has been light throughout the week, so that though rain has fallen along that coast the amounts have been small and the rainfall scattered. The central parts of the country which also depend for their rainfall on the Arabian Sea monsoon current have experienced similar conditions. In Burma and Assam light to heavy rain has fallen daily; in Bengal the rainfall during the early part of the week was light and scattered, but in the latter part became very heavy in North Bengal and general throughout the province. In the North-West Provinces there was fairly general rain until the last day when the weather cleared, the amounts were heavy in the hill and submontane districts. In the Punjab the rainfall was light and generally unimportant, but near the hills some heavyish showers occurred. In the central parts of the country fair showers were received throughout the week. In the Peninsula the weather was showery, the extent and amount of the showers increasing as the week progressed. The above shows that the weather generally during the week was showery with fair intervals, and the mean temperature of the whole country was nearly normal on each day of the week.

Daily Summary.—*Sunday, August 29th.*—The barometer had risen over the Peninsula and the central parts of the country and fallen elsewhere. Pressure was above the normal in the north and below in the south, so that though the general distribution was fairly regular the pressure differences were less than usual. The winds blew from the usual monsoon directions. The mean temperature was abnormally low over the east of the Peninsula and over parts of North-West and of North-East India, but was higher than usual elsewhere. The weather had been showery over nearly the whole country, the amounts received on and near the hills being fairly heavy.

Monday, August 30th.—Pressure had increased almost everywhere, the change in the north-west having been brisk. In consequence while pressure remained lowest in the north-west and highest on the south-east the differences had still further decreased. Pressure was locally low off the Madras Coast. Northerly winds had appeared over the Punjab as well as at some stations on the Madras Coast, but in general the directions were fairly normal. The distribution of the mean temperature relatively to the normal was the same as on the preceding day. The weather had again been showery generally, but large portions of the Punjab, of Burma and of the Peninsula were without rain.

Tuesday, August 31st.—The barometric changes had been almost everywhere slight. Pressure was low in the north of the Punjab and relatively low over the west of the Bay. Gradients were moderate and regular. Calms and westerly to south-westerly winds prevailed in Upper India instead of the normal south-easterly current and variable breezes were reported from both coasts of the Peninsula, but elsewhere the directions remained fairly normal. The monsoon was lighter than usual along the West Coast. The mean temperature was lower than usual along the line of the Himalayas as well as over North Bombay and over South Madras, while it was excessive elsewhere. Showery weather continued over a large part of the country, though over considerable regions there had been no rain.

Wednesday, September 1st.—The barometer had fallen, except in Burma. The fall had been rapid over the Punjab and Upper Sind, and gradients were becoming steep over Northern India. Relatively low pressures continued to be reported from the west of the Bay. The winds were southerly in Burma and Bengal, variable along the West Coast and generally westerly elsewhere. A strong wind was blowing from the north of Arabian Sea into North-West India. The mean temperature was abnormally low in the extreme north-west, north-east and south of India, and abnormally high elsewhere. The weather had been fair with little or no rain over the Punjab, the west of the Peninsula, the west of the Central Provinces and North Bombay, but was unchanged elsewhere.

Thursday, September 2nd.—The barometric rise noticed over Burma on the preceding day had extended to Bengal and the south of the Peninsula, but elsewhere pressure continued to decrease. Pressure was lowest over the Indus Valley, and steepish gradients prevailed over North-Western and Northern India. The winds were generally unaltered, but the direction was drawing towards south-west on the Kathiawar Coast, and the wind was blowing directly into Upper India. The mean temperature had risen and was higher than usual over the Punjab, but in Assam, North Bengal and South Madras the mean temperature was abnormally low. Heavy continuous rain had fallen in North Bengal, and in most parts of India the weather was showery, but over Upper Burma, Lower Bengal, the Punjab, Bombay and Rajputana there had been no rain of importance.

Friday, September 3rd.—The pressure changes had been slight, but in the north-west the barometer had risen and gradients were slighter than on previous days, though the general conditions were unaltered. A strong south-westerly wind was blowing across the Kathiawar Coast and across Rajputana into North-West India. Southerly winds prevailed over the Bay area and south-easterly winds in the West Punjab, while elsewhere the direction was generally westerly. The mean temperature was nearly normal, except over the Gangetic Plain and North Bengal where it was lower and the North Punjab where it was higher than usual. The Punjab, Bombay and the central parts of the country had received little or no rain, but elsewhere the fall had been fairly general.

Saturday, September 4th.—The barometer had fallen briskly in the north-west and briskly to rapidly in the north-east of India, but elsewhere the changes were slight. Gradients had increased again, and over Bengal there was a slight tendency to the formation of a depression. The winds were southerly in Burma and the Southern Punjab, northerly in the West Punjab and generally westerly elsewhere. The heat was excessive over the North Punjab, Bombay and the Central Provinces, and was less than usual over Bihar, North Bengal, Burma, Assam and the Madras Coast districts. The rainfall had decreased somewhat, except in the north-east where in Burma, Assam, Bengal and the east of the North-West Provinces it had been very general and in places heavy.

Temperature.—The mean temperature has been rather unsteady during the week. During most of the time the heat was less than usual over the Madras Coast districts and in the extreme north-west and north-east of India, but towards the close of the week a rise occurred over the north-west and temperature rose to above the normal over the Punjab.

The following table gives the temperature data for the week :

PROVINCE.	AUGUST 1897.			SEPTEMBER 1897.				Mean variation of week.
	29th	30th	31st	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	
	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	
Burma	+1.3	+2.5	+2.3	+0.7	—0.2	0	—0.8	+0.8
Bengal and Assam	+0.8	+1.0	+1.5	+0.8	—0.5	—0.8	—0.9	+0.3
North-Western Provinces and Oudh	+0.8	—0.2	+0.7	+0.7	+1.4	—1.0	—0.5	+0.3
Punjab	—0.2	—1.6	—1.4	+0.2	+2.9	+2.0	+2.0	+0.6
Bombay	+0.5	—0.1	+1.4	+2.5	+1.1	+1.1	+2.4	+1.3
Central Provinces and Berar	+1.7	+0.7	+1.5	+2.7	+0.2	+1.2	+1.9	+1.4
Central India and Gujarat	+2.0	+0.7	+0.6	+1.4	+0.6	—0.2	+0.4	+0.8
Sind and Rajputana	+2.9	+0.8	+0.3	+1.2	+0.6	—0.3	—0.6	+0.7
Madras	—2.5	—0.4	+0.5	—0.6	—1.7	—0.5	+0.5	—0.7
Mean for whole of India	+0.8	+0.4	+0.8	+1.1	+0.5	+0.2	+0.5	+0.6

The above shows that the mean temperature of the whole of India was above the normal average on each day of the week by amounts varying from 0°.2 on 3rd to 1°.1 on the 1st of September. The provincial variations show that the mean temperature of the week was slightly below the normal average over Madras, but was slightly above in the case of all the remaining provinces. The greatest excess about 1½° was reported from the Central Provinces and Bombay, where the temperature conditions were more steady than in other parts of the country.

The following are the highest maximum temperatures recorded on each day :

August	29th	106°·4	at Jacobabad.
"	30th	103°·9	" "
"	31st	100°·5	" "
September	1st	100°·5	" "
"	2nd	104°·9	" "
"	3rd	104°·4	" "
"	4th	103°·0	" Montgomery.

Rain.—Fair to heavy general rain has fallen during the week under review. The rainfall table at the close of the summary shows that only one of the rainfall divisions, *viz.*, Baluchistan, received absolutely no rain during the week, all the other divisions reporting an effective fall. The average actual rainfall of the week ranged from 16.17 inches in North Bengal, 12.72 inches in Assam (Surma), 11.09 inches in Assam (Hills) and 9.81 inches in Bengal (Hills), to 0.49 inch in the Bombay Deccan, 0.59 inch in the South-East Punjab and 0.56 inch in the south of Madras. The above shows that the week's rainfall was heavy in North-East India and relatively light in North-Western, Western and Southern India. The distribution of the average actual rainfall differs considerably from the normal distribution, there having been a marked excess over the eastern half of India and a general deficiency in the western half. The third column of the table shows that thirty divisions received more and twenty-seven divisions less than the normal fall of the week. The area of excessive rain included roughly the Bengal and Assam divisions, the North-West Provinces divisions, the North Bombay divisions and the Madras divisions. The abnormal excess was absolutely greatest in North-East India, where North Bengal reported an excess of 11.59 inches, Assam (Surma) of 7.22 inches, Assam (Hills) of 5.61 inches and Bengal (Hills) of 4.93 inches, but in Madras; though the absolute excess was relatively small, several of the divisions reported more than twice the normal amount. Within the

area of deficient rainfall which included Burma, the Punjab, the west of the Peninsula and the central parts of the country the variations were generally slight, but in the case of the Konkan there was a deficiency of 3·39 inches, Coorg of 2·98 inches, Tenasserim of 6 inches and Lower Burma and Arakan of 2 inches.

In the Bombay Deccan only a few scattered showers were received during the week. The districts of Belgaum and Sholapur had three light showers, Dharwar and Bijapur two showers and Poona one only, and the average rainfall of the week was considerably below the normal in all the districts of the Deccan division. In Madras, on the contrary, there were daily showers which on the 1st and 2nd September were heavy.

The three concluding columns of the table, giving the average actual and average normal rainfall of the monsoon period from May 30th to September 4th, show that there are four divisions in which the rainfall for the period has been deficient, *i.e.*, has varied by more than 20 per cent. from the normal, *vis.*, Upper Burma (—34 per cent.), the Assam Hills (—40 per cent.), Gujarat (—23 per cent.) and Baluchistan (—82 per cent.). There are, on the contrary, no less than fifteen divisions which have received excessive rain during the period, *vis.*, South Bihar (+31 per cent.), the east of the North-West Provinces (+38 per cent.), South Oudh (+31 per cent.), North Oudh (+27 per cent.), the west of the North-West Provinces (+37 per cent.), the submontane division of the North-West Provinces (+23 per cent.), the hills of the North-West Provinces (+34 per cent.), the North Punjab (+28 per cent.), the West Punjab (+49 per cent.), Malabar (+24 per cent.), the south-central division of Madras (+26 per cent.), Berar (+39 per cent.), Sind (+73 per cent.) and West Rajputana (+38 per cent.). In the remaining thirty-eight divisions the total rainfall of the period has been practically normal.

The following are the principal large totals recorded during the week under review :

Burma	.	.	.	Akyab	.	.	.	.	.	10·48 inches.
Assam	.	.	.	Suramgunj (Sylhet)	.	.	.	.	.	24·08 "
Bengal	.	.	.	Thakurgaon (Dinajpur)	.	.	.	.	.	29·96 "
Bihar	.	.	.	Kishanganj (Purnea)	.	.	.	.	.	12·48 "
North-West Provinces				Gonda	.	.	.	.	.	11·80 "
				Maharajgunj (Gorakhpur)	.	.	.	.	.	12·01 "
Punjab	.	.	.	Daska (Sialkot)	.	.	.	.	.	2·84 "
				Dharmasala	.	.	.	.	.	12·68 "
West Coast	.	.	.	Karkal (Mangalore)	.	.	.	.	.	10·02 "
Central districts	.	.	.	Mandla	.	.	.	.	.	7·90 "
Madras	.	.	.	Uravakonda (Anantapur)	.	.	.	.	.	9·67 "
				Utaramerur (Chingleput)	.	.	.	.	.	8·04 "

PROVINCE.	DIVISION.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 4TH, 1897.			RAINFALL DATA FROM MAY 30TH TO SEPTEMBER 4TH, 1897.		
		Average actual rainfall of division.	Average normal rainfall of division.	Excess or defect in inches.	Average actual rainfall of season to date.	Average normal rainfall, May 30th to September 4th.	Excess or de- fect of (seasonal) rainfall expressed as a per- centage.
		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Per cent.
BURMA	1. Tenasserim	1'35	7'35	— 6'00	120'12	131'74	— 9
	2. Lower Burma Deltaic	2'84	4'94	— 2'10	69'50	67'30	+ 3
	3. Central do.	2'41	2'47	— 0'06	35'82	41'94	— 15
	4. Upper do.	1'85	1'73	+ 0'12	21'02	31'74	— 34
	5. Arakan	4'09	6'13	— 2'04	142'08	141'51	0
BENGAL AND ASSAM	6. Eastern Bengal	4'10	2'97	+ 1'13	58'24	58'99	— 1
	7. Assam Surma	12'72	5'50	+ 7'22	64'33	76'39	— 16
	8. Do. Hills	11'09	5'48	+ 5'61	56'79	94'98	— 40
	9. Do. Brahmaputra	6'11	2'93	+ 3'18	43'44	47'21	— 8
	10. Deltaic Bengal	1'07	2'03	— 0'96	38'31	36'62	+ 5
	11. Central do.	2'64	2'52	+ 0'12	30'49	35'83	— 15
	12. North do.	16'17	4'58	+ 11'59	58'70	62'50	— 6
	13. Bengal Hills	9'81	4'88	+ 4'93	78'88	93'80	— 16
	14. Orissa	0'68	1'84	— 1'16	32'43	33'98	— 5
	15. Chota Nagpur	1'66	2'31	— 0'65	32'50	35'98	— 10
	16. South Bihar	3'42	2'16	+ 1'26	39'30	29'90	+ 31
	17. North do.	6'37	2'82	+ 3'55	32'27	33'59	— 4
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES AND ODDH.	18. N.-W. P. East	2'14	2'08	+ 0'06	37'75	27'41	+ 38
	19. South Oudh	2'67	2'41	+ 0'26	34'24	26'10	+ 31
	20. North do.	5'78	2'47	+ 3'31	35'51	28'04	+ 27
	21. N.-W. P. Central	2'34	2'21	+ 0'13	28'46	25'37	+ 12
	22. Do. West	1'00	1'81	— 0'81	26'46	19'31	+ 27
	23. Do. East Submontane	5'38	2'43	+ 2'95	35'92	29'21	+ 23
	24. Do. West do.	3'50	2'06	+ 0'54	39'40	32'02	+ 23
	25. Do. Hills	3'43	2'70	+ 0'73	44'53	33'23	+ 34
PUNJAB	26. South-East Punjab	0'59	1'63	— 1'04	18'31	16'67	+ 10
	27. South do.	0'67	0'81	— 0'14	9'54	10'86	— 12
	28. Central do.	0'70	0'72	— 0'02	10'58	11'71	— 10
	29. Punjab Submontane	0'91	1'38	— 0'47	15'79	10'53	— 19
	30. Do. Hills	4'05	3'00	+ 1'05	43'04	48'80	— 12
	31. North Punjab	0'83	0'97	— 0'14	14'67	11'45	+ 28
	32. West do.	0'33	0'34	— 0'01	8'02	5'37	+ 49
BOMBAY AND MALABAR COAST DISTRICTS (MADRAS).	33. Malabar	2'93	3'50	— 0'57	107'47	86'50	+ 24
	34. Madras South-Central	1'60	1'27	+ 0'33	21'63	17'17	+ 26
	35. Coorg	2'48	5'46	— 2'98	114'05	96'58	+ 18
	36. Mysore	1'60	1'25	+ 0'35	19'82	18'41	+ 8
	37. Konkan	0'97	4'30	— 3'39	103'38	95'90	+ 8
	38. Bombay Deccan	0'49	1'32	— 0'83	19'59	18'62	+ 5
	39. Hyderabad North . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...
	40. Khandesh	0'61	1'16	— 0'55	13'58	15'16	— 17
CENTRAL PROVINCES AND BERAR.	41. Berar	2'17	1'82	+ 0'35	22'22	15'97	+ 39
	42. Central Provinces West	1'95	2'14	— 0'19	29'09	29'55	— 2
	43. Do. do. Central	2'33	2'65	— 0'32	36'44	40'28	— 10
	44. Do. do. East	2'33	2'35	— 0'02	40'49	37'43	+ 8
BOMBAY (NORTH)	45. Gujarat	1'32	1'23	+ 0'09	26'42	34'52	— 23
	46. Kathiawar	1'49	0'83	+ 0'66	16'24	15'58	+ 4
	47. Sind	0'78	0'21	+ 0'57	7'71	4'46	+ 73
	48. Baluchistan Hills	0	0'05	— 0'05	0'36	2'03	— 82
RAJPUTANA AND CEN- TRAL INDIA.	49. Central India East	1'92	1'96	— 0'04	29'28	29'37	0
	50. Rajputana East, Central India West.	0'83	1'65	— 0'82	19'09	22'48	— 15
	51. West Rajputana	0'38	0'92	— 0'54	13'55	9'83	+ 38
MADRAS	52. East Coast North	2'11	1'87	+ 0'24	21'78	18'53	+ 18
	52-A. Do. do. (a)	2'25	1'84	+ 0'41	33'50	39'76	— 16
	53. Hyderabad South	2'76	1'12	+ 1'64	14'74	16'14	— 9
	54. Madras Central	2'48	1'13	+ 1'35	12'32	11'07	+ 11
	55. East Coast Central	2'49	1'31	+ 1'18	13'70	11'46	+ 19
	56. Do. South	2'66	1'26	+ 1'40	12'84	10'78	+ 19
	57. Madras South	0'56	0'73	— 0'17	5'50	4'63	+ 19

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Weekly Report on the state of the Season and Prospects of the Crops.

Madras.—*For week ending 4th September.*—Rainfall fairly normal on West Coast and extreme south; deficient, but fair in Ganjam and Vizagapatam; elsewhere generally in considerable excess. The water-supply for drinking purposes is generally sufficient; for irrigation it is much improved, and generally sufficient, though still deficient in parts of rain-fed areas. Agricultural operations general; harvests extending; outturn generally middling, though fair to average in parts. Pasture is improving. Fodder is scarce in the Deccan; elsewhere is generally available, but is dear. Condition of cattle is bad in the Deccan but deterioration is generally arrested; elsewhere generally normal. Prices of dry grains generally somewhat easier. Improvement in prospects noted last week fully maintained, but condition of people in Bhadrachalam still gives cause for anxiety. The numbers on relief were:—relief workers—100,595 men, 186,062 women, 59,476 children; total 346,133 in the Deccan and Circars. Intermediate workers—70 men, 57 women, 31 children; total 158 in Vizagapatam and Godavari. Weavers—28,304 men, 26,050 women, 2,175 children with 88 unspecified; total 56,617 relieved at their own trade in the Deccan and Circars. Total relief workers 402,908. Kitchen inmates in the Deccan and Circars: (dependants)—336 men, 537 women, 16,520 children; total 17,393. Others—1,883 men, 3,905 women, 14,181 children; total 19,969. Otherwise gratuitously relieved—15,531 men, 39,825 women, 38,796 children with 168 unspecified; total 94,320. Total on gratuitous relief 131,682. Figures incomplete for Cuddapah. Grand total on Government relief 534,590. At private kitchens in Ganjam—90. Kistna excluded from affected area. Prices by which wages are calculated are:—Ganjam 9, Kurnool 9½, Bellary 10½, Cuddapah 12½, Anantapur 13, and Vizagapatam 14 seers per rupee. Godavari not reported. Loans disbursed in affected districts during the week Rs. 56,195.

Bombay.—*For week ending 6th September.*—Rain slight throughout the Presidency; more is wanted in Poona, Ahmednagar, Sholapur, Satara, Bijapur, Belgaum and parts of Thana, Khandesh, and Nasik. Standing crops are thriving, except in parts of Poona, Ahmednagar, Satara, and Belgaum. Locusts caused damage in one taluka of Karachi and Hyderabad; slight in one of Thar and Parkar and three of Upper Sind Frontier. Preparations for late crops commenced in Shikarpur, Hyderabad, Khandesh, Nasik, and sowings in Sholapur and Bijapur. Fodder is sufficient, except in parts of the Deccan, Bijapur, and Belgaum. Condition of agricultural stock deteriorating in Sholapur and parts of Ahmednagar; improving in Khandesh, Bijapur, and parts of Poona and Ahmednagar; healthy elsewhere, except in one taluka of Thana. Prices continue high in Karachi, Surat, Thana, Nasik, Sholapur; rising in Belgaum, and stationary in Kolaba and Bijapur. Prices in affected districts are:—Belgaum 8½, Bijapur 7½, Sholapur 6½, Ahmednagar 6½, Poona 6½, Nasik 6½, Satara 7½, Khandesh 6½, Dharwar 9 seers per rupee. The average number on relief works, including dependants, was as follows:—Bijapur 145,668, Sholapur 118,729, Ahmednagar 68,909, Poona 16,969, Nasik 4,803, Satara 11,718, Khandesh 1,956, Belgaum 19,501, Dharwar 2,808. On test works—Ratnagiri 221; total 391,282, of whom 321,203 are relief workers and 70,079 dependants. Of relief workers—106,419 are men, 135,628 women and 79,156 children. Of dependants—484 are men, 6,860 women, 62,735 children. On gratuitous relief—Bijapur 16,601, including 1,477 in poor-houses; Sholapur 15,396, including 204 in poor-houses; Ahmednagar 22,036, including 1,233 in poor-houses; Poona 19,256; Nasik 1,134,

including 259 in poor-houses; Satara 4,937, including 311 in poor-houses; Khandesh 381; Belgaum 1,011; Dharwar 1,057; total 81,812, of whom 32,472 are men, 26,586 women and 22,754 children. Total number on relief 473,094.

Bengal.—*For week ending 6th September.*—General rain fell during the week, the fall being heavy in the north and north-east of the Province. The transplanting of winter rice is now nearly over and the young plants are everywhere doing well. Reports of the early autumn crops continue generally favourable; the earlier autumn crops and early rice are being harvested; jute is also being cut and steeped. Prices are reported to be falling in some districts, owing to the appearance in the market of the new early rice and other early grains. In the distressed districts the prices of the staple food-grains on which the famine wage is based are—Bankura, common rice 8 to 10½ seers; Nadia, common rice 7½ to 8 seers old and 9½ to 12 seers new; Saran, indian-corn 13 seers; Champaran, barley 11¾ seers; Muzaffarpur, indian-corn 13 seers; Darbhanga, indian-corn 14½ seers; Puri, common rice 8 to 10 seers; and Manbhum, common rice 8 seers per rupee. The numbers on Government relief on Saturday, the 4th September were—Bankura 10,497, Nadia 6,702, Jessore 41, Khulna 5,354, Dinajpur 84, Patna 1,548, Shahabad 13,359, Saran 40,154, Champaran 22,558, Muzaffarpur 37,349, Darbhanga 68,923, Puri 1,623, Hazaribagh 656, Lohardaga 2,412, and Manbhum 13,037; total 224,297 against 335,776 in the preceding week. The numbers relieved from the Indian Famine Charitable Relief Fund were—Bankura 1,783, Nadia 565, Khulna 1,597, Shahabad 3,763, Saran 5,160, Champaran 13,290, Muzaffarpur 9,130, Darbhanga 26,105, Bhagalpur 5,775, Sonthal Parganas 1,542, Cuttack 3,412, Hazaribagh 55, and Lohardaga 1,856; total 74,033 against 87,926 in the preceding week. The above totals are distributed as follows:—relief workers—men 14,621, women 12,950, children 4,527; total 32,098. Dependants—men 3, women *nil*, children 276; total 279. In poor-houses and kitchens—men 4,571, women 7,987, children 38,729; total 51,227. Otherwise relieved—men 26,810, women 90,192, children 23,566; total 140,568. Test-workers—men 44, women 42, children 39; total 125. Indian Famine Charitable Relief Fund (the sex of 8,023 recipients of this class of relief has not been reported)—men 10,548, women 38,406, children 17,056; total 66,010. Private relief—relief works—Darbhanga Raj—men 463, women 129, children 78; total 670. Hatwa—men 333, women 374, children 204; total 911. Jamtara—men 99, women 126, children *nil*; total 225. Gratuitous relief—Darbhanga Raj—Darbhanga—men 2,346, women 5,285, children 4,761; total 12,392. Darbhanga Raj—Muzaffarpur—men 22, women 136, children 121; total 279. Muzaffarpur district—men 80, women 170, children 42; total 292. Hatwa—men 162, women 329, children 564; total 1,055. Cuttack—men 161, women 618, children 195; total 974. Total on private relief 16,798 against 17,788 in the preceding week.

North-Western Provinces and Oudh.—*For week ending 8th September.*—Rain fell in fall districts; Bareilly, Gonda, Basti, and Pilibhit, recorded over 11 inches; Kheri over 8 inches; and Hardoi, Almora, Shahjahanpur, Gorakhpur, and Ballia over 5 inches; in most of the remaining districts the rainfall varies from 2 to 4 inches. Standing crops are doing well. Transplanting of rice near completion. Preparation of land for the spring harvest in progress. Early grain is being cut in some districts. Heavy rain has caused some damage in low lying lands. The numbers in receipt of relief on Saturday, the 4th September, in seventeen districts officially recognised as distressed were as follows:—Agra 10,553, Etawah 2,346, Cawnpore 6,666, Fatehpur 7,482, Banda 72,583, Hamirpur 18,134, Allahabad 49,439, Jhansi 17,783, Jalaun 30,984, Mirzapur 13,289, Family Domains of Maharaja of Benares, 4,178, Jaunpur 22,040, Gorakhpur 12,245, Azamgarh 8,119, Lucknow 28,837, Unao 16,889, Rai Bareilly 13,412, Hardoi 43,783; total 378,762. This total is distributed as follows among the various methods of relief prescribed by the Famine Code which are in operation:—employed on relief works—13,236; relieved as dependants—2,539; relieved in poor-houses—16,914; relieved under other provisions of the Famine Code, includ-

ing 63,875 from the Charitable Relief Fund, 346,073; total 378,762. The numbers relieved in nineteen districts which are under observation and not officially recognised as distressed were on the same date as follows:—relieved on test works—*nil*; relieved in poor-houses—4,575; relieved under other provisions of the Famine Code, including 11,144 from the Charitable Relief Fund, 39,167; total 43,742. The grand total in receipt of relief on the last day of the week was therefore 422,504. Supplies and fodder are sufficient. Prices generally show a tendency to fall. The price of the staple grain on which the famine wage is based varied from $8\frac{1}{8}$ to 14 seers in the districts officially recognised as distressed. The numbers shown as relieved from the Indian Famine Charitable Relief Fund represent the operations of the fund so far only as they are carried out through official agency.

Punjab.—*For week ending 6th September.*—Rain has fallen averaging about $1\frac{1}{4}$ inches in Rawal Pindi; one inch in Shahpur; $\frac{3}{4}$ of an inch in Sialkot and Gujranwala; $\frac{1}{2}$ in Ferozepore, Mooltan, and Peshawar; $\frac{1}{3}$ in Dera Ismail Khan and $\frac{1}{4}$ in Amritsar. Falls are also reported from Jullundur and Umballa. Sowings for autumn and ploughings for next spring crop in progress. Gram sowings commenced in parts of Amritsar. The recent rain has benefited the standing crops in most districts; it has damaged the crops in parts of Peshawar; the standing crops are generally reported to be in good condition, but are average in parts of Ferozepore. Locusts appeared in parts of Mooltan and Lahore, but caused no damage; eggs laid in the latter district have been destroyed; they are also being destroyed in Rawal Pindi and Dera Ismail Khan. The cattle are now generally in good condition. Green fodder is procurable everywhere and dry fodder is sufficient in all districts, except in parts of Gujranwala. The average number of workers, dependants, etc., was as follows:—Relief workers—1,906 men, 2,379 women, 522 children. Dependants—7 men, 6 women, 1,151 children. Relieved in poor-houses—46 men, 42 women, 82 children. Otherwise relieved—2,142 men, 2,861 women, 2,058 children. Details not given for 633 persons relieved in a poor-house in Delhi. The total number of persons relieved this week was 13,835 against 17,547 last week; of this 13,200 were in Hissar alone. The works have been closed in other districts. Prices are falling in most districts, but are still high generally; they are rising in Lahore and Dera Ismail Khan; the figures are unchanged in Mooltan; wheat is selling from $9\frac{1}{8}$ to $11\frac{1}{2}$, gram $9\frac{1}{4}$ to 10, barley 12, maize 8 to 11, great millet 11, bulrush-millet $8\frac{1}{2}$ to 12, and rice 6 to $6\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee. Prices of staple food-grains on which the famine wage is reckoned—Hissar—great millet flour 10 and barley flour 10 seers per rupee.

Central Provinces.—*For week ending 6th September.*—Weather alternately cloudy and clear with showers at intervals; moderately heavy rain has fallen in the northern and eastern districts, while the Nerbudda and Nagpur districts have received smaller amounts. No reports received from the two Vindhyan districts. The slight breaks are very beneficial to weeding operations and for the preparation of land for winter sowings. More clear weather is required in Mandla. Rainfall everywhere sufficient, except in the Sakoli Tahsil of Bhandara, where more is required. Standing crops in good condition, including sugarcane. Early millets are being harvested with good outturn, as also rice in parts of Sambalpur. Prices continue to fluctuate within narrow limits, but the tendency to fall is becoming more general. The numbers on relief works have increased by 10,000 and the numbers in receipt of gratuitous relief by 12,000. Some persons have returned to the works after the *Pola* festival; others on the close of transplantation operations. The numbers on relief works were:—Saugor 11,584, Damoh 10,634, Jubbulpore 20,272, Mandla 11,589, Seoni 4,110, Narsinghpur 18,079, Hoshangabad 27,857, Nimar 1,005, Betul 7,890, Chhindwara 10,840, Wardha 1,292, Nagpur 15,052, Bhandara 17,674, Balaghat 33,554, Raipur 36,381, Bilaspur 39,401, Sambalpur 822; total 267,636. Test workers—in Damoh 122. Numbers on gratuitous relief:—Saugor 16,565, Damoh 17,589, Jubbulpore 45,205, Mandla 21,433, Seoni 14,270, Narsinghpur 17,077, Hoshangabad 12,852, Nimar 1,725, Betul 9,276, Chhindwara 5,759, Wardha 1,018, Nagpur 2,545,

Chanda 1,828, Bhandara 13,008, Balaghat 16,226, Raipur 32,382, Bilaspur 89,638, Sambalpur 170; total 318,566. Total number on relief 586,324. There were also 16,018 persons employed on railway and other private works. Details of relief workers—men 88,218, women 123,957, children 56,325, with 36 unclassified. Test workers—men 56, women 66. Dependants—men 2,366, women 2,986, children 31,078, with 2,368 unclassified. Poor-houses—men 6,750, women 6,884, children 13,066. Otherwise relieved—men 31,983, women 66,069, children 84,327, with 70,604 unclassified. Wage prices—Jubbulpore, Narsinghpur 9; Saugor, Damoh, Mandla, Raipur 8; Seoni 7½, Hoshangabad 8½, Nimar, 8½, Betul, Balaghat 7, Chhindwara 8½, Wardha 8½, Nagpur 9½, Bhandara 7½, Bilaspur 6½, Sambalpur 10½ seers per rupee.

Burma.—*For week ending 4th September.*—In Lower Burma ploughing, sowing and transplanting nearly completed. Condition of standing crops is good. In Upper Burma reaping of early paddy in progress in Pakokku, Kyaukse, Yamethin, and Southern Shan States. Ploughing and planting of wet weather paddy continues in most districts; sowing of millets and reaping of maize and early sessamum commenced in Pakokku and Sagaing, and continues in Lower Chindwin, Thayetmyo, and Myingyan. No rain fell in Pakokku and very little in Meiktila and Yamethin during week. Previous rain has, however, improved prospects in precarious tracts, but more rain is wanted in parts of Shwebo, Sagaing, Thayetmyo, Pakokku, Minbu, and Yamethin. The price of paddy has fallen slightly in Prome, Henzada, Amherst, Mandalay, and Pakokku; elsewhere stationary. The numbers on relief works were—Meiktila 891 and Myingyan 14,799. On gratuitous relief—Meiktila 134, Yamethin 235, and Myingyan 4,215. Total number on relief 20,274. Price of rice—Meiktila 8 seers 12 chittaks and Myingyan 8 seers per rupee.

Assam.—*For week ending 7th September.*—Heavy rain in Surma Valley, Khasi Hills, and Goalpara. Harvesting of early rice is nearly finished; outturn generally good, but some damage done to crop by excessive rain in Cachar and by floods in Kamrup. Late rice is damaged by floods in parts of Goalpara, Darrang, and Sibsagar and to some extent by insects in Lakhimpur; elsewhere it promises well. Jute in Goalpara damaged by floods. Prospects of tea good, except in Sibsagar district and Habiganj sub-division where cool and wet weather has been unfavourable for leaf. No report for week received from Garo Hills. Prices—common rice—Silchar 7½, Gauhati and Tezpur 7, Sibsagar 8 and Dibrugarh 7½ seers per rupee. Fodder is scarce in places owing to floods.

Mysore and Coorg.—*For week ending 6th September.*—**MYSORE.**—Two inches 12 cents in Civil and Military station; rainfall general and good throughout the State. Standing crops in good condition. Prospects good. Prices slightly fallen in Hassan and Kadur districts. *Ragi (Eleusine coracana)* harvested in parts of Kadur and Hassan; sown in Kolar and Tumkur.

COORG.—Rainfall 2 inches 41 cents. Transplanting of rice nearly completed. Coffee crop maturing. Cardamoms beginning to ripen. Prices of food-grains stationary. Water and fodder for cattle are abundant.

Berar and Hyderabad.—*For week ending 6th September.*—**BERAR.**—Weather warm and cloudy with sufficient rainfall during the week. Monsoon crops are in excellent condition. Breaking up of land for next winter crop in progress. Sowings completed in all districts, except Akola and Ellichpur. Weeding continues. Fodder and water enough for requirements. High prices prevail throughout the Province. Relief workers—Akola 340, Ellichpur 1,576, Wun 66. Occupants of poor-houses—Akola 938, Basim 174, Buldana 269, Ellichpur 485. On gratuitous relief—Akola 3,388, Basim 144, Buldana 771, Ellichpur 2,299. Total number on relief 10,450. Numbers on relief works, on gratuitous relief and in poor-houses not received for Amraoti district. Prices—

jowar—Akola 8, Amraoti 9, Basim 8, Buldana $7\frac{1}{2}$, Ellichpur 6, Wun 10 seers per rupee. Fiye deaths from cholera on relief works in Melghat. Number of attacks not reported.

HYDERABAD.—Rainfall during week one inch 81 cents. Rainfall has been very beneficial and prospects are generally improved. Prices are still high and no general relief can be expected in this respect until the autumn crop is harvested. Rice harvest expected to be a poor one. Pasture available. The aggregate number of persons on relief works in Aurangabad, Bir, Gulburga, Raichur, Lingsagar, Naldrug, Mahbubnagar, Elgandal, and Nalgonda 21,298. Prices in affected districts— $5\frac{3}{4}$ in Bir, Lingsagar, Naldrug, Mahbubnagar, 6 Aurangabad, Gulburga, $6\frac{1}{2}$ Raichur, Elgandal, and 8 seers per rupee Nalgonda. 302 persons on gratuitous relief Raichur, 1,041 Lingsagar, 216 Naldrug, 254 Mahbubnagar, 397 Elgandal. Total number on relief 23,508. Prices—wheat $4\frac{1}{2}$, coarse rice $5\frac{1}{2}$, and *jowari* $7\frac{3}{4}$ seers per current sicca rupee.

Central India.—*For week ending 6th September.*—Rain fell in four agencies during week; the fall is still below average in Bhopawar Agency. Agricultural operations are in progress in Gwalior, Bhopal, Malwa, and Bhopawar. Agricultural stock and pasturage are fairly good in Gwalior, Bhopal, Malwa, and Bhopawar. Condition of crops, agricultural stock, and pasturage in Baghelkhand and Bundelkhand generally the same as in last week's report. Prices are falling in one district of Gwalior; steady in Bhopawar, and high in Bhopal and Malwa. The number of persons employed on famine relief works were—5,346 Gwalior, 756 Bhopal, 10,143 Baghelkhand, 14,950 Bundelkhand. On gratuitous relief—1,638 Gwalior, 704 Bhopal, 4,817 Baghelkhand, 8,089 Bundelkhand. Total number on relief 46,453. Prices—Gwalior 9 to $9\frac{1}{2}$, Baghelkhand 9, and Bundelkhand $8\frac{1}{2}$ to $10\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee.

Rajputana.—*For week ending 8th September.*—Rainfall during week 3.40 cents in Shahpura, varying between 1 and 2 inches in Marwar, Meywar, Kotah, Tonk, Bundi, Kishengarh, and Jaisalmer; Jeypur *nil*; under 1 inch elsewhere. More rain is wanted in Marwar. Ploughing in Marwar and Jhallawar, sowing in Serohi, and other agricultural operations continue. Harvesting of maize in Kotah. Crops thriving almost everywhere, prospects good generally. Agricultural stock generally healthy. Pasturage or fodder sufficient throughout. Slight damage by locusts in places in Marwar, Haraoti, Ajmere district, Bhurtpore, Serohi, and Jaisalmer and by excessive rain in Meywar. *Bajra* blighted a little in Bhurtpore. Prices steady in Marwar, Haraoti, Kerowli, Dholepur, and Ulwar; rising in Serohi, Meywar, Kotah, Bikanir, and Jaisalmer; falling elsewhere. The number of persons on relief works was—Dholepur 158, Tonk 124, Sironj 624. On ordinary works—Tonk 494, Dholepur 471, Bikanir 838. On gratuitous relief—Marwar 1,034, Bundi 305, Deoli 8, Tonk 2,592, Pirawa 800, Chabra 62, Dholepur 369, Bhurtpur 196, Sironj 156, and Bikanir 74. Total number on relief—6,502. Prices—Dholepur 13 seers 8 chittacks, Tonk 9 seers 8 chittacks per rupee.

Kashmir.—*For week ending 7th September.*—Rain has fallen. Standing rice crops in good condition. Prices continue normal.

JAMMU PROVINCE.—*For week ending 7th September.*—Prices stationary. Fodder sufficient. Condition of standing crops generally good.

Nepal.—*For week ending 4th September.*—Rainfall 3.58 inches. There has been excessive rain in the hills, and sufficient rain in the valley during the week. The rivers are flooded. During the last two days the price of indian-corn flour, in the Katmandu bazar, has fallen from 8 to 17 seers per rupee.

The total numbers in receipt of relief during the preceding and present weeks are as follows:

NAME OF PROVINCE.	PRECEDING WEEK.			PRESENT WEEK.			Increase or decrease.
	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	
Madras . . .	423,217	169,953	593,170	363,684	170,906	534,590	— 58,580
Bombay . . .	363,101	72,634	435,735	391,282	81,812	473,094 (a)	+ 37,359
Bengal . . .	83,376	252,400	335,776	32,502	191,795	224,297	— 111,479
North-Western Provinces and Oudh . . .	24,290	373,417	397,707	15,775	331,710	347,485 (b)	— 50,222
Punjab . . .	9,469	8,078	17,547	5,971	7,864	13,835	— 3,712
Central Provinces	261,663	306,444	568,107	267,758	318,566	586,324	+ 18,217
Burma . . .	16,790	4,385	21,175	15,690	4,584	20,274	— 901
Berar . . .	2,840	8,115	10,955	1,982	8,468	10,450	— 505
Hyderabad . .	15,531	5,744	21,275	21,298	2,210	23,508	+ 2,233
Central India .	33,195	16,908	49,103	31,205	15,248	46,453	— 2,650
Rajputana . .	1,245	4,797	6,042	906	5,596	6,502	+ 460
TOTAL . . .	1,233,717	1,222,875	2,456,592	1,148,053	1,138,759	2,286,812	— 169,780

(a) Exclusive of 70,033 relieved from the Indian Charitable Relief Fund.

(b) Exclusive of 75,019 relieved from the Indian Charitable Relief Fund.

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SUPPLEMENT TO THE GAZETTE OF INDIA, SEPTEMBER 11, 1897.

Return of the number of persons in receipt of relief in districts affected by scarcity—continued.

No.	Name of Province and District.	FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 14TH AUGUST 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 21ST AUGUST 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 28TH AUGUST 1897.			FOR THE WEEK EN THE 4TH SEPTEMBER		
		Relief works.	Gratui- tions relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratui- tions relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratui- tions relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratui- tions relief.	
North-Western Provinces and Oudh—contd.													
16	Bara Banki . . . . .	...	1,351	1,351	...	1,206	1,206	...	997	997	...	1,459
17	Mirzapur	2,524	15,009	17,543	2,153	14,138	16,291	25	12,388	12,413	793	11,327	
18	Bijnor . . . . .	...	1,509	1,509	...	1,593	1,593	...	1,606	1,606	...	1,391
19	Moradabad . . . . .	...	1,717	1,717	...	1,833	1,833	...	1,669	1,669	...	1,221
20	Baroilly . . . . .	...	799	799	...	812	812	...	832	832	...	851
21	Muttra . . . . .	...	2,314	2,314	...	2,089	2,089	...	2,047	2,047	...	1,689
22	Etah . . . . .	...	1,075	1,075	...	669	669	...	695	695	...	775
23	Mainpuri . . . . .	...	217	217	...	1,001	1,001	...	1,797	1,797	...	2,414
24	Farukhabad . . . . .	...	2,356	2,356	...	1,385	1,385	...	1,397	1,397	...	1,366
25	Budann . . . . .	...	327	327	...	288	288	...	295	295	...	284
26	Shahjahanpur . . . . .	...	3,492	3,492	...	3,398	3,398	...	3,383	3,383	...	2,749
27	Pilibhit	587	2,118	2,705	455	2,116	2,571	...	2,084	2,084	...	2,072	
28	Kheri . . . . .	...	708	708	159	440	599	...	359	359	...	385
29	Sultanpur . . . . .	...	1,900	1,900	...	1,949	1,949	...	1,776	1,776	...	1,488
30	Pertabgarh . . . . .	...	4,385	4,385	...	3,732	3,732	...	3,272	3,272	...	2,468
31	Fyzabad . . . . .	...	1,067	1,067	...	767	767	...	759	759	...	501
32	Fatehpur . . . . .	...	8,861	8,861	...	9,101	9,101	...	8,954	8,954	...	8,190
33	Azamgarh	12	12,571	12,583	...	12,713	12,713	...	11,606	11,606	...	10,409	
34	Benares . . . . .	...	11,220	11,220	...	17,897	17,897	...	17,248	17,248	...	17,163
35	Gonda . . . . .	...	1,664	1,664	...	2,941	2,941	...	2,356	2,356	...	2,456
36	Basti . . . . .	...	798	798	...	866	866	...	670	670	...	568
TOTAL FOR N.-W. P. & O.		64,369	404,971	469,340	52,364	414,457	466,821	30,662	392,838	423,500	24,290	373,417*	
Punjab.													
1	Hissar	16,537	7,409	23,946	15,207	7,363	22,570	9,228	7,405	16,633	8,353	7,010	
2	Rohtak	72	1,861	1,933	...	1,457	1,457	...	569	569	...	61	
3	Delhi . . . . .	...	642	642	...	653	653	...	642	642	...	651
4	Karnal	1,078	1,082	2,160	900	208	1,108	1,286	866	2,152	1,116	209	
5	Umballa . . . . .	...	630	630	...	331	331	...	261	261	...	147
6	Ferozpur	532	...	532	380	...	380	266	...	266	...	...
TOTAL PUNJAB		18,219	11,624	22,843	16,487	10,012	26,499	10,780	9,743	20,523	9,469	8,078	
Central Provinces.													
1	Saugor	26,220	12,235	38,455	23,372	13,295	36,667	18,835	14,568	33,403	11,841	16,308	
2	Damoh	29,874	14,781	44,655	25,805	14,831	40,636	16,768	15,595	32,363	12,783	15,562	
3	Jabalpur	35,311	44,092	79,403	34,019	42,309	76,328	26,080	44,657	70,737	23,119	45,070	
4	Mandla	14,786	4,896	19,682	14,105	7,560	21,665	14,864	11,576	26,440	15,495	16,527	
5	Seoni	6,480	7,122	13,602	5,649	9,665	15,314	6,274	11,528	17,802	4,198	12,999	
6	Narsinghpur	17,748	10,665	28,413	21,799	11,992	33,791	26,174	13,529	39,703	22,515	14,400	
7	Hoshangabad	40,114	6,731	46,845	36,389	7,129	43,518	43,545	7,490	51,035	35,053	7,787	
8	Nimar	934	1,189	2,123	1,069	1,116	2,185	1,136	1,150	2,286	1,069	1,401	
9	Betul	7,902	3,487	11,389	8,532	3,714	12,246	9,661	3,967	13,628	8,499	4,983	
10	Chindwara	16,606	3,237	19,843	15,013	3,315	18,328	14,944	3,952	18,896	14,613	4,100	
11	Nagpur	11,623	4,848	16,471	8,923	5,549	14,472	9,551	7,238	16,789	7,756	8,522	
12	Chanda . . . . .	...	2,113	2,113	...	1,704	1,704	...	1,937	1,937	...	1,530
13	Bhandara	17,825	8,916	26,741	14,929	8,790	23,719	17,168	8,756	25,924	15,897	8,837	
14	Balughat	36,549	11,685	48,234	36,394	11,390	47,784	37,894	11,911	49,805	28,741	12,362	
15	Raipur	48,217	17,615	65,832	47,209	18,498	65,707	44,833	21,364	66,197	40,909	22,955	
16	Bilaspur	50,293	62,584	112,877	52,270	67,733	120,003	47,400	75,693	123,093	44,957	80,856	
17	Sambalpur	1,049	...	1,049	875	174	1,049	871	...	871	800	71	
18	Wardha	2,143	512	2,655	1,995	647	2,642	2,029	431	2,460	851	505	
TOTAL CENTRAL PROV- INCES		363,674	216,708	580,382	348,347	229,411	577,758	338,027	255,342	593,369	289,099	274,784	
Burma.													
1	Meiktila	6,666	898	7,564	(not reported)	...	...	1,824	261	2,085	792	122
2	Myingyan	21,457	5,578	27,035	20,893	5,144	26,037	19,819	5,174	24,993	15,998	4,004	
3	Yamethin . . . . .	...	316	316	(not reported)	...	...	...	274	274	...	259
TOTAL BURMA		28,123	6,792	34,915	20,893	5,144	26,037	21,643	5,709	27,352	16,790	4,385	

* Exclusive of 73,455 relieved from the Indian Charitable Relief Fund.

† Includes 5,160 gratuitously relieved on family domains of the Maharaja of Benares.

‡ There were also 15,681 persons employed on railway and other private work.

Return of the number of persons in receipt of relief in districts affected by scarcity—concluded.

No.	Name of Province and District.	FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 14TH AUGUST 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 21ST AUGUST 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 28TH AUGUST 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 4TH SEPTEMBER 1897.		
		Relief works.	Gra- tuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gra- tuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gra- tuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gra- tuitous relief.	Total.
Berar.													
1	Akola	3,586	3,015	6,601	3,200	3,467	6,667	2,768	4,887	7,655	345	4,323	4,668
2	Basim	729	407	1,136	397	504	901	...	508	508	...	372	372
3	Ellichpur	1,773	2,858	4,631	1,948	2,191	4,139	1,910	3,023	4,933	2,384	2,894	5,278
4	Amravati	1,541	785	2,326	330	437	767	461	445	906	8	347	355
5	Buldana	527	1,007	1,534	...	63	63	...	...	...	...	179	179
6	Wun	1,914	608	2,522	1,849	561	2,410	163	...	163	103	...	103
TOTAL BERAR		10,070	8,680	18,750	7,734	7,223	14,957	5,302	8,863	14,165	2,840	8,115	10,955
Hyderabad.													
1	Raichur . . . . .	...	786	786	...	552	552	...	...	...	15,531	5,744	21,275
2	Naldurg	14,678*	1,046	15,724	12,699*	1,007	13,706	17,427†	1,592	19,019			
3	Gulbarga . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Lingsagar . . . . .	...	719	719	...	758	758	...	773	773			
5	Bir . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Mahbubnagar . . . . .	...	11	11	...	175	175	...	15	15			
7	Hyderabad . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Elgandal . . . . .	...	1,073	1,073	...	1,853	1,853	...	1,248	1,248			
9	Aurangabad . . . . .	...	...	...	...	1,391	1,391	...	1,083	1,083			
TOTAL HYDERABAD		14,678	3,635	18,313	12,699	5,736	18,435	17,427	4,711	22,138	15,531	5,744	21,275
Central India.													
1	Bundelkhand	18,784	6,294	25,078	16,250	5,924	22,174	15,558	7,057	22,615	16,216	8,138	24,354
2	Baghelkhand	14,527	4,076	18,603	12,846	2,652	15,498	11,072	5,010	16,082	10,072	5,081	15,153
3	Gwalior	8,625	2,937	11,562	7,082	3,595	10,677	6,832	3,788	10,620	5,157	3,011	8,168
4	Bhopal . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	750	678	1,428
TOTAL CENTRAL INDIA		41,936	13,307	55,243	36,178	12,171	48,349	33,462	15,855	49,317	32,195	16,908	49,103
Rajputana.													
1	Marwar . . . . .	...	1,217	1,217	...	1,113	1,113	...	1,098	1,098	...	...	...
2	Dholpur	815	739	1,554	433	504	937	344	417	761	453	407	860
3	Bikanir . . . . .	...	68	68	...	98	98	...	79	79	...	79	79
4	Jaisalmer . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Bharatpur . . . . .	...	381	381	...	374	374	...	374	374	...	251	251
6	Tonk	2,367	4,450	6,817	2,577	3,389	5,966	782	3,789	4,571	792	3,755	4,547
7	Deoli . . . . .	...	8	8	...	...	...	...	8	8	...	8	8
8	Bundi . . . . .	...	303	303	...	...	...	...	280	280	...	297	297
TOTAL RAJPUTANA		3,182	7,166	10,348	3,010	5,478	8,488	1,126	6,045	7,171	1,245	4,797	6,042
GRAND TOTAL FOR ALL PROVINCES		1,524,155	1,325,893	2,850,048	1,434,310	1,300,018	2,734,328	1,357,205	1,255,786	2,612,991	1,261,194	1,191,205	2,452,399

* Includes Gulbarga, Raichur, Naldurg, Lingsagar, Bir, Mahbubnagar, Hyderabad and Elgandal.

† Includes Gulbarga, Raichur, Naldurg, Lingsagar, Bir, Mahbubnagar, Hyderabad and Elgandal.

‡ No details reported.

§ Besides 1,678 on ordinary works.

The dates at the head of the table are the dates of the *Gazette of India* in which the Provincial totals were published. The figures however actually show the numbers on relief on each preceding Saturday. All previous returns should be read subject to a similar correction.

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Dated 11th September, 1897.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

PRODUCTION OF YARN AND WOVEN GOODS IN THE COTTON MILLS OF BRITISH INDIA.

The Cotton Duties Act, XVII of 1894, provided (Section 7) that each owner or agent of a cotton mill should make a monthly return of the production of yarn in his mill. This provision was continued by the Cotton Duties Act, II of 1896, when the former Act was repealed, and provision was also then made for a return of woven goods (Sections 8 and 31). The returns made in accordance with the requirements of the law begin in respect of yarns from December 1894 and in respect of woven goods from February 1896; and they have been tabulated in the Statistical Bureau as follows:

for yarns,

- (1) December 1894 to March 1895;
- (2) April 1895 to March 1896;
- (3) April 1896 to March 1897, in quarters;

for woven goods:

- (1) February and March 1896;
- (2) April 1896 to March 1897, in quarters.

An examination of the tables brings out the facts and features mentioned in the subjoined paragraphs.

Production of yarn.

The statistics for the first of the three periods mentioned may be neglected for the purpose of this note.

1. The production of yarn in the mills in each province for the last two years was:

		No. 20 and lower counts. lbs.	Counts above No. 20. lbs.	Total. lbs.
Madras	{ 1895-96 . 1896-97 .	27,641,085 21,180,993	1,223,040 3,138,333	28,864,125 29,319,326
Bombay	{ 1895-96 . 1896-97 .	283,030,275 252,751,538	40,160,181 45,402,451	323,190,456 298,153,989
Bengal	{ 1895-96 . 1896-97 .	37,710,056 40,752,732	682,500 1,354,211	38,392,556 42,106,993
North-Western Pro- vinces and Oudh.	{ 1895-96 . 1896-97 .	18,604,022 20,377,683	280,942 815,310	18,975,864 21,193,023
Panjab	{ 1895-96 . 1896-97 .	4,108,751 5,083,191	245,078 231,643	4,353,829 5,314,834
Central Provinces	{ 1895-96 . 1896-97 .	16,442,084 14,802,950	1,553,217 2,808,855	17,995,301 17,611,811
Ajmere-Merwara	{ 1895-96 . 1896-97 .	1,236,516 1,183,389	172,809 172,071	1,409,415 1,355,460
Berar	{ 1895-96 . 1896-97 .	1,627,810 1,905,067	307,180 438,432	1,934,990 2,343,499
TOTAL	{ 1895-96 . 1896-97 .	390,491,499 363,037,599	44,625,046 54,361,336	435,116,545 417,398,935

2. In Bombay, the Central Provinces, and Ajmere, there was a decrease in production last year; in other provinces there was an increase. The general result for all India (excluding the mills in the Native States and in the French-Indian Possessions, for which there are no returns) is a reduction in the outturn of about 4 per cent.

3. The figures indicate the extent to which the spinning of yarn is confined to Bombay, the mills of that province producing about 71 per cent of the quantity produced in all India. Bengal produced a little over 10 per cent, Madras about 7 per cent, the North-Western Provinces 5 per cent, and the Central Provinces about 4 per cent. Elsewhere the production is as yet very limited.

4. The production of yarn in the Bombay mills has been as follows:—

1895-96 . . .	323.2 million lbs.
1896-97—	
1st quarter . . .	88.8 million lbs.
2nd „ . . .	87.8 „
3rd „ . . .	81.1 „
4th „ . . .	40.4 „

These figures shew the effect on the industry of the plague which was epidemic in Bombay and in its vicinity from September 1896. Production declined appreciably in the third quarter, and in the fourth quarter the yarn spun was less than half the production in any of the previous three quarters. But, notwithstanding the interruption to work caused by the epidemic, the result at the end of the year was that the total outturn was not quite 8 per cent short of that of 1895-96. The first half of the year, in fact, was good for the mills, as it was for trade generally. In the second half, or rather the last quarter, many of the mills in the city of Bombay had to close their doors while others had to work short time in consequence of the flight from the city of the mill operatives. The prevalence of famine too interfered with the sale of yarn in India.

5. Another noticeable fact brought out by the returns is that the production of yarn of counts higher than number 20 is as much as 54,361,336 lbs., being about 13 per cent of the whole production, and that the quantity spun is much larger than in the preceding year. In Bengal, the North-Western Provinces, and the Panjab the mills spin hardly any yarn above number 20, yarn of that count and lower numbers representing from 56 to 97 per cent of the whole production. In Bombay, however, the spinning of the higher counts (above 20) is 15 per cent of the whole, in the Central Provinces it is 16 per cent, and in Berar nearly 19 per cent.

Production of woven goods.

6. The subjoined table presents the facts regarding the production of woven goods during 1896-97. As stated in the beginning of this note no returns in respect of these goods were received until the last two months of 1895-96, and therefore the figures for 1896-97 must stand by themselves:

	Grey goods.	Other goods.	Total.
	lbs. †	lbs.	lbs.
Madras	4,897,098	388,070	5,285,168
Bombay	61,647,781	6,375,980	68,023,761
Bengal	277,305	4,966	282,271
North-Western Provinces and Oudh	2,466,166	...	2,466,166
Panjab	873,146	...	873,146
Central Provinces	3,990,849	1,071,029	5,061,878
Ajmere-Merwara	422,654	...	422,654
Berar	906,461	6	906,467
Total	75,481,460	7,840,051	83,321,511

7. Weaving is concentrated in the Bombay mills to an even greater degree than spinning, the mills of that province producing over 81 per cent of the whole quantity woven in the Indian mills. Madras and the Central Provinces produce each about 6 per cent of the whole. In the Bengal mills there is practically no weaving done yet.

8. The effects of plague and famine on the weaving done in the Bombay mills are as conspicuous as they are in the case of spinning, though the decline in the production was not so large:—

1st quarter of 1896-97	19.2 million lbs.
2nd " " "	17.8 " "
3rd " " "	18.3 " "
4th " " "	12.6 " "

The decline in the last quarter was about 31 per cent.

9. The goods woven are mainly grey (unbleached) goods. These represent over 90 per cent of the whole production in Bombay and also in India generally. In the Central Provinces only does any material proportion of the weaving consist of the finer goods—that is, goods other than grey goods: there it is about 21 per cent of the whole production.

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August 31, 1897.

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I.—Summary shewing total quantity (in lbs.) of Yarn produced in the Cotton Mills in each Province in British India.

Province.	1894-95.	1895-96.	1896-97.				
	December 1894 to March 1895	Whole year	1st quarter	2nd quarter	3rd quarter	4th quarter	Whole year
Madras	6,740,507	28,864,125	7,258,808	7,536,298	7,327,863	7,196,357	29,319,326
Bombay	73,310,690	323,190,456	88,828,415	87,815,118	81,086,281	40,424,175	298,153,989
Bengal	9,942,319	38,392,556	9,861,608	10,456,258	10,700,604	11,088,523	42,106,993
North-Western Provinces and Oudh.	5,005,879	18,975,864	4,844,296	5,077,156	5,313,044	5,958,527	21,193,023
Panjab	935,804	4,353,829	1,193,491	1,247,939	1,345,686	1,527,718	5,314,834
Central Provinces	3,866,560	17,995,301	4,522,359	4,415,669	4,153,141	4,520,642	17,611,811
Ajmere-Merwara	357,354	1,409,415	319,902	393,477	289,129	352,952	1,355,460
Hyderabad Assigned Districts	353,008	1,934,999	584,347	583,685	586,857	588,610	2,343,499
TOTAL	100,512,121	435,116,545	117,413,226	117,525,600	110,802,605	71,657,504	417,398,935

II.—Summary shewing total quantity (in lbs.) of Woven Goods produced in the Cotton Mills in each Province in British India.

Province.	1895-96.	1896-97.				
	February and March	1st quarter	2nd quarter	3rd quarter	4th quarter	Whole year
Madras	747,190	1,315,231	1,498,443	1,164,539	1,306,955	5,285,168
Bombay	7,533,139	19,223,546	17,815,543	18,343,606	12,641,066	68,023,761
Bengal	14,214	53,988	94,985	84,192	49,106	282,271
North-Western Provinces and Oudh	513,631	804,439	691,629	430,720	539,378	2,466,166
Panjab	91,264	254,064	144,610	224,827	249,645	873,146
Central Provinces	747,010	1,199,958	1,404,050	1,472,913	984,957	5,061,878
Ajmere-Merwara	72,830	107,911	72,264	102,137	140,342	422,654
Hyderabad Assigned Districts	70,694	148,287	183,072	288,959	286,149	906,467
TOTAL	9,789,972	23,107,424	21,904,596	22,111,893	16,197,598	83,321,511

III.—Gross amount (in Rupees) of Excise Duty realised, under the Cotton Duties Act II of 1896, from the Cotton Mills in British India.

Province.	1895-96.	1896-97.				
	February and March	1st quarter	2nd quarter	3rd quarter	4th quarter	Whole year
Madras	496	17,266	15,003	10,680	13,345	56,294
Bombay	196	83,543	2,63,027	3,02,963	2,63,725	9,13,258
Bengal	69	817	1,649	673	1,341	4,480
North-Western Provinces and Oudh	4,165	12,008	12,240	7,821	7,050	39,119
Panjab	615	3,151	3,383	3,105	3,409	13,048
Central Provinces . . . . .	...	605	46,843	23,621	17,899	88,968
Ajmere-Merwara	94	1,855	1,958	481	2,034	6,328
Hyderabad Assigned Districts	244	1,953	2,018	3,376	5,589	12,936
TOTAL	5,879	1,21,198	3,46,121	3,52,720	3,14,392	11,34,431

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
RAILWAY STATISTICS.**

STATEMENT OF APPROXIMATE GROSS EARNINGS OF INDIAN RAILWAYS FROM 1ST JULY TO 29TH AUGUST 1896, AND FROM 1ST JULY TO 28TH AUGUST 1897.

N.B.—As regards the figures in column Total Earnings from 1st July 1897, audited figures have been used as far as possible.

RAILWAY.	Average earnings per mile per week during the 2nd-half of 1896.	WEEK ENDING 29TH AUGUST 1896.				WEEK ENDING 28TH AUGUST 1897.				Earnings from 1st July to 29th August 1896.	Earnings from 1st July to 28th August 1897.	Increase.	Decrease.
		Mean mileage worked.	Earnings.		Mean mileage worked.	Earnings.							
			Total.	Per mile open per week.		Total.	Per mile open per week.						
State Lines worked by companies.	Rs.	Miles.	Rs.	Rs.	Miles.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Standard gauge—													
East Indian	583	1,735	8,05,701	464	1,736	9,55,000	550	70,97,592	84,55,000	13,57,408	...	...
Bengal Central (a)	158	125	24,820	199	125	23,400	187	1,41,475	1,59,000	17,525	...	...
Bengal-Nagpur	118	802	74,756	87	862	76,000	88	6,10,967	6,78,000	67,033	...	...
Indian Midland (b)	133	752	87,845	117	752	1,05,000	140	9,94,388	9,45,000	2,50,612	...	...
Bezwada extn. (East Coast state)	116	21	1,432	21	21	2,300	110	16,782	25,700	8,918	...	...
Mad.-Ennūr sec. (Bezwada-Mad.)	167	9	2,501	278	9	1,600	178	15,620	9,400	...	6,220	...	
Metre gauge—													
Rajputana-Malwa (c)	191	1,815	3,24,197	179	1,815	2,99,000	165	23,21,745	26,19,000	2,97,255	...	...
Pālanpur-Deesa	45	17	531	31	17	500	18	4,333	3,600	...	733	...	
South Indian	101	1,042	1,81,998	175	1,042	1,67,000	160	13,61,544	14,41,000	79,456	...	...
Máyavaram-Mutpet	89	54	4,553	84	54	4,700	87	41,137	43,100	1,963	...	...
Southern Mahratta (d)	109	1,165	1,08,194	93	1,165	1,71,000	147	8,86,274	13,55,000	4,68,726	...	...
Mysore sec. (Southern Mahratta)	102	296	26,470	89	296	39,000	132	2,13,305	3,32,000	1,18,695	...	...
Bengal and North-Western (e)	128	756	77,174	102	815	83,000	102	7,77,311	8,87,000	1,09,689	...	...
Lucknow-Bareilly Section	64	200	7,722	39	200	9,000	45	85,400	91,100	5,640	...	...
Assam-Benga	57	159	8,327	52	238	14,400	61	76,489	91,200	14,711	...	...
Burma	145	886	1,12,150	127	886	1,05,000	127	8,92,256	9,80,000	87,744	...	...
TOTAL	218	9,894	18,48,371	187	10,033	20,58,700	205	1,52,36,678	1,81,15,100	28,78,422	...	...
State Lines worked by the State.													
Standard gauge—													
North Western (f)	198	2,656	4,61,350	174	2,883	6,68,000	232	40,35,388	49,56,000	9,20,612	...	...
Oudh and Rohilkhand (including the metre gauge link)	181	797	1,10,652	139	875	1,13,000	129	10,82,393	11,31,000	48,607	...	...
Eastern Bengal (including metre and 2' 6" gauges)	423	814	3,74,421	460	814	3,37,000	414	22,73,575	19,46,000	...	3,27,575	...	
East Coast	89	500	81,976	164	538	83,600	155	4,20,134	5,10,000	84,866	...	...
Special gauges—													
Jorhāt	87	25	2,447	98	25	2,300	88	18,085	16,000	...	2,085	...	
Cherra-Companyganj	60	...	...	...	...	(g)	...	...	(g)	...	...	...
TOTAL	221	4,792	10,30,846	215	5,135	12,03,800	232	78,34,575	85,59,000	7,24,425	...	...
Lines worked by guaranteed cos.													
Standard gauge—													
Great Indian Peninsula (h)	348	1,490	4,68,615	315	1,491	4,50,000	302	35,68,451	36,74,000	75,549	...	...
Bombay, Baroda and Central India	542	461	2,35,903	512	461	2,02,000	438	16,18,826	18,21,000	2,02,174	...	...
Madras	248	840	2,18,142	260	840	2,41,000	287	17,13,767	19,60,000	2,46,233	...	...
TOTAL	350	2,791	9,22,660	331	2,792	8,93,000	320	60,31,044	74,55,000	5,23,956	...	...
TOTAL (GUARANTEED AND STATE) Assisted companies.	240	17,477	38,01,877	218	17,960	41,55,500	231	3,00,02,297	3,41,29,100	41,26,803	...	...
Standard gauge—													
Delhi-Umballa-Kalka	157	160	20,959	131	160	20,800	186	1,78,398	2,34,000	55,602	...	...
Tarkessur	242	22	4,306	190	22	3,800	173	43,728	41,800	...	1,928	...	
Metre gauge—													
Rohilkund and Kumaon (Coy.'s sec.)	120	66	5,985	91	66	6,100	92	62,547	55,500	...	7,047	...	
Bengal-Doonars	176	36	6,509	182	36	8,600	239	51,398	59,000	8,502	...	...
Dibru-Sadiya	161	78	12,345	158	78	16,400	210	98,329	1,31,000	34,671	...	...
Ahmedabad-Parántij	...	...	...	...	41	1,200	29	...	13,500	13,500	...	...
Special gauge—													
Darjeeling-Himalayan	288	51	12,772	250	51	15,000	294	1,20,513	1,23,000	2,487	...	...
TOTAL	174	413	62,936	152	454	80,900	178	5,54,913	6,60,700	1,05,787	...	...
Lines owned by native states and worked by other agencies.													
Standard gauge—													
Bina-Goonā	27	74	2,172	29	74	900	12	13,824	10,000	...	3,824	...	
Bhopal-Ujjain	80	114	12,622	111	114	3,700	32	77,430	41,000	...	36,430	...	
Nāgdā-Ujjain	49	34	2,565	75	35	800	23	110,985	8,600	...	2,385	...	
The Nizam's guaranteed state	181	333	56,212	164	334	62,200	186	4,36,925	5,60,000	1,23,075	...	...
The Gaekwar's Petlād	111	13	1,292	99	13	700	54	9,556	7,600	...	1,956	...	
Rājputra-Bhātinda	135	108	16,462	152	108	16,300	101	1,05,080	79,800	...	85,280	...	
Kolar Gold-fields	377	10	3,631	360	10	4,900	490	28,463	33,100	4,637	...	...
Metre gauge—													
Yesvantpur-Mysore Fron. including Mysore-Nanjangud	80	66	5,301	80	66	7,200	109	43,276	59,000	15,724	...	...
The Gaekwar's Melhāna	65	93	5,405	58	93	4,800	52	38,220	42,000	4,680	...	...
Kolhāpur	74	29	2,077	72	29	2,200	76	16,007	20,000	3,993	...	...
Special gauges—													
The Gaekwar's Dabhoi	49	72	3,071	43	79	3,200	41	20,941	26,700	5,759	...	...
Anklesvar-Pārdi section (Rajpipla)	...	...	...	...	19	300	16	...	1,800	1,800	...	...
Cooch Behar	56	22	883	40	22	1,400	64	7,833	5,000	...	2,833	...	
TOTAL	115	968	1,11,663	115	996	1,03,200	104	8,68,540	8,95,500	26,960	...	...
Lines owned & worked by n. states													
Metre gauge—													
Bhāvnagar-Gondal-Junāgarh-Porbdr.	84	334	23,724	71	334	23,600	71	1,82,380	1,34,000	1,620	...	...
Jetalsar-Rājkot	76	46	2,841	62	46	3,700	80	23,446	27,300	3,854	...	...
Jāmnagar	...	...	...	...	51	3,300	65	...	17,600	17,600	...	...
Jodhpur-Bickaneer	61	364	15,912	44	364	10,000	44	1,34,953	1,53,000	18,047	...	...
Godoyore-Chitor	43	60	2,533	42	60	3,300	55	20,268	17,900	...	2,368	...	
Special gauge—Morvi	70	94	6,230	66	94	6,500	69	47,277	51,500	4,223	...	...
TOTAL	70	898	51,240	57	940	56,400	59	4,08,324	4,51,300	42,976	...	...
GRAND TOTAL	225	19,756	40,27,716	204	20,359	43,96,000	216	3,18,34,074	3,61,36,600	43,02,526	...	...

- (a) Although for convenience classed amongst state railways, this line is the property of the Bengal Central Railway Company.
(b) Includes the Bhopal-Itārai railway.
(c) Includes the Godhra-Rutlam-Nāgdā railway.
(d) Includes the Guntakal-Mysore frontier section.
(e) Includes the Tirhoot state railway. Although for convenience classed amongst state railways, the company's section of this line is the property of the Bengal and North-Western Railway Company.

- (f) Includes the Jammu and Kashmir and the Hyderabad-Shadi-palli railways.
(g) Information not received.
(h) Includes the Wardha Coal, the Dhond-Manmād, the Khāmgaon, and the Amrāoti railways.
(i) Total earnings from the 15th July to the 29th August 1896.

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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
RAILWAY STATISTICS.**

**No. XX OF 1897-98.
STATEMENT OF APPROXIMATE GROSS EARNINGS OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.**
N.B.—As regards the figures in column Total earnings from 1st April 1897, audited figures have been used as far as possible.

RAILWAY.	Average earnings per mile per week in 1896-97.	WEEK ENDING 29TH AUGUST 1896.				WEEK ENDING 28TH AUGUST 1897.				Earnings from 1st April to 29th August 1896.	Earnings from 1st April to 28th August 1897.	Increase.	Decrease.
		Mean mileage worked.	Earnings.		Mean mileage worked.	Earnings.							
			Total.	Per mile open per week.		Total.	Per mile open per week.						
State lines worked by companies.	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>Miles.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>Miles.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	
Standard gauge—													
East Indian	605	1,735	8,05,701	464	1,736	9,55,000	550	1,09,09,245	2,33,58,000	33,88,755	...	...
Bengal Central (a)	146	125	24,820	199	125	23,400	187	3,49,562	3,86,000	36,438	...	...
Bengal-Nagpur	137	862	74,756	87	862	76,000	88	21,78,943	23,19,000	1,40,057	...	...
Indian Midland (b)	139	752	87,845	117	752	1,05,000	140	20,57,156	25,81,000	5,23,844	...	...
Bezawada extn. (East Coast state)	134	21	1,432	68	21	2,300	110	53,825	60,300	6,475	...	...
Mad.-Ennur sec. (Bezawada-Mad.)	163	9	2,501	278	9	1,600	178	32,413	25,800	...	...	6,613
Metre gauge—													
Rajputana-Malwa (c)	211	1,815	3,24,197	179	1,815	2,99,000	165	81,15,940	76,90,000	...	...	4,25,940
Palanpur-Deesa	58	17	531	31	17	300	18	25,324	17,600	...	...	7,724
South Indian	165	1,042	1,81,998	175	1,042	1,67,000	160	37,95,784	38,56,000	60,216	...	...
Máyavaram-Mutpet	91	54	4,553	84	54	4,700	87	1,10,606	1,12,000	1,394	...	...
Southern Mahratta (d)	116	1,165	1,08,194	93	1,165	1,71,000	147	29,42,153	34,19,000	4,76,847	...	...
Mysore sec. (Southern Mahratta)	103	296	26,470	89	296	39,000	132	6,17,232	8,28,000	2,10,768	...	...
Bengal and North-Western (e)	140	756	77,174	102	815	83,000	102	23,89,537	27,56,000	3,66,463	...	...
Lucknow-Bareilly section	70	200	7,722	39	200	9,000	45	3,18,509	3,47,000	28,491	...	...
Assam-Bengal	61	159	8,327	52	238	14,400	61	2,30,365	3,33,000	1,02,635	...	...
Burma	176	886	1,12,150	127	886	1,08,000	122	27,53,735	32,24,000	4,70,265	...	...
TOTAL	231	9,894	18,48,371	187	10,033	20,58,700	205	4,59,40,329	5,13,12,700	53,72,371	...	...
State lines worked by the State.													
Standard gauge—													
North Western (f)	211	2,656	4,61,350	174	2,883	6,68,000	232	1,16,49,313	1,22,28,000	5,78,687	...	...
Oudh and Rohilkhand (including the metre gauge link)	193	797	1,10,652	139	875	1,13,000	129	34,23,373	35,55,000	1,29,627	...	...
Eastern Bengal (including metre and 2' 6" gauges)	354	814	3,74,421	460	814	3,37,000	414	51,80,114	47,92,000	...	...	3,88,114
East Coast	94	500	81,976	164	538	83,600	155	10,86,185	11,90,000	1,03,815	...	...
Special gauges—													
Jorhat	73	25	2,447	98	25	2,200	88	38,032	42,500	4,468	...	...
Cherra-Companyganj	61	...	...	...	...	(g)	...	(h) 5,058	(i) 4,200	...	...	858
TOTAL	219	4,792	10,30,845	215	5,135	12,03,800	232	2,13,84,075	2,18,11,700	4,27,625	...	...
Lines worked by guaranteed cos.													
Standard gauge—													
Great Indian Peninsula (j)	407	1,490	4,68,615	315	1,491	4,50,000	302	1,33,98,889	1,10,60,000	...	...	23,38,889
Bombay, Baroda and Central India	630	461	2,35,093	512	461	2,02,000	438	66,41,656	63,08,000	...	...	3,33,656
Madras	253	840	2,18,142	260	840	2,41,000	287	45,39,771	49,66,000	4,26,229	...	...
TOTAL	397	2,791	9,22,660	331	2,792	8,93,000	320	2,45,80,316	2,23,34,000	...	...	22,46,316
TOTAL (GUARANTEED AND STATE) ASSISTED COMPANIES.	254	17,477	38,01,877	218	17,960	41,55,500	231	9,19,04,720	9,54,58,400	35,53,680	...	...
Standard gauge—													
Delhi-Umballa-Kalka	157	160	20,959	131	160	29,800	186	5,08,741	5,84,000	75,259	...	...
Tarkessur	273	22	4,306	196	22	3,800	173	1,32,673	1,33,000	327	...	...
Metre gauge—													
Rohilkund and Kumaon (Coy.'s sec.)	131	66	5,985	91	66	6,100	92	2,07,062	1,63,000	...	...	44,062
Bengal-Dooars	146	36	6,509	182	36	8,600	239	1,07,952	1,05,000	...	...	2,952
Dibru-Sadiya	167	78	12,345	158	78	16,100	210	2,61,776	3,37,000	75,224	...	...
Ahmedabad-Parantij	...	...	...	...	41	1,200	29	...	(k) 29,900	...	...	...
Special gauge—													
Darjeeling-Himalayan	287	51	12,772	250	51	15,000	294	3,52,474	3,30,000	...	...	22,474
TOTAL	176	413	62,936	152	454	80,900	178	15,70,678	16,81,900	1,11,222	...	...
Lines owned by native states and worked by other agencies.													
Standard gauge—													
Bina-Coona	28	74	2,172	29	74	900	12	37,579	42,000	5,321	...	...
Bhopal-Ujjain	80	114	12,622	111	114	3,700	32	1,95,794	1,41,000	...	...	54,794
Nagda-Ujjain	53	34	2,505	75	35	800	21	(l) 10,085	45,100	34,115	...	...
The Nizam's guaranteed state	101	333	56,212	169	334	62,200	186	12,63,441	14,05,000	1,41,559	...	...
The Gaekwar's Petlad	159	13	1,292	99	13	700	54	68,005	29,000	...	...	39,005
Rajputana-Bhatinda	159	108	16,402	152	108	10,900	101	5,00,532	2,24,000	...	...	2,76,532
Kolar Gold-fields	330	10	3,601	360	10	4,900	490	62,931	79,600	16,669	...	...
Metre gauge—													
Yesvantpur Mysore Fron. including Mysore-Nanjangud	77	66	5,301	80	66	7,200	109	1,04,794	1,32,000	27,206	...	...
The Gaekwar's Mehsana	85	93	5,405	58	93	4,800	52	2,15,027	1,49,000	...	...	66,027
Kolhapur	70	29	2,077	72	29	2,200	76	49,016	51,000	1,984	...	...
Special gauges—													
The Gaekwar's Dabhoi	63	72	3,071	43	79	3,200	41	1,03,418	95,300	...	...	8,118
Anklesvar-Pardi section (Rajpipla)	...	...	...	...	19	300	16	...	(m) 1,800	1,800	...	...
Cooch Behar	63	22	883	40	22	1,400	64	26,348	22,700	...	...	3,648
TOTAL	125	968	1,11,663	115	996	1,03,200	104	26,38,380	24,19,000	...	...	2,19,380
Lines owned & worked by n. states													
Metre gauge—													
Bhavnagar-Gondal-Junagarh-Porbandr.	108	334	23,724	71	334	23,600	71	7,97,256	7,40,000	...	...	47,856
Jetalsar-Rajkot	81	46	2,841	62	46	3,700	80	75,131	81,000	5,869	...	...
Jamnagar	...	...	...	...	51	3,300	65	...	(n) 47,600	47,600	...	...
Jodhpur-Bikaner	67	364	15,912	44	364	10,000	44	4,64,729	4,93,000	28,271	...	...
Odeypore-Chitor	42	60	2,533	42	60	3,300	55	53,530	49,300	...	...	4,230
Special gauge—Morvi	78	94	6,230	66	94	6,500	69	1,66,310	1,61,000	...	...	5,310
TOTAL	82	898	51,240	57	949	56,400	59	15,47,556	15,71,900	24,344	...	...
GRAND TOTAL	239	19,756	40,27,710	204	20,359	43,96,000	216	9,76,61,334	10,11,31,200	34,69,866	

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(b) Includes the Bhopal-Itarsi railway.
(c) Includes the Godhra-Rutlam-Nagdā railway.
(d) Includes the Guntakal-Mysore frontier section.
(e) Includes the Tirhoot state railway. Although for convenience classed amongst state railways, the company's section of this line is the property of the Bengal and North-Western Railway Company.
(f) Includes the Jammu and Kashmir and the Hyderabad-Shadipalli railways.

(g) Information not received.
(h) Total earnings from the 1st April to the 6th June 1896.
(i) Total earnings from the 1st April to the 5th June 1897.
(j) Includes the Wardha Coal, the Dhond-Manmad, the Khámgaon, and the Amráoti railways.
(k) Total earnings from the 1st May to the 28th August 1897.
(l) Total earnings from the 15th July to the 29th August 1896.
(m) Total earnings from the 1st July to the 28th August 1897.
(n) Total earnings from the 8th April to the 28th August 1897.

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NOTICE.

The 13th March, 1897.

From the 3rd April next, till further notice, Parts I, IV, V and VI of the *Gazette of India*, and the Weather and Crop Report will be published at Simla. After the 27th March all Notifications and other matter intended for publication in those Parts should be addressed to the Officiating Publisher at Simla.

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WM. ROSS,
Publisher, Gazette of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

INVENTIONS and DESIGNS.

Calcutta, the 9th September 1897.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2594 P.—APPLICATIONS in respect of the undermentioned inventions have been filed, under the provisions of the Inventions and Designs Act of 1888, in the office of the Secretary appointed under that Act, during the week ending 4th September 1897:—

- No. 340 of 1897.—Cowasji Dadabhoy Kharas, accountant, Government telegraph office Karachi, for improvements in racks for firearms in tents, etc.
- No. 341 of 1897.—Frederick Wicks, newspaper proprietor, of Halfway lodge, Esher, in the county of Surrey, for improvements in type-founding apparatus.
- No. 342 of 1897.—Gilbert William Sutton, civil engineer, of Rothmans, Great Baddon, Chelmsford, in the county of Essex, for improvements in tea driers.
- No. 343 of 1897.—Benjamin Franklyn Sparr, engineer, of No. 3 Centre street, in the city of Newark, county of Essex and state of New Jersey, U. S. A., for improvements in anti-friction bearings.
- No. 344 of 1897.—Charles Kingston Welch, engineer, of Park house, Coventry, in the county of Warwick, for improvements in pneumatic wheels.
- No. 345 of 1897.—John King, engineer, of 70 and 71 Palace chambers, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, for improved means and apparatus for heating feed-water, promoting water circulation, and generating steam in locomotive and other steam boilers.
- No. 346 of 1897.—Sijndicaat tot Exploitatie der Patenten C. C. Van der Valk, of 's Gravenhage, in the kingdom of Holland, for a method and apparatus for stamping or marking paper and other thin combustible materials by the aid of heat.
- No. 347 of 1897.—William Richard Sumption Jones, engineer, of 3 Whitehall Court, Westminster, in the county of London, and Everard Richard Calthrop, engineer, of 56 Naylor street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, for improvements in or in connection with buffers and draw-bars for railway and other similar vehicles.
- No. 348 of 1897.—John Dempster Whyte, engineer, of 31 Lime avenue, Urmston, near Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, for improvements in spinning mules.
- No. 349 of 1897.—Tinkari Das, a member of the firm of Banerji & Co., proprietors, Sibpur chemical works, for improvements in picture frames, and in the method of framing and resetting pictures.

No. 2595 P.—SPECIFICATIONS of the undermentioned inventions have been filed, under the provisions of the Inventions and Designs Act of 1888, in the office of the Secretary appointed under that Act, and copies have been sent to the Governments of Fort St. George, Bombay, and Burma, and the Director of the department of land records and agriculture, North-Western Provinces and Oudh. These and other specifications are open to public inspection, from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M., at the Secretary's office (Imperial Secretariat, Government Place, West, Calcutta), on payment of a fee of one rupee, and a certified copy of any one of them will be supplied on payment of the fixed expenses of copying:—

- No. 265 of 1896.—William Martin, indigo planter, of Agra, for an improved water lift suitable for purposes of irrigation to the ryots of India. (Specification filed 31 May 1897.)

No. 25 of 1897.—G. Henke & Co., Henke's tile works, Feroke, for asphalte compressed tiles. (Specification filed 28 July 1897.)

No. 42 of 1897.—Samuel Cleland Davidson, merchant, of Sirocco engineering works, Belfast, for improvements in the manufacture of black tea from the green tea leaf. (Specification filed 31 August 1897.)

No. 43 of 1897.—Samuel Cleland Davidson, merchant, of Sirocco engineering works, Belfast, for improvements in apparatus for withering or limping tea leaf in the course of its manufacture into black "tea". (Specification filed 31 August 1897.)

No. 62 of 1897.—James Frank Duryea, mechanical engineer, of No. 70 Montrose street, in Springfield, county of Hampden and state of Massachusetts, U. S. A., for improvements in motor vehicles and the like. (Specification filed 31 August 1897.)

No. 75 of 1897.—Kelso King, underwriter, of No. 120 Pitt street, in the city of Sydney and colony of New South Wales, for improvements in pneumatic tyred wheels to facilitate the inflation of the tyres. (Specification filed 31 August 1897.)

No. 76 of 1897.—Friedrich Hermann Schule, manufacturer, of No. 94 Hammerdeuh, in the city of Hamburg, for improvements in and relating to the oscillating supports of shaking sieves. (Specification filed 31 August 1897.)

No. 86 of 1897.—Daniel Hall and James Henry Kay, tin plate workers, both of Ashton-under-Lyne, in the county of Lancaster, for improved means for humidifying air. (Specification filed 31 August 1897.)

No. 123 of 1897.—George Vickers Evans, assistant to Mr. F. W. Shallis, engineer, of 9 Marine street, Fort, Bombay, for a latrine for use of natives. (Specification filed 3 August 1897.)

No. 2596 P.—THE fees prescribed in Schedule 4 of Act V of 1888 have been paid for the continuance of exclusive privilege in respect of the undermentioned inventions for the periods shown against each:—

No. 211 of 1889.—James Yate Johnson's invention for improvements in graphophones or instruments for recording and reproducing speech and other sounds. (From 27 August 1897 to 27 August 1898.)

No. 278 of 1889.—Edward Sheardown and John Charles Barker's invention for a method of, and apparatus for, cleaning cotton seed. (From 26 September 1897 to 26 September 1898.)

No. 239 of 1890.—Carl Linde's invention for an improved method of, and means for, refrigerating and drying air. (From 14 September 1897 to 14 September 1898.)

No. 315 of 1890.—Samuel Baxter Boulton, Thomas Burt Haywood, Harold Edwin Boulton and Edmond Rich Gabbett's invention for improvements in apparatus for mixing, incorporating or effecting the circulation of liquids and semi-liquids in vessels. (From 29 September 1897 to 29 September 1898.)

No. 257 of 1892.—Maurice Lorois's invention for improvements in and connected with gas engines or motors. (From 24 January 1898 to 24 January 1899.)

No. 118 of 1893.—Bernard Charles Molloy's invention for improvements in precipitating and collecting metals from solutions containing them. (From 13 July 1897 to 13 July 1898.)

No. 2597 P.—WHEREAS the inventors of the undermentioned inventions have respectively failed to pay, within the time limited in that behalf by the fourth schedule to the Inventions and Designs Act (V of 1888), the fees hereinafter respectively mentioned, it is hereby notified that under the provisions of section 8, sub-section (2) of the said Act, the exclusive privilege of making, selling, and using the said inventions in British India and of authorizing others so to do has ceased:—

No. 54 of 1893.—Stanley Eskill Clifford's invention for improvements in bits for bridles. (Specification filed 1 June 1893.)

No. 75 of 1893.—Herbert Alfred Lucas Barry's invention for an improved drill brace. (Specification filed 1 June 1893.)

No. 91 of 1893.—Charles Chesney Cook's invention for an improved holder for billiard and other cues. (Specification filed 29 May 1893.)

No. 94 of 1893.—Alphonso Sprague Comstock's invention for improvements in tent pegs.
(Specification filed 1 June 1893.)

Fee in respect of the continuance of an exclusive privilege—

(4) (a) After the filing of the specification and before the expiration of the fourth year from the date of the filing thereof.

The sum of Rs 50 for each of the said inventions.

No. 204 of 1891.—The Sampan Patent Railway Sleeper and Steel Plant Syndicate's (Ld.) invention for improvements in the permanent-way of railways. (Specification filed 2 June 1892.)

Fee in respect of the continuance of an exclusive privilege—

4 (b) After the expiration of the fourth year and before the expiration of the fifth year from the date of the filing of the specification.

The sum of Rs 50 for the said invention.

NOTICES.

All communications relating to Act V (the Inventions and Designs Act) of 1888 should be addressed to the "Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Revenue and Agriculture (PATENTS BRANCH), CALCUTTA."

The office of the Secretary under the Act is open for the transaction of business from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M. on all days except Sundays and gazetted holidays.

The Government of India are advised that as trade marks are not "designs" within the meaning of the Act, they cannot be registered under Part II.

The fees payable under the fourth and sixth schedules are now collected in cash, and applicants are warned that they must be responsible for any delay in cashing cheques.

Copies of the weekly notifications, and of the quarterly lists, of applications and specifications filed in the Secretary's office are now on sale to the public at one anna and eight annas a copy respectively.

Attention is requested to the rules made by the Government on the 10th October, 1895, in regard to the preparation of applications, specifications and drawings.

All applications made under the Inventions and Designs Act, V of 1888, will from this date (December 19th, 1896) lie in the visitors' room of the Patents Office for ten days from the date of the *Gazette of India* in which their filing may have been notified; or, if the tenth day is a holiday, till the evening of the office day next following.

At the time of delivering or sending an application for leave to file a specification, the applicant shall cause a duplicate copy of the application to be delivered or sent therewith to the Secretary.

A. T. PRINGLE,
*Offg. Secy. under the Inventions and
Designs Act, 1888.*

ORDERS BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

The following selections and books are appointed for the examinations in 1898, 1899 and 1900 :—

[In all cases where reference is made to Chapters, Sections, Pages or Lines, thus (Chaps. V—VIII), the reference is to be understood as inclusive.]

ENTRANCE EXAMINATION, 1899.

ENGLISH.

The following portions of English Selections for the Entrance Examination of 1896, published by Messrs. Thacker, Spink & Co. :—

(TO BE READ.)

Prose.

March to Mexico.
Town and Country Life.
On the Art of Living.
Tarlton.

Poetry.

Hope.
Ode on the Spring.
The Morning Dream.
The Holly Tree.
The Loss of the " Birkenhead."
Evangeline.

(TO BE COMMITTED TO MEMORY)

Hope.
Ode on the Spring.
The Morning Dream.
The Holly Tree.

Two papers to be set in English—the first paper to contain questions on the text-book and questions on grammar arising therefrom ; the second paper to contain passages in a vernacular as defined in paragraph 6 of the Regulations for the Entrance Examination, for translation into English, together with questions on English composition. In the case of students whose vernacular is English, a special paper will be set in which simple essays or letters or other original composition, will replace the passages for translation into English.

ENTRANCE EXAMINATION, 1900.

GREEK.

Xenophon Anabasis, Books III and IV.
One paper to be set on Text and Grammar, and one paper on Translation and Composition.

LATIN.

Cæsar De Bello Gallico, Books I and II.
Phædrus Fables, edited by G. H. Nall, Books I and II,
(Macmillan's Elementary Classics.)

One paper to be set on Text and Grammar, and one paper on Translation and Composition, including easy passages from authors not prescribed beforehand to be translated into English.

GERMAN.

Hauff Di Karavane.
One paper to be set on Text and Grammar, and one paper on Translation and Composition.

FRENCH.

De Maistre La Jeune Sibérienne.
One paper to be set on Text and Grammar, and one paper on Translation and Composition.

HEBREW.

The Book of Genesis.
One paper to be set on Text and Grammar, and one paper on Translation and Composition.

ARMENIAN.

Michael Chamiteh History of Armenia, Parts I, II, and III.

SANSKRIT.

Calcutta University Selections for 1900, edited by Pandit Chandra Mohan Tarkaratna.

The following books or any others covering similar ground are recommended as text-books in Sanskrit Grammar :—

Vidyāsāgar	...	...	Vyākaraṇa Kaumudī,
			<i>or</i>
Vidyāsāgar	...	...	Upakramanikā, as translated by Rajkrishna Banerji, 12th edition,
			<i>or</i>
Nilmani Mukerjee	...	...	Laghumanjari,
			<i>or</i>
Herambanāth Tattvāratna	...	...	Vyākaraṇa Sangraha,
			<i>or</i>
Kalikumār Sarmā	...	...	Vyākaraṇādarsa,
			<i>or</i>
Kanailal Sāstri	...	...	Vyākaranabodh (in Hindi).

BENGALI.

Calcutta University Selections for 1900, edited by Babu Srischandra Chaudhuri, M.A., B.L.

ARABIC.

Sullam-ul-Adab ... Edited by Colonel Holroyd.

PERSIAN.

Revised Selections by Shams-ul-Ulama Ahmad.

URDU.

Revised Selections by Shams-ul-Ulama Ahmad.

HINDI.

Tulsidās	...	...	Rāmāyana Ajodhyā Kānda.
Harischandra	...	...	Satya Harischandra.

URIYA.

M. S. Rao	...	...	Prabandhamālā, pages 1-115.
Ram Narayan Ray	...	...	Kabitā Sangraha.

TELUGU.

Prose.

The Panchatantra.

Poetry.

Selections published by the University of Madras for the Entrance Examination of December 1893, pages 13—30.

PALI.

Poetry.

Khuddakapāṭha.

Prose.

Jātakas, 41-60 (excluding introductory stories and gloss on the stanzas).

BURMESE.

Prose.

Withandya Jataka.

Poetry.

Loka-Sara Son-ma-sá, prepared from original manuscripts under the auspices of the Vernacular Text-Book Committee, Rangoon.

TAMIL.

Poetry.

Tamil Poetical Anthology, No. II, page 15 to end.

Prose.

The Panchatantra ... Parts I, II, and III.

KHASI.

(FOR FEMALE CANDIDATES.)

H. Roberts	...	...	Khasi Grammar.
John Roberts	...	...	Fourth Reader.
			The Book of Job.

One paper to be set on the text-books in each of the Oriental languages (including questions on grammar and idiom, and easy sentences to be translated into English); and one paper containing (i) simple passages in English to be translated into one of the vernaculars of India* recognised by the Senate (the passages being taken from a newspaper or other current literature of the day), and (ii) a subject for original composition in one of the vernaculars recognised by the Senate. Half the value of the paper is to be assigned to the passages in English, and half to the subject for original composition.

HISTORY.

Ransome	...	...	A Short History of England (Longmans & Co.)
Haraprasad Sastri	...	...	School History of India.

GENERAL AND PHYSICAL GEOGRAPHY.

Clarke	...	...	Class Book of Geography, omitting (a) all the paragraphs headed "Communications"; (b) all the paragraphs headed "Historical Sketch"; or
Christian Literature Society	...	...	Manual of Geography (revised edition); and
Huxley	...	...	Science Primer—Introductory, Arts. 12—55; and
Geikie	Physical Geography Primer.

MATHEMATICS.

Euclid	† Elements of Geometry.
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The following editions are recommended:—

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| 1. Casey. | 5. Mackay. |
| 2. Deighton. | 6. Potts. |
| 3. Ghosh. | 7. Ray. |
| 4. Hall and Stevens. | 8. Todhunter. |
| 9. The Harpur Euclid, by Langley and Phillips. | |

DRAWING.‡

Poynter's South Kensington Drawing Books, first grade, ornament books, I to VI, and Freehand Elementary Design, Books I to II.

F.A. EXAMINATION, 1900.

ENGLISH.

Milton	...	...	Paradise Lost, Book II.
Scott	...	...	Marmion (omitting canto II).
Wordsworth	...	...	Selections from Wordsworth's Poems, by H. Turner (omitting the Ode on Immortality).
Blackie	...	...	Self-culture.
Hutton	...	...	Life of Scott.

Some subject for original composition to be set in one of the papers.

GREEK.

Herodotus	...	...	Book VII.
Euripides	...	...	Alcestis.

LATIN.

Virgil	...	...	Æneid, Book VI.
Cicero	...	...	Pro Milone.

With passages from Latin authors not prescribed beforehand to be translated into English.

FRENCH.

La Fontaine	...	...	Fables, Books I and II.
Dumas	...	...	Swiss Travel, being Chapters from Dumas' "Impressions de Voyage," edited by C. H. Parry.

GERMAN.

Schiller	...	...	Wilhelm Tell.
Goethe	...	...	Knabenjahre, edited by Wagner (Pitt Press Series).

* The vernaculars recognised by the Senate are the following:—Bengali, Hindi, Uriya, Marathi, Urdu, Burmese, Armenian, Parbatia, Assamese, Telugu, Guzerathi, Khasi, and Tamil.

† The notes are to be read as elucidating the text of Euclid, and the additional propositions are to be treated as riders.

‡ 1. Free-hand.

The candidate will be required to draw correctly, in outline straight lines, simple and compound curves. Drawing to be enlarged or reduced to a given size.

2. Model drawing—

By "Model drawing" the delineation of "Geometric solids or common objects from Nature" is to be understood. The candidate will be required to draw correctly, in outline, Geometric solids, as the cube, triangular, square, and hexagonal prisms, the cylinder and cone. The solids to be arranged in groups of two or three in combination with common objects without ornamentation, as vases, lotus, buckles, stools, &c.

Drawing to be not less than eight inches in height.

One paper to be set in this subject.

SANSKRIT.

Kālidāsa Raghuvansa, Cantos I—VII.

BENGALI FOR FEMALE CANDIDATES.

Akshay Kumar Dutt ... Chārupātha, Part III.
Madhusudan Datta ... Meghnad Badha, Cantos I, II.
Nabin Chandra Das ... Raghuvansa, Cantos XIII, XIV.

PALI.

Poetry.

Suttanipāta, the Cūlavagga.

Prose.

Jātakas, 150—200 (excluding introductory stories and gloss on the stanzas).

ARABIC.

Selections by Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel G. S. A. Ranking, M.D.

PERSIAN.

Revised Selections by Shams-ul-Ulama Ahmad.

URDU FOR FEMALE CANDIDATES.

Musddasi Hali ... The whole.
Abi Hayat ... Pages 237—264.
Fasani Ajayib ... „ 1—16.
Arayeshi Mahsil ... „ 4—36.
Urdu Moalla ... „ 5—37.

HEBREW.

Genesis.

Ruth.

Psalms I—XLI.

ARMENIAN.

Prose.

I.—Eghishès History of the Wars of the Vardons (fifth century), Parts I V, VI, and last ten pages of the supplement.

II.—A course of reading in classical Armenian for advanced students by Elisha. (Selections from ancient and modern classical authors.)

Poetry.

1. Joseph declaring himself to his brothers, pages 117—121.
2. The Mother and Daughter, pages, 191—194.
3. The Shepherd and Shepherdess, pages 212—216.

ELEMENTARY PHYSICS.

Ganot Popular Natural Philosophy, 5th edition, Book I, omitting articles 12, 13, 32—35, 49—52, 56, 61—75; Book II, omitting articles 107—110, Book III, omitting articles 124—131, 137—140; Book V, omitting articles 209, 210, 221, 222, 235, 240—242, 252, 260—265, 268—298, 302, 303, 305; Book VI, omitting articles 355, 365—374, 376—378, 381—397; Book VII, omitting articles 405, 407—409; Book VIII, omitting articles 416, 451—461, 488, 500—508, 511, 512, or the corresponding portions of any subsequent edition.

ELEMENTARY CHEMISTRY.

Roscoe and Lunt Inorganic Chemistry for Beginners.

BOTANY FOR FEMALE CANDIDATES.

Oliver's First Book of Indian Botany; the whole of Part I and Chapter I of Part II, viz., the Elements of Morphology and Physiology of Flowering Plants, the Principles of their Natural Classification, and the diagnosis and detailed accounts of the following six natural orders;—

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| 1. Anonaceæ. | | 4. Solanaceæ. |
| 2. Leguminosæ. | | 5. Euphorbiaceæ. |
| 3. Rubiaceæ. | | 6. Palmææ. |

LOGIC.

(a) The following books are recommended to be used in studying the subject of Logic as defined by the Syllabus prescribed:—

Any one of the following:—

Jevons	...	Elementary Lessons in Logic.
Stock	...	Deductive Logic.
Ray	...	Text-book of Deductive Logic.

(b) The following books are recommended for purposes of reference :—

Whately	Elements of Logic.
Hamilton	Lectures in Logic.
Mill	System of Logic.
Ueberweg	System of Logic and History of Logical Doctrines.
Keynes	Formal Logic.
Jevons	Studies in Deductive Logic.

The examination in Logic shall be on the subject as defined by the Syllabus, and shall not necessarily be confined to any one of the books recommended to be used in studying the subject.

HISTORY.

Smith	...	...	Smaller History of Rome.
Fyffe	...	...	Primer of the History of Greece.

MATHEMATICS.

Euclid	...	...	* Hall and Stevens's edition.
Asutosh Mukhopadhyay	...	...	Geometry of Conics, omitting—

- (a) All the propositions marked with an asterisk.
 (b) In Chapter I (on the Parabola) Propositions XVII, XVIII, XIX, XXIII, and XXV.
 (c) In Chapter II (on the Ellipse) Propositions XI, XVI, XVIII, XIX, XXIII, XXV, XXVIII, XXIX, XXXI, XXXIII, and XXXIV.
 (d) In Chapter III (on the Hyperbola), Propositions XIV, XVI, XVII, XXI, XXIX—XXXI, XXXIV, XXXV, and XXXVI.
 (e) The section of Chapter III dealing with the Equilateral-Hyperbola.

B.A. EXAMINATION, 1900.

ENGLISH.

PASS COURSE.

Shakespeare	...	...	Richard II, A Midsummer Night's Dream, Julius Cæsar.
Milton	...	...	Paradise Lost, Books IV and V.
Hales	...	...	Longer English Poems—Dryden to Byron, omitting Burns.
Burke	...	...	Reflections on the French Revolution.
Morley	...	...	Life of Burke (English Men of Letters Series).

HONOUR COURSE.

(In addition to the subjects for the Pass Course.)

Spenser	...	..	The Faery Queene, Book II.
Tennyson	...	...	The Princess.
Lamb	...	...	Essays of Elia (First Series).

Permanent Subjects.

Earle	...	...	Philology of the English Tongue.
Shaw	...	...	Outlines of English Literature.

GREEK.

PASS COURSE.

Sophocles	...	...	Philoctetes; Electra.
Demosthenes	...	...	De Corona.

HONOUR COURSE.

(In addition to the subjects for the Pass Course.)

Thucydides	...	...	Book II.
Euripides	Bacchæ.
Plato	Phædo.

Permanent Subject.

Peile	Primer of Philology.
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LATIN.

PASS COURSE.

Livy	Books IV and V.
Horace	Odes, Books I and II.
Cicero	Pro Cluentio.

* The notes are to be read as elucidating the text of Euclid, and the additional propositions are to be treated as

HONOUR COURSE.

(In addition to the subjects for the Pass Course.)

Juvenal	...	...	Satires, 8, 5, 7, 8, 10, 11.
Tacitus	...	...	Germania and Agricola.
Lucretius	De Rerum Natura, Books I and II.

Permanent Subject.

Peile	Primer of Philology.
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FRENCH.

(FOR FEMALE CANDIDATES.)

PASS COURSE.

Delavigne	Les Enfants d'Edouard, edited by H. W. Eve (Pitt Press Series).
Sainte-Beuve	...	...	Selections from the Causeries du Lundi, edited by G. Saintsbury (Clarendon Press Series)
Fenelon	...	..	Aventures de Telimaque, edited by C. J. Delille, Books I—XII (G. Bell and Sons).

HONOUR COURSE.

(In addition to the subjects for the Pass Course.)

Molière	...	...	L'Avare, edited by L. M. Moriarty (Macmillan & Co.).
Racine	...	...	Esther, edited by Saintsbury (Clarendon Press Series.)
Augustin Thierry	...	...	Récits des Temps Mérovingiens, edited by Gustave Masson, I—III (Cambridge University Press).

Permanent Subject.

Brachet	Historical Grammar of the French Language, translated by G. W. Kitchin (Clarendon Press Series).
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HEBREW.

PASS COURSE.

Samuel, I and II.			Psalms, XC—CL.
Chronicles, I and II.			Proverbs.

HONOUR COURSE.^b*(In addition to the subjects for the Pass Course.)*

Isaiah			
Ezekiel.			
The History of the Hebrew Language and Literature.			

SANSKRIT.

PASS COURSE.

Kālidāsa	...	...	Kumārasambhava, Cantos I—V.
Māgha	...	...	Sisupālabadha, Cantos I—II.
Kālidāsa	...	...	Sakuntalā, text as fixed in Pandit Iswarachandra Vidyāsāgar's edition.

HONOUR COURSE.

(In addition to the subjects for the Pass Course.)

Bhavabhuti	...	...	Uttararāmcharita.
Bhāravi	...	...	Kirātārjuniya, Cantos XIII, XIV.

Permanent subject.

Baradā Rājā	Laghukaumudi (Dr. Ballantyne's edition, as reprinted by Lazarus & Co., pages 1—282, i.e., to the end of <i>Tinanta</i>).
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ARABIC.

PASS COURSE.

Tarikh-i-Yamini	Pages 51 to 100 (Delhi Edition).
Mustatraf	The first 70 pages (Egyptian Edition).
Hamasah	...	...	31 pages (Urdu Guide Press).
Diwan-i-Mutanabbi	...	...	Calcutta edition (pages 283—332), beginning with the Qasidah for Azududdaulah.

HONOUR COURSE.

(In addition to the subjects for the Pass Course.)

Maqamat-i-Hariri	...	...	The first half.
Tarikh-i-Timuri	...	...	The whole.
Hamasah	...	...	84 pages from page 32 (Urdu Guide Press).
Banat Suad	...	...	The whole.

PERSIAN.

PASS COURSE.

Selections by Shams-ul-Ulama Ahmad.

HONOUR COURSE.

(In addition to the subjects for the Pass Course).

Aklak-i-Jalali	...	...	The whole.
Hafiz	...	...	From the beginning up to the end of Radifi Dal (Urdu Guide Press).
Wakai-i-Niamat Khan-i-Ali	...	...	The last half.
Masnaviyat of Maulana Rumi	...	...	From the beginning up to the story of Bazangan and Tuti.

PALI.

PASS COURSE.

Poetry.

Dhammapada (the whole) Dipavanisa (Oldewberg's).

Prose.

Milindapañha (Treuckner's), pages 1—211.

HONOUR COURSE.

(In addition to the subjects for the Pass Course).

Mahavanisa	...	...	Chapters 1—88.
Dīghanikāya	...	...	Vol. I (Pali Text Society's edition), the Brahmajāla and Samāññaphalasuttas.

Permanent subject.

Whitney's Science of Language.

MENTAL AND MORAL SCIENCE.

(a) The following books are recommended to be used in studying the subject of Mental and Moral Science as defined by the Syllabus prescribed:—

PASS COURSE.

Psychology.

Any one of the following—

Sully	...	...	Outlines of Psychology (new edition).
James	...	...	Text-book of Psychology.
Höfding	...	...	Outlines of Psychology.
Maher	...	...	Psychology.

Logic.

Bain	...	...	Logic, Introduction, Books II, III, IV, V (Chapter 5 only), VI;
			or
Mill	...	...	System of Logic, Introduction; Book I, Chapter VIII; Book II (omitting Chapter VII); Book III (omitting Chapters XVII, XVIII, XIX, XXV); Book IV, Chapters VII, VIII; Book V, Chapters IV, V.

Ethics.

Any one of the following—

Calderwood	...	...	Hand-book of Moral Philosophy.
James Seth	...	...	A Study of Ethical Principles.
D'Arcy	...	...	Short Study of Ethics.
Janet	...	...	Theory of Morals.
Martineau	...	...	Types of Ethical Theory, Vol. II, Book I, Book II, Branches I and II.

HONOUR COURSE.

Psychology.

Any one of the following—

Sully	...	...	Outlines of Psychology (new edition).
James	...	...	Text-book of Psychology.
Höfding	...	...	Outlines of Psychology.
Maher	...	...	Psychology.

Logic.

Bain	...	...	Logic, Introduction, Books II, III, IV, V (Chapter 5 only), VI;
			or
Mill	...	...	System of Logic, Introduction; Book I, Chapter VIII; Book II (omitting Chapter VII); Book III (omitting Chapters XVII, XVIII, XIX, XXV); Book IV, Chapters VII, VIII; Book V, Chapters IV, V.

Any one of the following—

Calderwood	...	...	Handbook of Moral Philosophy.
James Seth	...	...	A Short Study of Ethical Principles.
D'Arcy	...	...	Short Study of Ethics.
Janet	...	...	Theory of Morals.
Martineau	...	...	Types of Ethical Theory, Vol. II, Book I, Book II, Branches I and II.

*Ethics.**History of Philosophy.*

(General.)

Ueberweg	...	...	History of Philosophy, Vol. II;
Erdmann	...	...	History of Philosophy, Vol. II;
Weber	History of Philosophy (English Translation by F Thilly), Introduction and Modern Philosophy.

(SPECIAL.)

Locke	Essay concerning Human Understanding, Books I and II.
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Natural Theology.

Martineau	A Study of Religion, 2nd edition.
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(b) The following books are recommended for purposes of reference :—

Hamilton	Lectures in Metaphysics.
Mansel	...	...	Metaphysics.
Mill	...	...	Examination of Hamilton's Philosophy.
M'Cosh	...	...	Examination of J. S. Mill's Philosophy.
Bain	...	...	Mental and Moral Science.
Spencer	...	...	Principles of Psychology.
Carpenter	...	...	Mental Physiology.
Ladd	...	...	Elements of Physiological Psychology.
Green	...	...	Philosophical Works, Vol. I; Prolegomena to Ethics.
Martineau	...	...	A Study of Religion.
Ueberweg	...	...	System of Logic and History of Logical Doctrines.
Jevons	...	...	Principles of Science.
Venn	...	...	Logic of Chance; Empirical Logic.
Sigwart	...	...	Logic (English Translation).
Sidgwick	...	...	Methods of Ethics.
Martineau	...	...	Types of Ethical Theory.
Flint	...	...	Anti-Theistic Theories.
Caird	...	...	Introduction to the Philosophy of Religion.
Stirling	Gifford Lectures—Philosophy and Theology.
Windelband	History of Philosophy.
Schwegler	History of Philosophy.

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MATHEMATICS.**PASS COURSE.**

Loney	Elements of Statics and Dynamics.
Besant	Elementary Hydrostatics, 16th edition, Introduction, Chapters I—VIII, omitting articles 96, 105, 107, 114—124, 144—160

(or the corresponding portions of S. B. Mukerjee's Elementary Hydrostatics).

Galbraith and Haughton	Manual of Astronomy.
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HONOUR COURSE.

Loney	Elements of Statics and Dynamics.
Maxwell	Matter and Motion, Chapter III, and Articles 96 and 97 only.
Besant	...	...	Elementary Hydrostatics, 16th edition, Introduction, Chapters I—VIII, omitting Articles 96, 105, 107, 114—124, 144—160

(or the corresponding portions of S. B. Mukerjee's Elementary Hydrostatics).

Galbraith and Haughton	...	...	Manual of Astronomy.
Salmon	...	...	Conic Sections (6th edition), Chapters I—III, V—VIII, to the end of article 116 and X—XIII.
Williamson	...	...	Differential Calculus (6th edition), Chapters I—V, IX, XI—XVIII.
Todhunter	...	...	Integral Calculus, Chapters I—VII.*

(or the corresponding portions of Williamson's Integral Calculus).

* It is a misprint in the Calendar throughout.

HISTORY.

PASS COURSE.

History of England.

Gardiner	Students' History of England.
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History of India.

Elphinstone	History of India—Hindu and Muhammadan Periods, <i>omitting the Appendices.</i>
Meadows Taylor	...	...	Students' Manual of the History of India (British Period only, from Book V to the end).

Histories of Greece and Rome.

Smith	...	...	Students' History of Greece.
Liddell	Students' History of Rome.

Political Economy.

Fawcett	Manual of Political Economy.
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HONOUR COURSE.

History of England.

Green	Short History of the English People.
Bagehot	...	...	The English Constitution.

History of India.

Elphinstone	...	...	History of India (Hindu and Muhammadan Periods, <i>including the Appendices.</i>)
Meadows Taylor	...	...	Students' Manual of the History of India (British Period only, from Book V to the end).

Histories of Greece and Rome.

Smith	...	...	Students' History of Greece.
Shuckburgh	...	...	History of Rome.

Political Economy.

Fawcett	...	...	Manual of Political Economy.
Marshall	Economics of Industry.

Political Philosophy.

Mill	On Representative Government.
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PHYSICS AND CHEMISTRY.

PASS COURSE.

Deschanel	Elementary Treatise on Natural Philosophy (13th edition, 1894), Part I.—Omitting Arts. 1—100, 102—105, 112—120, 131—275. Part II.—Omitting Arts. 186—189, 202—258, 261—279. Part III.—Omitting Arts. 132—147, 213—217, 228—234, 291—295, 324—354. Part IV.—Omitting Arts. 60, 69, 70, 119, 120, 130—132, 136, 145, 146, 191—211, 238—244, 275—295.
Newth	...	...	A text-book of Inorganic Chemistry, latest edition.

PHYSICS, CHEMISTRY, AND THE DOCTRINE OF SCIENTIFIC METHOD.

HONOUR COURSE.

Deschanel	...	...	Elementary Treatise on Natural Philosophy.
S. P. Thompson	...	...	Elementary Lessons on Electricity and Magnetism (Edition, 1895).
Tait	...	...	Heat.
Newth	...	...	A Text-book of Inorganic Chemistry (latest edition).
Tilden	...	...	Introduction to the study of Chemical Philosophy (latest edition).
Remsen	...	...	Organic Chemistry.
{ Jones	...	...	Junior Course in Practical Chemistry,
{	...	...	or
Valentin	...	...	Qualitative Chemical Analysis.
Jevons	...	...	Principles of Science, 2nd edition (omitting Books I and II).

BIOLOGY.**PHYSIOLOGY AND BOTANY.****PASS COURSE.**

Huxley	...	...	Elementary Lessons in Physiology.
Parker	...	...	Lessons in Elementary Biology.
Prantl and Vines	...	...	Text-book of Botany.
Oliver	...	...	First-book of Indian Botany.

PHYSIOLOGY AND ZOOLOGY.**PASS COURSE.**

Huxley	...	...	Elementary Lessons in Physiology.
Parker	...	...	Lessons in Elementary Biology.
Claus-Sedgwick	...	...	Elementary Text-book of Zoology, Vol. I, General Part and Special Part, Protozoa to Insecta ; Vol. II, Special Part, Mollusca to Man.

PHYSIOLOGY, BOTANY, ZOOLOGY, AND THE DOCTRINE OF SCIENTIFIC METHOD.**HONOUR COURSE.**

Kirke	...	...	Hand-book of Physiology.
Parker	...	...	Lessons in Elementary Biology.
Haddon	...	...	Introduction to the Study of Embryology.
Prantl and Vines	...	...	Text-book of Botany.
Henfrey	...	...	Elementary Course of Botany.
Vines	...	...	Lectures on the Physiology of Plants.
Stirling	...	...	Outlines of Practical Histology.
Claus-Sedgwick	...	...	Elementary Text-book of Zoology, Vol. I, General Part and Special Part, Protozoa to Insecta ; Vol. II, Special Part, Mollusca to Man.
Jevons	...	...	Principles of Science, 2nd edition (omitting Books I and II).

GEOLOGY.**GEOLOGY AND PHYSICAL GEOGRAPHY.****PASS COURSE.**

Geikie	...	...	Class-book of Geology.
Judd	...	...	Volcanoes.
Mill	...	...	The Realm of Nature (University Extension Manuals.)
Medlicott and Blanford	...	...	Manual of the Geology of India, 2nd edition by Oldham,
Cole	...	...	Aids to Practical Geology.

GEOLOGY AND MINERALOGY.**PASS COURSE.**

Geikie	...	...	Class-book of Geology.
Rutley	...	...	Rock-forming Minerals.
Cole	...	...	Aids to Practical Geology.
Rutley	...	...	Mineralogy.
Medlicott and Blanford	...	...	Manual of the Geology of India, 2nd edition, by Oldham.

GEOLOGY, MINERALOGY, PHYSICAL GEOGRAPHY, AND THE DOCTRINE OF SCIENTIFIC METHOD.**HONOUR COURSE.**

Geikie	...	...	Text-book of Geology.
Rutley	...	...	Rock-forming Minerals.
Cole	...	...	Aids to Practical Geology.
Geikie	...	...	Atlas of Physical Geography.
Judd	...	...	Volcanoes.
Mill	...	...	The Realm of Nature.
Rutley	...	...	Mineralogy.
Medlicott and Blanford	...	...	Manual of the Geology of India, 2nd edition, by Oldham.
Jevons	...	...	Principles of Science, 2nd edition (omitting Books I and II).

M.A. EXAMINATION, 1899.**MENTAL AND MORAL SCIENCE.**

The following books are recommended to be used in studying the subject of Mental and Moral Science as defined by the Syllabus prescribed :—

		<i>Psychology.</i>
Hamilton	...	Lectures in Metaphysics.
Mill	...	Examination of Hamilton's Philosophy.
Bain	...	Mental Science.
Spencer	...	Principles of Psychology.
		<i>Logic.</i>
Bain	...	Logic.
Mill	...	System of Logic.
Venn	...	Empirical Logic.
		<i>Ethics.</i>
Sidgwick	...	Methods of Ethics.
Green	...	Prolegomena to Ethics.
Martineau	...	Types of Ethical Theory.
		<i>Natural Theology.</i>
Caird	...	Introduction to the Philosophy of Religion.
Martineau	...	A Study of Religion, 2nd edition.
Max Müller	...	Hibbert Lectures on the Origin and Growth of Religion, as illustrated by the Religions of India.
		<i>Political Science.</i>
Aristotle	...	Politics (English Translation by Jowett or Welldon).
		<i>History of Philosophy.</i>
		(General.)
Ueberweg	...	History of Philosophy.
Windelband	...	History of Philosophy.
Erdmann	...	History of Philosophy, Vols. I and II.
Madhavaacharyya	...	Sarva-darsana Sangraha, translated by Cowell and Gough (the Nyaya, Charvaka, and Sankhya systems).
		<i>Special.</i>
Plato	...	Republic (English Translation by Jowett or by Davies and Vaughan).
Aristotle	...	The Nichomachean Ethics (English Translation by Williams or Welldon).
Kant	...	Transcendental Analytic, Book I (Analytic of Concept), as in Max Müller's translation of Kant's Critique of Pure Reason.

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MATHEMATICS.

		GROUP A.
Hall and Knight	...	Higher Algebra; Chapters XIX—XXXIV.
Todhunter	...	Trigonometry, edited by Hogg.
Casey	...	Spherical Trigonometry.
Burnside and Panton	...	Theory of Equations (3rd edition).
Salmon	...	Conic Sections.
Salmon	...	Geometry of Three Dimensions, the Course selected by Dr. Salmon for Junior Readers.
Williamson	...	Differential Calculus (8th edition).
Williamson	...	Integral Calculus (7th edition).
Johnson	...	Differential Equations.
Todhunter	...	Analytical Statics, Ed. Everett.
Williamson and Tarleton	...	Dynamics (2nd edition), Chapters I—VIII.
Minchin	...	Hydrostatics and Elementary Hydrokinetics, omitting Chapter VIII.
Newton	...	Principia, Sections I, II, III.
Godfray	...	Astronomy.
		GROUP B.
Salmon	...	Conic Sections, Chaps. I—XIII.
Smith	...	Solid Geometry, omitting Chaps. VII and IX.
Williamson	...	Differential Calculus (8th edition).
Williamson	...	Integral Calculus (7th edition), omitting Chap. XII.
Minchin	...	Statics (Vols. I and II), omitting Arts. 270-314.
Williamson and Tarleton	...	Dynamics (2nd edition), omitting Chap. XIV.
Besant	...	Hydro-mechanics, Part I (Hydrostatics).
Bassett	...	Elementary Treatise on Hydrodynamics and Sound, omitting Chaps. VII—VIII.
Godfray	...	Astronomy.
Newton	...	Principia, Sections I, II, III, IX, XI.

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A.—CHEMISTRY.

Roscoe and Schorlemmer	...	Treatise on Chemistry, Vols. I and II, Parts I and II.
Richter	...	Organic Chemistry, translated by Smith. The portions in large type are considered of special importance, and the portions in small type of subsidiary importance, and of these portions only a general knowledge is required.
Frankland	...	Lecture Notes for Chemical Students—Vol. II, Organic Chemistry.
Valentin	...	Qualitative Chemical Analysis.
Clowes and Coleman	...	Quantitative Analysis (latest edition).
Ostwald	...	The Scientific Foundations of Analytical Chemistry (translated by G. McGowan).
Meyer	...	Outlines of Theoretical Chemistry.

B.—HEAT, ELECTRICITY, AND MAGNETISM AS PRINCIPAL SUBJECTS, WITH LIGHT AND SOUND AS SUBSIDIARY SUBJECTS.

Principal Subjects.

Maxwell	...	Elementary Treatise on Electricity.
J. J. Thomson	...	Elements of Electricity and Magnetism.
Christiansen	...	Theoretical Physics, Chapters VII—XI.
Hertz	...	Electric Waves.
Faraday	...	Experimental Researches in Electricity, Volume I.
Preston	...	Theory of Heat.
Maxwell	...	Theory of Heat (latest edition).
Fourier	...	Theory of Heat, Chapters I and II.
Stewart and Gee	...	Practical Physics, Volume II.
Glazebrook and Shaw	...	Practical Physics, Chapters VIII—XIII (omitting section 31).

Subsidiary Subjects.

Daniell	...	Text-book of the Principles of Physics 3rd, edition, Chapters V, XIV, and XV.
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C.—LIGHT AND SOUND AS PRINCIPAL SUBJECTS, WITH HEAT, ELECTRICITY AND MAGNETISM AS SUBSIDIARY SUBJECTS.

Principal Subjects.

Preston	...	Theory of Light.
Heath	...	Elementary Treatise on Geometrical Optics.
Helmholtz	...	Sensations of Tone, Introduction, and Chapter I—VIII.
Everett	...	Vibratory Motion and Sound.
Donkin	...	Acoustics.
Glazebrook and Shaw	...	Practical Physics, Chapters VIII—XX.

Subsidiary Subjects.

J. J. Thomson	...	* Elements of Electricity and Magnetism.
Balfour Stewart	...	Heat, latest edition.

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ENGLISH.

Chaucer	...	The Tale of the Man of Lawe, &c., Edited by Skeat (Clarendon Press Series).
Shakespeare	...	As You Like It, King Lear, Cymbeline, Henry VI (Parts II and III).
Marlowe	...	Edward II.
Milton	...	Paradise Lost, Books X, XI, XII.
Dryden	...	Select Satires—Absalom and Achitophel; The Medal; MacFlecknoe, by J. Churton Collins, M.A. (Macmillan's English Classics).
Tennyson	...	In Memoriam.
Sir Thomas Browne	...	Religio Medici.
Milton	...	Areopagitica.
Emerson	...	Representative Men.
De Quincey	...	Autobiographical Sketches.
Holmes	...	Autocrat of the Breakfast Table.
George Eliot	...	Scenes from a Clerical Life.

* The questions on J. J. Thomson's work shall not be so difficult as those in Group B.

Permanent Subjects.

Morris	...	...	Historical Outlines of English Accidence.
Smith	...	...	Students' Manual of the English Language.
Taine	...	...	History of English Literature; translated by Van Laun.
Dowden	...	...	Shakespeare: a Critical Study of his Mind and Art.
Sweet	...	...	Anglo-Saxon Primer.
Sayce	...	...	Introduction to the Science of Language.

GREEK.

Homer	...	...	Iliad, Books I—XII.
Pindar	...	...	The whole.
Æschylus	...	...	Prometheus; Agamemnon; Eumenides.
Sophocles	...	...	Œdipus Tyrannus; Ajax; Antigone.
Euripides	...	...	Hecuba; Medea; Ion.
Aristophanes	...	...	Knights; Clouds; Frogs; Birds.
Herodotus	...	...	Books II and III, to the end of Chap. LXVI.
Thucydides	...	...	Books VI, VII, VIII.
Demosthenes	...	...	Orations against Leptines and Meidias, De Falsa Legatione.
Plato	...	...	Republic; Theætetus.
Aristotle	...	...	Politics.

Permanent Subjects.

Sayce	...	...	Introduction to the Science of Language.
Mahaffy	...	...	History of Classical Greek Literature.
Also passages from authors not prescribed beforehand to be translated into English.			

LATIN.

Virgil	...	...	Bucolics (with the exception of II) ; Georgics ; Æneid, Books I—VI.
Horace	...	...	Odes ; Epodes ; Satires I (with the exception of 2 and 8) Epistles, I ; De Arte Poetica.
Juvenal	...	...	Satires (except II, VI, and IX).
Persius	...	...	Satires.
Lucretius	...	...	Books I, V, and VI.
Catullus	...	...	1, 2, 3, 4, 9, 12, 22, 30, 31, 46, 49, 51, 63, 64, 65, 66.
Plautus	...	...	Aulularia ; Trinummus.
Terence	...	...	Andria ; Heauton Timoroumenos.
Livy	...	...	Books XXI—XXV.
Sallust	...	...	Bellum Catilinarium ; Bellum Jugurthinum.
Cicero	...	...	Second Philippic ; De Natura Deorum.
Tacitus	...	...	Histories.

Permanent Subjects.

Sayce	...	...	Introduction to the Science of Language.
Cruttwell	...	...	History of Roman Literature.
Also passages from authors not prescribed beforehand to be translated into English.			

HEBREW.

Isaiah.
Jeremiah.
Ezekiel.
The Minor Prophets.
Psalms.
Proverbs.
Job.
Ecclesiastes.
Song of Solomon.
Daniel.
Ezra.
Nehemiah.

Permanent Subjects.

Robertson Smith	...	...	Old Testament in the Jewish Church.
Davidson	...	...	Introduction to the Old Testament.
Ewald	...	...	History and Antiquities of Israel.
Sayce	...	...	Introduction to the Science of Language.

SANSKRIT.

Kālidāsa	...	Vikramorvasi.
Kālidāsa	...	Meghadūta.
Bhavabhūti	...	Mahāvīracharita.
Sūdraka	...	Mrichchhakatika.
Visakhadatta	...	Mudrā Rākshasa.
Bānabhatta	...	Kādambarī, Purvabhāga.
Vyāsa and Śāṅkara	...	Vedānta Sūtra and Bhāshya, first four Sūtras of the 1st Adhyāya, and 1st and 2nd Pādas of the 2nd Adhyāya.
Gautama and Visvanātha	...	Nyaya Sūtra and Vritti, Chapters I—IV.
Vāchaspati Mīśra	...	Tattva Kaumudi.
Upanishad	...	Katha, with Śāṅkara Bhāshya.
Rigveda	...	Hymns from the Rigveda Sanhita, edited by P. Peterson.
Vyāsa	...	Bhagavadgītā.
Pāṇini	...	Vaidika Prakriyā, Kāraka and Samāsa, as contained in Siddhānta Kaumudi.
Manu	...	Manu—1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 12.
Mammata Bhaṭṭa	...	Kāvya Prakāśa.

Permanent Subjects.

Max Müller	...	Science of Language, Vols. I—II.
Muir	...	Sanskrit Texts, Vol. V.

Students may take up the Inscriptions of Asoka instead of one of the following groups :—

GROUP I.

Nyāya Sutrā and Vritti (limited as above).

GROUP II.

Tattva Kaumudi and Vedānta Sūtra (limited as above).

PALI.

Anuraddhā	...	Abhidhammatthasangaha.
Theragāthā	...	The Ekanipāta, Dukanipāta, and Tikanipāta.
Anguttara-nikāy	...	The Bālavagga, Rathakāravagga, Pugalavagga, and Devadūtavagga of the Tikanipāta.
Mahāvanisa	...	The first five chapters (Parichchedas), Turnour's or Sumangala's Edition.
Jātakas	...	Fausböll's edition, Vol. II, Dalhavagga, Santhavagga, Kalyāṇadhamnavagga.
Kaccāyana	...	Pali Grammar (Senart's edition).
Mahāparinibbānasutta	...	(Childer's edition).
Dhammapada	...	The first Bhāṇāvram (pathamakabhanavāram) with Fausböll's Extracts from Budha Ghosa's Commentary for this portion of the text.
Burnouf	...	Introduction à l'histoire du Bouddhisme Indien.
Spence Hardy	...	Manual of Buddhism.
Weber	...	History of Indian Literature.
Bigandet	...	Legends of Gaudama.

ARABIC.

Prose.

Moquddamai-i-Ibn Khalladūn	Egyptian edition, pages 69 to 119.
Maqamāt-i-Hariri	... The second half.

Poetry.

Hamāsah	...	} The whole.
Diwān-i-Mutanabbi	...	
Sabai Muallaqah	...	

Two unseen passages shall be set at the examination—one in prose and the other in poetry. The prose passage shall form part of paper V, and the poetry passage shall form part of paper II. Such passages shall not exceed in difficulty the general standard of the text-books prescribed for the examination.

PERSIAN.

Prose.

Shams-uddin Faqir	...	Hadāiq-ul-Balāghāt.
Saifi	...	Uruz.
Abu'l Fazl	...	Akbarnāmah, Vol. I.
Inshai Abu'l Fazl	...	First Daftar.
Jāmi	...	Qawafi.

Poetry.

Kháqáni	...	...	Qasáid.
Ferdáúsi	...	...	Selections from the Sháhnámáh by Colonel Jarrett, Calcutta, 1880.
Hakím Seráí	...	...	Hadíqah.
Sáib	...	...	Diwán, the first half.
Habib Qááni	...	...	Qasáid, first half.
Platt	...	...	Persian Grammar.

Candidates are also required to possess a knowledge of Arabic to the extent laid down in the course for the First Examination in Arts.

Two unseen passages shall be set at the examination—one in prose and the other in poetry. The prose passage shall form part of paper V and the poetry passage shall form part of paper II. Such passages shall not exceed in difficulty the general standard of the text-books prescribed for the examination.

HISTORY.

(a) Green	...	...	History of the English People.
Miss Martineau	...	...	History of the Thirty Years' Peace, Vols. i—ii (to Book v, ch. 9).
Mill	...	...	History of British India, edited by Wilson; Vols. iii, iv, v (Books iv, v, vi, ch. 6).
(b) Stubbs	..	...	Constitutional History of England.
Hallam	...	...	Constitutional History of England.
Erskine May	...	...	Constitutional History of England.
(c) As a period—The History of Europe from 1754 to 1795 :—			
Lecky	...	...	History of England, during the Eighteenth Century —from ch. 7 to end of ch. 21.
Thiers	...	...	History of the French Revolution, up to the end of the National Convention.
De Tocqueville	...	...	France before the Revolution of 1789, translated by Reeve.
Dyer	...	...	Modern Europe—Book vi. ch. 5, to Book vii, ch. 7.
(d) Sidgwick	...	...	Elements of Politics.
Austin	...	...	Jurisprudence, Lectures—v, vi.
Wheaton	...	...	International Law, Parts i, ii.
(e) Adam Smith	...	...	Wealth of Nations.
Mill	...	...	Political Economy.
Marshall	...	...	Principles of Economics, Vol. i (omitting the Appendix).
Levi	...	...	History of British Commerce.

NATURAL AND PHYSICAL SCIENCE.**D.—BOTANY.**

Asa Gray	...	...	Structural Botany.
Sachs	...	...	Text-book of Botany, edited by Goebel (latest edition).
Balfour	...	...	Palæontological Botany.
Roxburgh	...	...	Flora Indica, Clarke's edition (for reference in identifying Indian plants).
Sachs	...	...	Physiology of Plants, translated by Ward (1887).
Bower	...	...	Practical Botany.

E.—PHYSIOLOGY AND ZOOLOGY.

Michael Foster	...	...	Text-book of Physiology.
Arnold Lang	...	...	Text-book of Comparative Anatomy, Part I.
Wiedersheim			Comparative Anatomy of the Vertebrata.
Klien			Histology.
Stirling			Outlines of Practical Histology.
A. M. Marshall			Practical Zoology.
Haliburton			Text-book of Chemical Physiology, omitting the Pathological portions.
Claus Sedgwick	...	...	Text-book of Zoology.
Balfour	...	...	Comparative Embryology.
Darwin	...	...	Origin of Species.

F.—GEOLOGY AND MINERALOGY.

Geikie	...	...	Text-book of Geology (latest edition).
Nicholson and Lydekker	...	...	Palæontology.
Medlicott and Blanford	Manual of the Geology of India, 2nd edition, by Oldham.
Dana	Text-book of Mineralogy.
Rutley	The Study of Rocks.

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Mathematics.

Subjects to be taken up for the Examination in Pure Mathematics :—

- (a) Algebra.
- (b) Trigonometry, Plane and Spherical.
- (c) Theory of Equations.
- (d) Analytical Plane Geometry, including the Higher Plane Curves.
- (e) Analytical Solid Geometry.
- (f) Differential Calculus.
- (g) Integral Calculus, including the elements of the Calculus of Variations.
- (h) Differential Equations.

The following books are recommended :—

Chrystal	...	...	Algebra, Part II, Chapters XXIII—XXVIII, XXXII, XXXV.
Hobson	...	...	Plane Trigonometry.
Casey	...	...	Spherical Trigonometry.
Burnside and Panton	...	...	Theory of Equations (3rd Edition).
Salmon	...	...	Conic Sections.
Salmon	...	...	Higher Plane Curves, Chapters I—V, omitting Section V.
Salmon	...	...	Geometry of three Dimensions (omitting the last three Chapters).
Williamson	...	...	Differential Calculus (8th Edition).
Williamson	...	...	Integral Calculus (7th Edition).
Forsyth	...	...	Differential Equations.

Subjects to be taken up for the Examination in Mixed Mathematics :

- (a) Analytical Statics.
- (b) Dynamics of a Particle.
- (c) Rigid Dynamics.
- (d) Hydro-mechanics, including the elements of the Theory of Sound.
- (e) Astronomy.
- (f) Newton's Principia, Sections I, II, III, IX, XI.

The following books are recommended :—

Minchin	...	...	Statics (4th Edition), omitting Chapter XIV.
Tait and Steele	...	...	Dynamics of a Particle.
Routh	...	...	Rigid Dynamics, Part I.
Besant	...	...	Hydro-mechanics, Part I (Hydrostatics).
Basset	...	...	Elementary Treatise on Hydrodynamics and Sound.
Godfray	...	...	Astronomy.
Newton	...	...	Principia, Sections I, II, III, IX, XI.

Physics.

The following books are recommended for candidates who take up Electricity, Magnetism and Sound :—

Maxwell	...	...	Electricity and Magnetism.
Maxwell	...	...	Scientific Papers, Volume I (Papers Nos. 8 and 23).
Mascart and Joubert	...	...	Electricity and Magnetism.
Hertz	...	...	Electric Waves.
Faraday	...	...	Experimental Researches in Electricity.
Gordon	...	...	Electricity and Magnetism.
Tyndall	...	...	Researches on Diamagnetism.
Rayleigh	...	...	Theory of Sound.
Donkin	...	...	Acoustics.
Helmholtz	...	...	Sensation of Tone.
Stewart and Gee	...	...	Practical Physics.
Glazebrook and Shaw	...	...	Practical Physics.

The following books are recommended for candidates who take up Heat, Molecular Physics and Physical Optics :—

Fourier	...	...	Analytical Theory of Heat.
Preston	...	...	Theory of Heat.
Maxwell	...	...	Theory of Heat.
Maxwell	...	...	Scientific Papers, Volume II (Papers Nos. 62, 73, 83).
Watson	...	...	Kinetic Theory of Gases.
Tyndall	...	...	Contributions to Molecular Physics.
Airy	...	...	Undulatory Theory of Optics.
Preston	...	...	Theory of Light.
Bassett	...	...	Physical Optics.
Roscoe	...	...	Spectrum Analysis.
Glazebrook and Shaw	...	...	Practical Physics.

Chemistry.

No limits are set in either division of the subject.

Biology and Geology.

No limits are set.

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NOTIFICATION UNDER SECTION 30 OF ACT XII OF 1882.

(The Indian Salt-Act.)

In exercise of the powers conferred by the 2nd paragraph of Notification No. 759, dated 11th February, 1888, issued by the Governor General of India in Council (in the Department of Finance and Commerce), under section 28 of Act XII of 1882, and published at pages 67—72 of the *Gazette of India*, dated 11th February, 1888, the Commissioner of Salt, Abkari and Separate Revenue, Madras Presidency, under section 30 of Act XII of 1882, authorises each of the persons named below to exercise the powers of a Salt Revenue Officer :—

Locality.	Name.	Rank.	Powers to be conferred on each.	REMARKS.
Province of Orissa .	Mozher Khan .	3rd grade peon	Salt Revenue Officer	<i>Vice</i> Sheik Alla Hux dismissed.
Ditto .	Sheik Nizamuddin .	Ditto .	Ditto	<i>Vice</i> Kanu Khan, dismissed.

BOARD OF REVENUE:
(SEPARATE REVENUE),
The 31st August, 1897.

V. A. BRODIE,
Acting Secretary.

ADMINISTRATOR GENERAL OF BENGAL.

Notice of death sent to the Administrator General of Bengal under Section 64 of Act II of 1874.

Name of deceased.	Place of death.	Date of death.	By whom death reported and when.	REMARKS.
B. Reading .	Lahore Railway Station	8th August, 1897	The District Judge of Lahore, on 21st August, 1897.	Deceased was Assistant Carriage Examiner, North Western Railway, No Will found. No application.
John Mail Mitchell .	Lahagor .	15th August, 1897	The District Judge, of Dinajpore, on 25th August, 1897.	Deceased is supposed to have left a Will. No application.
James Walker (of Bhudashar, Hooghly)	Presidency General Hospital.	10th August, 1897	The District Judge, 24-Pergunnahs, Ali-pore, on 25th August, 1897.	No Will found. No application.

L. P. D. BROUGHTON,
Administrator General of Bengal.

7, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET;
Calcutta, the 10th September, 1897.

BANK OF BENGAL.*Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 7th September, 1897.*

LIABILITIES.				ASSETS.			
	R	a.	p.		R	a.	p.
Capital paid-up	2,00,00,000	0	0	Government Securities	77,19,510	0	0
Reserve Fund	80,00,000	0	0	Other authorised Investments	77,28,135	8	0
Public Deposits at Head Office . 64,20,251	7	3	1,19,55,189	Loans on Government and other authorised Securities	1,55,66,028	5	2
Public Deposits at Branches . 55,34,938	6	7		Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorised Securities	2,09,76,208	8	3
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	5,77,42,394	1	11	Bills discounted and purchased	1,24,05,754	6	9
Bank Post Bills, etc.	9,13,285	8	7	Balances with other Banks	27,824	14	10
Sundries	20,48,270	10	7	Bullion	2,896	11	0
RUPRES	10,06,59,140	2	11	Dead Stock	13,38,095	15	0
				Stamps	8,249	14	0
				Sundries	11,04,167	3	0
					6,69,36,871	6	0
				RUPRES	10,06,59,140	2	11

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 9th September, 1897.

E. J. BIRCH,
Offg. Chief Accountant.
Rate for Demand Loans 6 per cent.
Percentage 46·4.

By order of the Directors,
W. D. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.

**COMPTROLLER GENERAL'S OFFICE,
The Treasury.**

NOTICE.*Calcutta, the 28th August, 1897.*

Notice is hereby given that the Public Debt Office and the Government Account Department at the Bank of Bengal will be opened for the transaction of business and the receipt and payment of money on Government account on the following days during the Durga Puja holidays :—

30th September and 1st, 6th, 7th, 8th and 9th October, 1897.

The Paper Currency Office at Calcutta and the Comptroller General's Office will be open on the above dates.

O. T. BARROW,
Offg. Comptroller General.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.**NOTICE.**

The following are the revised dates for holding the Entrance, F.A. and B.A. Examinations in 1898 :—

Entrance Examination—7th, 9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th March, 1898.

Applications and fees for admission to the Examination must reach the Registrar on or before the 21st January, 1898.

F. A. and B. A. Examinations—21st March, 1898, and following days.

Applications and fees for admission to the Examinations must reach the Registrar on or before the 5th February, 1898.

J. H. GILLILAND,
Registrar.

SENATE HOUSE;
The 8th September, 1897.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.**NOTIFICATION.***Simla, the 20th September, 1893.*

A Registry Office for men of all grades out of employ is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers requiring men are requested to apply to Principal.

J. CLIBBORN, Major, S.E.,
Principal, Thomason College.

SURVEY OF INDIA DEPARTMENT.**NOTIFICATION.***Calcutta, the 6th September, 1897.*

No. 253.—Mr. W. H. D. Ewing, Sub-Assistant Superintendent, 1st grade, and Draftsman, is granted privilege leave for one month, under Article 291 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 6th August, 1897.

F. B. LONGE, Major, R.E.,
for Surveyor General of India.

AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL, RAJPUTANA.

NOTIFICATION.

Abu, the 31st August, 1897.

No. 3872-G.—210.—Maharaj Balbhadra Singh, Attaché to the Agent to the Governor-General in Rajputana, has obtained one month's privilege leave, of which he availed himself on the forenoon of the 18th instant.

By Order,

A. F. BRUCE, *Captain,*
First Assistant Agent to the Governor-General,
Rajputana.

AGENT TO THE GOV.-GENERAL IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 1st September, 1897.

No. 5354.—With reference to this office Notification No. 6448, dated the 7th September, 1896, the Agent to the Governor-General is pleased, under Articles 264 and 371 (b) of the Civil Service Regulations, to sanction the grant to Lala Chokha Nand of one year's extension of furlough.

By Order,

F. MACDONALD, *Captain,*
First Assistant.

NORTHERN INDIA SALT REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Agra, the 28th August, 1897.

LEAVE.

No. 173.—Mr. C. P. Shanan, Treasury Officer, Sambhar, is granted privilege leave for two months, under Article 291, Section II, Chapter XII, of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 11th September, 1897.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 174.—Mr. A. S. Rathbourne, Clerk, 1st grade, Office of Assistant Commissioner, Sambhar, is appointed to act as Treasury Officer, Sambhar, in addition to his own duties, during the absence on leave of Mr. C. P. Shanan.

A. B. PATTERSON,
Commissioner, N. I. Salt Revenue Dept.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Sealdah, Calcutta, the 4th September, 1897.

No. 3.—Mr. H. Humfress, Executive Engineer, 3rd grade, is granted furlough for twelve months, under Article 371A, of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st October, 1897, or from such date as he may avail himself of it.

The 7th September, 1897.

No. 5.—Mr. C. J. Cole, Executive Engineer, Ranaghat-Bhagwangola-Raigunge Railway Survey, is granted four months and seven days' special leave on urgent private affairs, under Articles 348 and 350 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 10th September, 1897, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

S. FINNEY,
Manager.

DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 3rd September, 1897.

No. 71.—Mr. J. Kirby, Sub-Engineer, 1st grade, and Honorary Assistant Engineer, is, on return from leave, transferred from the Indus Bridge works to the Bezwada-Madras Railway.

T. GRACEY, *Colonel, R.E.,*
Director General.

REPORT OF DESERTION.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 2nd Battalion, Royal Munster Fusiliers, dated at Dum Dum, this 3rd day of September, 1897.

Number, Rank, and Name.	Date of Desertion or Absence,—26th August, 1897.
—M. F. 5184, Private John Grant.	
Age,—25 years 7 months.	Place of Desertion or absence,—Dum Dum.
Height,—5 feet 6½ inches.	Marks,—Circular scar, size of rupee, right deltoid; Portraits on either arm, female right, male left forearm; flowers in pot on right forearm, palm-tree and snake on left forearm.
Colour of—	
Complexion, fair; hair, brown; eyes, brown.	
Trade,—labourer.	
Date of Enlistment,—3rd January, 1897.	Under one year eight months.
Place of Enlistment,—Dum Dum.	
Parish and County in which born,—Burnley, Lancashire.	

A. H. B. CLOUGH, *Major,*
Comdg. 2nd Battn., Royal Munster Fusiliers.

TREASURE TROVE.

NOTICE.

It is hereby notified, under section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, 1878, that, between the 10th June and 4th July, 1897, the treasure specified below * was found buried in Paimash No. 2283 comprised in S. No. 446A, village site Poramboke of Nalathur Village, Chingleput Taluk, Chingleput District, Madras Presidency :—

Description of the property.	Value.
1) Two old silver bangles . . .	R 11½ weight.
(2) One silver bar . . .	R 6 "
(3) Ditto . . .	R 1½ "
(4) Silver powder . . .	R 1½ "

The persons claiming the said treasure, or any part thereof, are hereby directed to appear in person, or by agent, before the Collector of the District, on Monday, the 14th February, 1898, or, if that day should happen to be a public holiday, on the next office day at 12 noon, at the Collector's office at Homes' Gardens, Saidapet, when their claims will be heard and disposed of according to law.

SAIDAPET;
The 30th August, 1897.

for Acting Collector.

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 2nd September, 1897.

No. 2862-C.—Mr. W. Bright, Postmaster, Delhi, is appointed to be Postmaster, Rawalpindi.

Mr. A. Lumsden, Postmaster, Rawalpindi, is appointed to be Postmaster, Delhi.

No. 2867-C.—Notification No. 2960, dated 24th June 1897, published in the *Gazette of India* of the 26th June, 1897, Part II, page 773, is cancelled.

The 3rd September, 1897.

No. 2903-C.—Mr. J. A. Betham, Superintendent of Post Offices, 1st grade, is granted an extension of privilege leave for sixteen days, with effect from the 2nd September, 1897.

The 4th September, 1897.

No. 2979-C.—Pandit Shiva Pal, Superintendent of Post Offices, officiating in the 3rd grade, is granted leave on medical certificate for three months from the 1st September, 1897.

Babu Dwarkanath Sen is appointed to act as Superintendent of Post Offices, 4th grade, during the absence on leave of Pandit Shiva Pal.

No. 2989-C.—Babu Bipin Bihari Mukerji, Postmaster, Nagpur, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 16th August, 1897.

Pandit Rambhadra is appointed to act as Postmaster, Nagpur, during the absence on privilege leave of Babu Bipin Bihari Mukerji, or until further orders.

The 7th September, 1897.

No. 3021-C.—Babu Radhika Mohan Lahiri, B.A., Superintendent of Post Offices, 4th grade, is appointed to act in the 3rd grade, with effect from the 2nd August, 1897, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. J. A. Betham, or until further orders.

A. U. FANSHAWE,
Dir. Genl. of the Post Office of India.

Unclaimed Letters held in the Calcutta General Post Office on the 6th September, 1897.

Bathurst & Co. (Chemists).	Indian Gold and Silver Jewellery	Platts, S., care of Mr. Cassim.
Crawford & Co. (Mining Agents).	Manufacturing Co.	Pope Manufacturing Co.
Dalton, J. S.	Kirkbridge & Co.	Richardson & Co., Finlay.
Daphkhetty Samuel.	Kugelmann, Esq.	Scott & Co., C. & W.
Donaldson & Co.	Newton, F. (Cigar Manufacturers).	Smith & Sons, Wool Merchants.
Editor of the "Ibis."	Nicol Fleming & Co., G.	Sperry & Co.
Grant, W. C.	Nicol, J.	Temple, F. G.
Greaves & Co., H.R.	Nicol Robert, P.	Thompson & Co.
Harrison & Co., W.	Parker, Mrs. A.	Walker, C. J. C.
W. (Electro Plate Works).		

Letters marked "Care of Post Office."

Albrute, C. B.	Furrell, James W.	O'Mally, A.
Alton, F. D.	Gallagher, W.	Philben, E.
Andree, R. M.	Gardanstein Lazer.	Radmore, F.
Atkins, F. T.	George, E., Mrs.	Raines, Mrs.
Ayres, W. R.	Gibson, Miss.	Rhode, Capt. J. H.
Back, Fanny.	Goldgleek, Mrs. L.	Riddale, H.
Barnett, Rev. T. H.	Guise, Miss Dollie.	Robbins, Capt. J. A.
Barrett, J.	Gutpay, B. L.	Robertson, G.
Bauer, Fritz.	Harper, Alex.	Robson, B.
Baxter, Mrs.	Harvey, G. F.	Roche, Mr.
Bishop, S. O., Dr.	Heinefeir, F.	Rogers, G. S.
Bitsath, Solomon.	Hemming, Wm. P.	Roussac, J.
Bloom, Annette, Miss.	Hill, B.	Setters & Co.
Braham, A.	Hoyle, J. O.	Shuhan, G. M. R.
Bride, Mrs. C.	Inman, Thos.	Smyth, S. G.
Brothers & Co., R.	James, Herbert.	Spence, T. G., care of Capt. Passiful.
Burlington, F.	Joakim, W. L.	Spillane, T. B.
Caine, H.	Jones, Alfred.	Stephens, Mrs. A.
Campes, L.	Jones, K. C.	Stokes, Miss E.
Cobbett, Miss E.	Jordan, Mrs. H.	Story, Mrs.
Collins, R. A.	Keep, Chas. J.	Street, H. A.
Cook, Percy.	Kemp, Charles.	Swarica, A. M.
Cross, J.	Kidd, J. A.	Swinforde, Mrs. W.
Dale, Miss S.	Klopsch, Dr.	Target, C. A. B.
Daly, H.	Langer, A.	Tasselli, Miss Gladys.
Davies, D. Picton.	Leslie, Mrs. K. L.	Temple, G. F.
Davis, Miss L.	Litchfield, E.	Tetley, A. E.
Davis, Mrs.	Lopez, Eva, Miss.	Trensein, Mrs. G.
Deas David, care of E. Osmond.	Manacell, Miss.	Tripe, J. T.
Delafaye, R.	Mason, Alex.	Walker, J.
Detmer, Henry.	Maund, F. E.	Watson, E., Mrs.
Devonshire, E. T.	McCallum, E.	Watson, J. D.
Duffot, Miss A.	Michael, Fred.	Weiss, A.
Edwards, J. T.	Miller, W.	Williams, Esq.
Eisenstark, Leon.	Morris, J. R., Dr.	Williams, F. F.
Ferrao Joas. Antonio.	Morrison, Miss Emmie.	Willis, Mrs. M. H.
	Norah, Miss.	Winter, Mrs. E. C.
	O'Grady, W.	

Registered Letters and Parcels.

A. M. (Ali Muham- mad) Jaquob of Simla.	Katz, Gusta, Madam.	Rossac, J.
Christian, C. W.	Kilchmann, Alf.	Stacer, R. R.
Gallbraith, J. M.	Langer, A.	Target, C., Mrs.
Richardson.	McMaster, Thos.	
	Noble, H. J.	

Unclaimed Letters held in the Bombay General Post Office.

Ashuk, H. Mirza, Capt.	Davies, J. M.	Martin, R. R.
Aylward, W. E.	Elliott, C. F.	Manrow, M. J.
Brown, D. L.	Kmpy, Dr.	Masani, S. P.
Bell, H. E.	Fremaesdorf, E. J.	Marinelli, Michael.
Brown, Ella, Madam.	Freeman, J. A.	Nesbitt, B., Mrs.
Binley, H.	Fernandez, J. H.	O'Connor, T.
Brown, G. C.	Fernandez, A.	Oldham, R. D.
Bellingham, G., Miss.	Goodson, M., Dr.	Payne, C. H.
Corry, C. H.	Guillain, E., Mon- sieur.	Riley, G. R.
Calthrope, E. R.	Hutchinson, S. St.	Roodoff, James. Rhester.
Cardoza, A. K.	Irvine, A. A., Lt.	Rohand, L., Mon- sieur.
Cooke, E., Miss.	Jackson, S.	Rider, T.
Clark, W., Mrs.	Jones, A.	Simpson, B. G.
Cook, P.	Jennings, E.	Tosselle, Miss.
Cordie, H. M.	Kenny, C.	Thielmann, B., Mrs.
Chandler, M. H., Mrs.	Kinscruner.	Wilson, C., Conductor.
D'Souza, D. H.	Majorikl.	Wilkinson, C. W. C.
Dracott, C. H.	King, H.	
	Lyon, V.	
	Langley, F.	
	Lounn, J.	

Unclaimed Letters held in the Barrackpore Post Office on the
6th September, 1897.

Cosey Patrick, P. Kindler, H. Yeates, Mrs.

The 11th September, 1897.

CALCUTTA POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Mails for	Date of closing at the General Post Office, Calcutta.	Route by which despatched.
Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, Zanzibar, Mozambique, Delagoa Bay, Mauritius, Madagascar, Réunion, etc., Natal, and Cape Colony, and in general all countries served through the United Kingdom.	1897. 16th Sept.	Per P. & O. Str. from Bombay.
Parcels for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	15th "	Ditto.
Australasian Colonies	11th "	Via Tuticorin and Colombo.
Ditto ditto	18th "	Ditto.
Colombo	14th "	Per P. & O. Str. Coromandel.
Straits Settlements, China, and Japan.	14th "	Per Steamer Lightning.
Rangoon and Moulmein	11th "	Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s Steamer.
Rangoon, Moulmein, Tavoy, Mergui, Penang, and Singapore.	13th "	Ditto.
Rangoon and Moulmein	16th "	Ditto.
Akyab, Kyaukpadaung, Sandoway, and Rangoon.	11th "	Ditto.
Ditto ditto	18th "	Ditto.
South African Ports	16th "	Per Steamer Umsingo.
Mauritius, Réunion, Mayotte, Nosse Be, Delagoa Bay, Natal, and Cape Colony.	11th "	Via Tuticorin and Colombo.

*Although the date entered in column 2 is, as far as can be calculated, the latest safe date of posting for the next Mail steamer, full allowance being made for the steamer being in advance of her published timing, Mails for the places mentioned in column 1 are despatched daily to Colombo, so that they may proceed by any steamer that has been unusually accelerated or retarded, or by any special opportunity that may be afforded by a steamer not belonging to one of the regular lines.

The letter-box for inland articles will be cleared for the evening Mails without late fee at the following hours, viz:—

For Darjeeling and Assam at 3-25 P.M. without late fee, and 3-55 P.M. with late fee of ½ anna.

For the Bombay Mail via Jubbulpore, carrying also mails for Ceylon, at 6 P.M.

For the Punjab at 7-30 P.M.

Late letters bearing a fee of ¼ anna will be received for the Bombay Mail via Jubbulpore up to 6-30 P.M. and for other mails from 7-30 to 8 P.M. and from 8-0 to 8-45 P.M. with a late fee of 1 anna for the Punjab Mails only.

Articles for Burma, and for Port Blair by Sea, are received without late fee up to 7-30 P.M., after which hour they are received fully prepaid and bearing an extra stamp of ¼ anna up to 8 P.M.

On the latest safe day of despatch of the Mail for the Australasian Colonies via Tuticorin, the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time for articles without the late fee at 6 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 6-30 P.M.

On the day of despatch of the Mail for Europe (Wednesday during the monsoon), the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time for articles without the late fee at 6-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 7 P.M. Late registered articles will be received from 5 to 6 P.M. On other days the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time without the late fee at 6 P.M., and late letters and papers will be received up to 6-30 P.M. for despatch by any Foreign Mails via Tuticorin, Madras, or Bombay the same night and up to 8-30 P.M., late letters and papers up to 9 P.M., for any Foreign Mails despatched by Sea. The late fee for Foreign articles is 4 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps affixed to the articles.

JOHN OWENS,

Presidency Postmaster, Calcutta.

POSTAL NOTICE.

RESUMPTION OF THE PARCEL POST TO GIBRALTAR AND TANGIER.

The parcel post service to Gibraltar and Tangier which was temporarily suspended last February on account of quarantine restrictions has been reopened, and parcels may now be sent by post to those places at the rates and under the conditions formerly in force.

A. U. FANSHAWE,

Dir. Genl. of the Post Office of India.

CALCUTTA;

The 4th September, 1897.

GEOLOGICAL SURVEY OF INDIA.

FOR SALE.

1. Records of the Geological Survey of India, published quarterly. Subscription for the year, inclusive of postage, Rs 2-4. Price of each number Rs 1.

2. Memoirs of the Geological Survey of India, Volumes 1 to XXVII. Price per volume Rs 5.

3. Palæontologia Indica, Series I to XVI. The price of these publications is 4 annas per single plate.

4. A Manual of the Geology of India, 2nd edition. By R. D. Oldham, A.R.S.M., F.G.S. Price Rs 8.

5. Bibliography of Indian Geology. By R. D. Oldham, A.R.S.M., F.G.S. (1888). Price Rs 1-8 per copy.

6. An Introduction to the Chemical and Physical Study of Indian Minerals. By T. H. Holland, A.R.C.S., F.G.S. (1895). Price 8 annas per copy.

7. Report on the Geological Structure and Stability of the Hill slopes around Naini Tal. By T. H. Holland (1896). Price Rs 3 per copy.

8. Map of the Geology of India (1893). Scale 1"=96 miles. Price Rs 3 per copy.

9. Map of the Geology of India (1893). Scale 1"=32 miles. (1892) (in six sheets). Price Rs 12 per copy.

Apply to the Registrar, Geological Survey of India, Calcutta.

GOVERNMENT CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.

Cinchona Febrifuge can be purchased by all Government officers, and by any one taking six pounds at a time, from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Calcutta, at the following rates—per four-ounce tin, Rs 8; per eight-ounce tin, Rs 5; per pound tin, Rs 10. The general public can be supplied by the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, for cash only, at the under-noted rates: per four-ounce tin, Rs 3; per eight-ounce tin, Rs 6; per pound tin, Rs 12. This medicine is also sold by the principal European and Native druggists in Calcutta. Postage, four annas per four-ounce tin, eight annas per eight-ounce tin, and twelve annas per pound tin, in addition to the foregoing rates.

সকনো ফেরি ফিওজ ইচ্ছা নব বহাগে ৱালি সকনো •

সকনো ফেরি ফিওজ কলকতে ৬ ব্র্যান্ডাল গার্ডন ইচ্ছা
কম্পনি বাগ ৬ স্প্রিংফিল্ড সালব ৬ হারিক মল্লম
সরকারি অর াইল সফট চেহ পন্ড নক লিনে ৱালা হার অদমি
হসব নরখ ডিল খরিদ কرسকতা হি — ইচ্ছা ৬ার অন্স
ৱালা ঠিন ব্য়িমত ৬র ৱরপ্পে অঁহে অঁহে ; অঁহে অন্স ৱালা
ঠিন ব্য়িমত পান্চ ৱরপ্পে ; াইল পন্ড ৱালা ঠিন ব্য়িমত
স ৱরপ্পে •

হাম অদমি ক্রপ্পে ৬রা ব্র্যান্ডাল গার্ডন ইচ্ছা কম্পনি
বাগ ৬ স্প্রিংফিল্ড সালব ৬ ব্য়িমত নক হসব নরখ
ডিল মল স্কতি হি — ইচ্ছা ৬ার অন্স ৱালা ঠিন ব্য়িমত
তিন ৱরপ্পে ; অঁহে অন্স ৱালা ঠিন ব্য়িমত চেহ ৱরপ্পে ;
াইল পন্ড ৱালা ঠিন ব্য়িমত ৬ারে ৱরপ্পে •

যে ৬রা কলকতে ৬ ব্র— ৱালিটি অর ৬িসি
সরাখানি মিন ৬ই বক্টি হি — মাসো ৬িমত
মকুর ৬া ৬ মকুর ডাক ৬ার অন্স ৱালা ঠিন ৬া
৬ার অঁহে ; অঁহে অন্স ৱালা ঠিন ৬া অঁহে অঁহে ; অর াইল
পন্ড ৱালা ঠিন ৬া ৬ারে অঁহে •

PURE SULPHATE OF QUININE.

Manufactured at the Bengal Government
Cinchona Plantation.

From 1st April, 1897, the price of this Quinine
will be as follows:—

1-pound tin,	R15,	or, post free,	R15-12 ⁷
$\frac{1}{2}$ "	R7-8,	"	R8.
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originally standing in the name of Surianarayanappier, lessee of the Tanjore Palace Estate, and last endorsed to the District Judge, Tanjore, and another No. ⁸⁰³⁰⁴¹ ~~803041~~ of the 4 per cent. loan of 1st May, 1865, originally standing in the name of Subbaraya Davaji, counter-petitioner in M. P. No. 133 of 1883 on the file of the District Court, Tanjore, and last endorsed to the District Judge, Tanjore, having been stolen from this Court, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Notes and the interests thereon have been stopped at the Public Debt Offices, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta and Madras, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the Proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned securities.

F. H. HAMNETT,
Acting District Judge.

DISTRICT COURT;
TANJORE,
The 17th July, 1897.

Reward.

Three hundred rupee Government Currency Notes, numbering X-65—98825, X-65—51438, Y-14—04210, and one five rupee Government Currency Note, numbering U-61—62546, missing since 21st Bhadra 1304. Rs 5 for any clue.

KUNJA KAMINI DEBI,
Khandari, via Mankar Post Office, E. I. Ry.



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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
FINANCE AND COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT IN THE 2nd HALF OF

DISTRICTS.	Rice, un-husked.	Rice, husked.	Wheat.	Flour (wheat).	Barley.	Jawar.	Bajra.	Ragi.	Maize.	Gram.	Arhar dāl.	Ghi.
Burma—												
<i>Tenasserim—</i>												
Mergui	20'4	42'5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	22'1	42'5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	24'65	68	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Pegu (deltaic)—</i>												
Rangoon	25'5	61'2	8'6'7	...	...	...	...	...	...	58'65	...	...
Thongwa . . . . .	...	68	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Basscin	23'8	68	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Pegu (inland)—</i>												
Henzada	23'29	54'4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	19'55	54'4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Upper Burma—</i>												
Mandalay	24'99	61'71	69'53	...	...	...	...	...	...	66'3	...	...
Bamo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pakokku	25'5	68	...	...	...	28'05	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Arakan—</i>												
Kyaukpyu	21'25	42'5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Akyab	22'95	43'9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam—												
<i>Brahmaputra—</i>												
Goalpara	27'5	52'5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati . . . . .	...	47'5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal—												
<i>Eastern—</i>												
Chittagong . . . . .	...	42'5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	...	380
Dacca . . . . .	...	48'75	48'75	...	...	...	...	...	...	40'25	52'5	350
<i>Deltaic—</i>												
Midnapur . . . . .	...	42'5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	320
Calcutta . . . . .	...	55	45	...	40	40	50	...	40	42'5	40	320
<i>Central—</i>												
Bardwan . . . . .	...	51'25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	44'37	52'5	300
Pabna . . . . .	...	48'44	43'44	...	...	...	...	...	...	41'87	48'44	270
<i>Northern—</i>												
Rangpur . . . . .	...	60	56'25	...	...	...	...	...	40	42'5	57'5	290
<i>Orissa—</i>												
Cuttack . . . . .	...	36'72	49'37	...	...	...	...	...	...	33'91	38'12	305
<i>Bihār, south—</i>												
Patna . . . . .	...	51'25	41'25	...	35'62	...	...	...	...	40'62	36'25	260
<i>Bihār, north—</i>												
Bhāgalpur . . . . .	...	52'19	40'62	...	35	...	...	...	39'37	39'37	32'5	295'62
Muzaffarpur . . . . .	...	55'16	44'37	...	40	...	...	...	42'19	44'37	57'19	266'56
N.-W. Provinces—												
<i>Eastern—</i>												
Benares	38'12	58'7	43'59	49'48	36'67	43'59	53'54	...	...	42'86	52'08	266'62
<i>Central—</i>												
Cawnpore	36'35	50'88	41'04	47'08	32'66	...	...	...	...	42'66	45'73	290'88
Jhānsi . . . . .	...	55'16	43'23	50'78	35'52	40	...	...	...	44'37	...	245
<i>Western—</i>												
Meerut . . . . .	...	...	37'5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	300
Agra . . . . .	...	52'5	40'47	...	32'03	39'53	...	...	42'08	42'08	50	272'34
<i>Submontane, west—</i>												
Shahjānpur . . . . .	...	...	40	...	33'33	...	...	...	...	43'23	...	280
Oudh—												
<i>Southern—</i>												
Lucknow . . . . .	...	53'54	42'11	47'03	36'35	...	...	...	...	43'44	...	265
<i>Northern—</i>												
Fyzabad . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	41'56	...	243'71

JULY 1897 (in rupees and decimals per ten maunds).

Gur.	Salt.	Tobacco leaf.	Turmeric.	Grass.	Straw.	Jawar stalks.	Bhoosa.	Sheep, per score.	Goats, per score.	Plough-bullocks, per pair.	DISTRICTS.
...	Burma—
...	<i>Tenasserim—</i>
...	Mergui.
...	Tavoy.
...	Moulmein and Amherst.
...	<i>Pegu (deltaic)—</i>
...	Rangoon.
...	Thongwa.
...	Bassein.
...	<i>Pegu (inland)—</i>
...	Henzada.
...	Toungoo.
...	<i>Upper Burma—</i>
...	Mandalay.
...	Bamo.
...	Pakokku.
...	<i>Arakan—</i>
...	Kyaukpyu.
...	Akyab.
...	Assam—
...	<i>Brahmaputra—</i>
...	Goalpara.
...	Gauhati.
...	Bengal—
...	40	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	<i>Eastern—</i>
...	38'12	75	...	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong.
...	Dacca.
...	37'5	45 & 60	...	...	2(a)	...	...	...	...	...	<i>Deltaic—</i>
...	36'25	70	...	...	7(a)	5'25(a)	...	...	...	...	Midnapur.
...	35	...	...	...	8(a)	...	...	...	...	...	<i>Central—</i>
...	40	70	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	Bardwan.
...	Pabna.
...	40	45	...	...	12(b)	17(b)	...	...	...	...	<i>Northern—</i>
...	Rangpur.
...	36'87	57'5	...	20(a)	2'75	...	...	...	...	...	<i>Orissa—</i>
...	Cuttack.
...	31'56	30	...	3'12	...	...	...	...	...	...	<i>Bihar, south—</i>
...	Patna.
...	40	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	<i>Bihar, north—</i>
...	36'25	111'87	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bhagalpur.
...	Muzaffarpur.
...	N.-W. Provinces—
65'21	<i>Eastern—</i>
...	Benares.
48'49	...	70	75	...	...	...	...	60	...	...	<i>Central—</i>
...	Cawnpore.
...	Jhansi.
...	60	...	70	<i>Western—</i>
51'25	45	...	...	Meerut.
...	Agra.
...	90 & 100	...	...	...	...	40 to 90	...	25 to 50	<i>Submontane, west—</i>
...	Shahjahanpur.
...	Oudh—
54'37	...	75	...	3'12	...	...	...	35	...	...	<i>Southern—</i>
...	2'81	...	...	...	...	...	...	Lucknow.
...	<i>Northern—</i>
...	Fyzabad.

(a) Per kahan.

(b) Per bundle.

WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT IN THE 2nd HALF OF

DISTRICTS.	Rice, un-husked.	Rice, husked.	Wheat.	Flour (wheat).	Barley.	Jawar.	Bajra.	Ragi.	Maize.	Gram.	Arhar dāl.	Ghi.
Rajputana—												
<i>Eastern—</i>												
Ajmere	33'33	...	43'91	...	33'33	50	44'43	...	42'08	43'75	...	290'88
Panjab—												
<i>Southern—</i>												
Ferozpur	32'5	85	39'37	42'5	32'5	37'5	46'25	...	39'37	38'75	55	320
<i>Central—</i>												
Lahore	36'82	58'18	39'01	41'04	28'02	33'33	47'03	...	42'08	39'53	55'16	305
<i>South-eastern—</i>												
Delhi	38'07	50	39'01	43'18	30'78	36'67	42'08	...	36'67	40	47'03	304'74
<i>Submontane—</i>												
Amritsar	35'57	59'27	37'19	39'01	28'07	40	...	...	...	38'54	...	328'18
<i>Northern—</i>												
Kawalpindi	30	53'78	34'84	37'66	23'54	34'9	47'03	...	33'33	37'66	41'87	278'12
<i>Western—</i>												
Multan	27'86	48'18	35'52	40	29'11	30'73	50	...	42'08	38'91	...	320
Sind and Baluchistan—												
Karachi . . . . .	...	50	...	...	30'94	35'31	44'37	...	...	44'06	62'5	335
Shikarpur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	39'53	...	302'5
Quetta . . . . .	...	...	37'5	65	27'5	36'25	...	...	80	...	...	340
Bombay—												
<i>Deccan—</i>												
Dharwar . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sholapur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Poona . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	53'65	35'88	...	50'73	...	...
<i>Khandesh—</i>												
Ahmadnagar . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dhulia . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Gujarat—</i>												
Surat . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ahmadabad . . . . .	...	51'25	...	...	...	...	42'5	...	...	40	...	...
Central Provinces—												
<i>Western—</i>												
Nagpur . . . . .	...	48	48	56	...	37	...	...	...	46	52	354
<i>Central—</i>												
Jubbulpore . . . . .	...	48'5	43'25	48'5	...	...	...	...	...	37'31	53'31	245
<i>Eastern—</i>												
Raipur . . . . .	...	50	45	54	...	...	...	...	...	50	65	275
Berar—												
Hásim . . . . .	...	57'14	57'41	66'66	...	50	...	...	...	...	57'41	...
Ellichpur . . . . .	...	80	61'5	...	...	53'33	66'66	...	...	61'5	61'5	320
Amraoti . . . . .	...	66'25	61'56	66'25	...	50	66'25	...	...	61'56	61'56	320
Madras—												
<i>South, central—</i>												
Coimbatore . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	32'5	20	...	...	45'62	...	456'87
Salem . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22'45	...	...	...	368'12
<i>Central—</i>												
Bellary . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	45'62	...	...	...	53'33	...	398'91
Cuddapah . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	36'56	40'42	...	...	...	...	366'67
Karnul	30'52	47'03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>East Coast, central—</i>												
Nellore . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25'16	...	28'85	...	...
<i>East Coast, south—</i>												
Madras	31'15	49'84	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	...	329'17
Tanjore	22'08	42'19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	30'47	...	21'72	...	...	...	...
<i>Southern—</i>												
Madura . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	30'99	...	...	33'12	...	...
Mysore—												
Mysore	27'98	45'71	68'57	66'57	...	34'74	...	23'51	...	3'05	67'2	339'37
Bangalore	23'5	58'75	59'5	53	...	39'75	...	25	...	34	34	411

JULY 1897 (in rupees and decimals per ten maunds)—continued.

Gdr.	Salt.	Tobacco leaf.	Turmeric.	Grass.	Straw.	Jawar stalks.	Bhoosa.	Sheep, per score.	Goats, per score.	Plough-bullocks, per pair.	DISTRICTS.
50	10	5	5	...	140	...	80	Rajputana— Eastern— Ajmere.
...	100	2'5	5	2'5	...	50	...	75	Panjab— Southern— Ferozpur.
...	...	57'13	68'91	13'28	6'35	...	...	100	...	86	Central— Lahore.
...	...	80	123'02	8'02	8'02	10	...	60	...	125	South-eastern— Delhi.
...	...	8	...	4'01	4'69	...	...	70	...	...	Submontane— Amritsar.
...	...	40	84'17	3'33	6'67	7'97	...	55	...	60	Northern— Ráwalpindi.
...	...	100	100	3'07	5'31	2'34	...	50	...	70	Western— Multan.
82'5	93'75	5'57	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sind and Baluchistan— Karáchi. Shikárpur. Quetta.
...	8'44	40 to 140	...	...	Bombay— Deccan— Dharwar. Sholapur. Poona.
...	Khandesh— Ahmadnagar. Dhulia.
...	Gujarat— Surat. Ahmadabad.
...	Central Provinces— Western— Nagpur.
...	39	80	115	...	...	...	...	40	...	30	Central— Jubbulpore.
...	44	170	95	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Eastern— Raipur.
...	Berar— Básim. Ellichpur. Amráoti.
...	...	200	76'25 110	5 2(a)	11 12(a)	...	...	60 55	...	50 80	Madras— South, central— Coimbatore. Salem.
71'87	57'5 62'45	...	2'5 6'87	...	...	90 80	90 80	60	Central— Bellary. Cuddapah. Karnul.
47'55	80	80	110	East Coast, central— Nellore.
...	46'67 58'7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	East Coast, south— Madras. Tanjore. Trichinopoly.
49'32	...	131'67 118'28	57'6	...	...	...	...	55	55	...	Southern— Madura.
...	...	89'74	...	...	5'36	...	...	...	...	4	Mysore— Mysore.
60'33	...	374	93'5	10'71	7'14	3'59	...	100	...	50	Bangalore.
68'5	...	308'25	68'5	13	21'62	...	...	100 to 200	...	50 to 70	

(a) Per 100 pullies.

J. E. O'CONOR,
Director-General of Statistics.• J. F. FINLAY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
FINANCE AND COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

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DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.		BARLEY.		RICE.				JAWAR OR GHOLU (<i>Sorghum vulgare</i>).		BAJRA OR GUMBU (<i>Penicillaria spicata</i>).	
	Half-month of report.	Previous half-month.	Half-month of report.	Previous half-month.	Best sort.		Common.		Half-month of report.	Previous half-month.	Half-month of report.	Previous half-month.
					Half-month of report.	Previous half-month.	Half-month of report.	Previous half-month.				
Burma—												
<i>Tenasserim—</i>												
Mergui . . . . .	...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	12 14	12 14	...	...	...	...
Tavoy . . . . .	...	...	...	...	11 3	11 3	11 13	11 13	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 11	6 11	8 3	8 3	...	...	...	...
<i>Pegu (deltaic)—</i>												
Pegu . . . . .	...	...	...	...	10 2	10 2	14 3	14 3	...	...	...	...
Rangoon	7 4	7 12	...	...	7 8	8 —	10 —	10 4	...	...	...	...
Thongwa . . . . .	...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	11 2	11 2	...	...	...	...
Bassein . . . . .	...	...	...	...	9 6	8 8	10 1	9 11	...	...	...	...
<i>Pegu (inland)—</i>												
Tharawadi . . . . .	...	...	...	...	9 4	9 4	12 3	12 3	...	...	...	...
Henzada . . . . .	...	...	...	...	8 5	8 5	8 5	8 5	...	...	...	...
Frome	10 6	10 6	...	...	7 2	8 1	9 7	9 7	...	...	...	...
Toungoo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	11 7	10 10	...	...	...	...
Thayetmyo	8 6	8 6	...	...	8 12	8 3	9 13	9 3	...	...	...	...
<i>Upper Burma—</i>												
Mandalay . . . . .	...	13 3	...	...	9 4	9 4	9 13	9 13	...	...	...	...
Bamo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	9 10	8 10	11 2	11 2	...	...	...	...
Pakokku . . . . .	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	8 —	8 —	39 —	39 —	...	...
Meiktila . . . . .	...	...	...	...	6 5	9 5	9 5	9 5	...	...	...	...
<i>Arakan—</i>												
Sandoway . . . . .	...	...	...	...	11 1	10 1	12 11	11 1	...	...	...	...
Kyaukpyu . . . . .	...	...	...	...	8 13	9 —	9 13	10 —	...	...	...	...
Akyab . . . . .	...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	12 —	12 —	...	...	...	...
Assam—												
<i>Surma—</i>												
Sylhet . . . . .	...	...	...	...	6 3	6 14	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Cachar	7 31	6 104	...	...	5 24	5 2	7 31	7 31	...	...	...	...
<i>Hill tracts—</i>												
Khasi and Jaintia Hills	5 —	5 —	...	...	4 —	4 —	5 —	5 —	...	...	...	...
Garo Hills . . . . .	...	...	...	...	4 8	...	8 —	7 8	...	...	...	...
Manipur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	12 8	12 8	...	...	...	...
<i>Brahmaputra—</i>												
Goalpara	8 —	8 8	...	...	5 8	5 8	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Kamrup	6 —	6 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 4	...	...	...	...
Darrang	6 —	6 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Nowgong . . . . .	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Sibsagar . . . . .	...	...	...	...	5 11	5 11	8 —	8 6	...	...	...	...
Lakhimpur	6 8	6 8	...	...	5 12	5 12	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Bengal—												
<i>Eastern hill tracts—</i>												
Naga Hills . . . . .	...	...	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
<i>Eastern—</i>												
Backerganj . . . . .	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 8	7 12	8 —	...	...	...	...
Noakhali . . . . .	...	...	...	...	6 —	7 —	7 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
Chittagong . . . . .	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 8	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Tippera . . . . .	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	8 —	8 2	...	...	...	...
Dacca	8 4	8 —	...	...	7 4	7 —	8 4	8 2	...	...	...	...
Maimensingh	7 —	7 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
<i>Deltaic—</i>												
Khulna . . . . .	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	8 —	7 8	...	...	...	...
24 Parganas . . . . .	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 4	7 4	...	...	...	...
Midnapur	7 8	8 —	...	...	7 —	8 —	8 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Howrah . . . . .	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	8 6	8 10	...	...	...	...
Calcutta	8 —	8 —	9 —	10 —	5 8	5 12	7 —	7 —	8 —	10 —	7 —	8 —
Hooghly	9 12	9 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	7 12	7 12	...	...	...	...
Nadia (Krishnagar h)	9 2	9 2	...	10 —	6 —	5 114	7 4	7 11	...	...	...	...
Jessore	8 —	8 —	8 —	8 —	7 8	7 4	8 —	8 4	...	...	...	...
Faridpur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	8 2	8 —	...	...	...	...

the number of sers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee.)

MARUA OR RAGI (<i>Eleusine coracana</i>).		KANKONI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (<i>Sesaria italica</i>).		GRAM, CHENNA, CHOLA, KADALAY OR SUNAGA (<i>Cicer arietinum</i>).		MAIZE (<i>Zea Mays</i>).		ARHAR, OR THUR, CADJAN PEA (<i>Cajanus indicus</i>).		SALT.		DISTRICTS.
Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	
...	15 —	15 —	Burma—
...	17 12	17 12	Tenasserim—
...	9 5	9 5	...	...	5 11	5 11	14 —	14 —	Mergui.
...	Tavoy.
...	Moulmein and Arakan.
...	11 2	11 2	20 8	20 8	9 —	9 —	14 3	14 3	Pegu (deltaic)—
...	9 6	9 4	...	...	7 —	7 4	18 4	18 6	Pegu.
...	13 5	13 5	Rangoon.
...	8 14	9 2	...	...	...	...	17 11	15 12	Thongwa.
...	Bassein.
...	10 9	10 9	...	...	...	...	14 4	14 4	Pegu (inland)—
...	6 8	6 8	...	...	4 —	4 —	13 5	14 10	Tharawadi.
...	7 7	7 7	...	...	5 10	7 —	14 3	11 5	Henzada.
...	8 8	9 1	...	...	8 10	8 10	11 6	11 6	Prone.
...	8 —	8 —	28 3	28 3	8 10	8 10	12 14	12 14	Toungoo.
...	Thayetmyo.
...	7 8	8 —	15 9	19 9	7 6	7 6	15 2	15 2	Upper Burma—
...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	8 1	8 1	Mandalay.
...	39 —	39 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	12 10	10 12	Bamo.
...	8 12	8 12	14 3	14 3	5 14	5 14	14 4	14 4	Pakokku.
...	Meiktila.
...	18 10	18 10	Arakan—
...	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...	27 —	27 —	Sandoway.
...	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	13 —	13 —	Kyaukpyu.
...	Akyab.
...	Assam—
...	7 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	9 6	9 —	Surma—
...	7 4	7 4	...	...	...	...	9 1	9 1	Sylhet.
...	Cachar.
...	5 8	5 8	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	Hill tracts—
...	6 —	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 8	6 —	Khási and Jaintia Hills.
...	3 —	3 —	3 4	3 —	Garo Hills.
...	Manipur.
...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...	10 —	9 —	Brahmaputra—
...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 4	7 —	10 —	10 —	Goalpara.
...	9 8	10 —	Kamrup.
...	6 —	6 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	Darrang.
...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 8	Nowgong.
...	8 —	8 —	15 —	15 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	Sibsagar.
...	Lakhimpur.
...	Bengal—
...	4 —	4 —	...	...	4 —	3 8	4 —	4 —	Eastern hill tracts—
...	Naga Hills.
...	7 —	7 8	...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	Eastern—
...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	Backerganj.
...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	Noakhali.
...	8 —	8 —	Chittagong.
...	8 8	8 8	...	...	7 8	8 —	10 8	10 —	Tippera.
...	8 —	8 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	8 —	8 —	Dacca.
...	Maimensingh.
...	7 —	7 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	8 —	8 —	Deltic—
...	7 8	8 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	10 —	10 —	Khulna.
...	8 —	8 4	...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	24-Parganas.
...	11 —	10 8	Midnapur.
...	9 7	9 8	...	...	7 8	8 —	9 8	9 4	Howrah.
...	...	7 —	8 —	8 —	8 12	8 9	10 —	8 —	10 —	9 —	10 —	Calcutta.
...	9 —	8 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	9 —	9 6	Hooghly.
...	9 7	10 5	12 5	12 5	10 10	10 10	Nadia (Krishnagarh).
...	9 —	9 —	10 —	10 —	8 8	8 8	Jessore.
...	10 —	10 —	9 —	9 —	Faridpur.

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DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.		BARLEY.		RICE.				JAWAR OR GHOLU (<i>Sorghum vulgare</i>).		BAJRA OR GUMBU (<i>Penicillaria spicata</i>).	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month.	Half-month of report.	Previous half-month.	Best sort.	Common.	Half-month of report.	Previous half-month.	Half-month of report.	Previous half-month.	Half-month of report.	Previous half-month.
Bengal—continued.												
<i>Central—</i>												
Bankura	9 —	9 —	...	...	8 —	7 8	9 —	9 14	...	...	...	...
Bardwan . . . . .	...	9 —	...	...	6 15	7 2	7 12	8 4	...	...	...	...
Birbhum	8 4	8 4	...	...	6 12	6 12	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Murshidabad	8 8	8 8	...	9 8	6 8	6 8	7 8	7 4	...	...	...	...
Santhal Parganas	8 —	8 —	10 —	10 —	6 8	7 —	7 10	8 2	...	...	...	...
Pabna	9 3	9 6	14 4	14 4	6 —	6 —	8 4	8 4	...	...	...	...
Bogra	7 8	7 8	...	...	5 4	5 10	6 6	6 12	...	...	...	...
Rajshahi	8 10	9 —	9 —	10 8	5 4	5 4	6 12	6 12	...	...	...	...
Malda	8 —	8 8	...	...	...	6 8	5 8	6 12	...	...	...	...
<i>Northern—</i>												
Rangpur	6 12	7 —	...	...	5 4	6 —	6 —	6 12	...	...	...	...
Dinajpur	8 1	8 —	...	...	5 6	6 —	6 —	6 14	...	...	...	...
Jalpaiguri	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	7 —	6 12	...	...	...	...
<i>Hills—</i>												
Darjeeling	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	4 8	4 8	7 —	6 8	...	...	...	...
<i>Orissa—</i>												
Puri	7 —	6 —	...	...	8 —	6 9	11 —	9 3	...	...	...	...
Cuttack	7 4	7 4	...	...	7 14	7 14	10 2	9 14	...	...	...	...
Balasore	10 —	10 8	8 —	8 8	8 —	8 —	10 —	10 8	...	...	...	...
<i>Chota-Nagpur—</i>												
Singbhum	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 —	7 —	7 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Mánbhum	8 8	8 8	10 —	10 —	6 to 7	7 —	7 8	7 8	...	...	10 —	...
Lohárdaga	5 —	5 4	...	8 —	5 to 6	5 —	6 —	6 8	...	...	...	...
Palámau	6 4	7 —	...	...	5 8	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...	...
Hazáribágh	7 5	7 14	9 4	9 9	6 3	5 12	7 5	7 14	...	...	...	...
<i>Bihár, south—</i>												
Monghyr	8 12	9 9	...	...	5 4	4 15	7 5	7 7	...	...	...	...
Gaya	8 4	8 8	10 4	11 —	6 —	6 —	7 4	7 8	8 —	9 —	...	...
Patna	9 8	10 —	11 —	12 —	7 —	8 —	7 12	8 8	...	...	...	...
Shahabad	8 12 and 9 —	9 — and 9 8	9 8	10 12	7 and 7 4	7 and 7 8	7 8 and 7 12	8 — and 8 4	...	...	...	...
<i>Bihár, north—</i>												
Purnea	8 8	9 —	12 —	12 —	6 —	6 —	7 2	6 8	8 —	12 —	...	...
Bhágápur	9 8	9 6	11 6	11 4	6 6	6 6	8 3	7 13	...	...	...	...
Darbhanga	8 —	8 —	9 8	10 —	6 —	6 8	7 8	7 —	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	9 —	9 4	10 —	11 —	5 —	5 4	7 4	7 8	8 —	...	...	...
Saran	9 —	9 8	10 10	11 4	5 —	5 —	7 4	8 1	...	...	...	...
Champáran	8 12	8 15	11 6	11 13	6 9	6 —	7 11	7 12	...	...	...	...
N.-W. Provinces—												
<i>Eastern—</i>												
Mirzapur	8 —	8 7	9 5	9 5	4 10	5 —	7 7	7 4	...	...	...	...
Benares	9 3	8 15	10 13	10 13	5 7	5 7	6 12	6 8	9 3	8 15	7 9	7 5
Ghazipur	9 —	9 —	10 4	10 8	5 —	4 12	7 —	7 4	6 8	6 8	7 8	7 12
Jaunpur	8 12	8 12	10 8	10 8	5 10	5 10	7 —	7 10	...	...	...	...
Allahabad	9 —	9 —	10 4	11 —	5 8	4 8	7 —	7 —	8 —	9 —	7 —	7 —
<i>Central—</i>												
Bánda	9 —	8 9	10 4	10 4	6 4	6 4	7 8	7 8	9 8	9 8	...	...
Fatehpur	8 12	8 12	10 4	10 —	5 8	5 8	7 —	7 4	...	...	...	...
Hamirpur	8 11	8 6	9 15	9 10	6 4	5 4	6 12	6 10	8 3	9 1	6 6	10 8
Jalaun	9 —	8 12	10 —	10 —	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	9 —	9 —
Cawnpore	9 14	10 —	12 —	12 —	4 12	4 12	7 12	7 8	...	...	...	...
Jhānsi	9 —	9 —	11 —	10 4	5 8	5 8	7 4	6 8	10 —	9 12	...	...
Etāwah	10 —	9 6	11 8	10 10	4 —	5 —	8 —	7 —	...	...	6 —	...
Farukhabad	10 —	9 11	12 4	10 14	4 12	4 12	6 2	6 2	...	...	12 4	11 4
Mainpuri	10 8	10 2	12 8	11 9	4 8	4 8	7 8	7 8	...	...	12 5	11 7
Etah	10 10	10 10	13 2	13 2	5 2	5 2	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...
<i>Western—</i>												
Meerut	10 8	10 8	12 —	12 —	4 —	5 —	8 —	8 —	9 —	9 —	...	...
Agra	9 12	9 12	12 4	11 12	6 —	6 —	7 12	7 12	10 —	9 12	9 —	8 —
Muttra	10 —	10 —	13 4	12 8	4 —	4 8	7 12	7 12	8 —	8 —	7 —	7 —
Aligarh	10 4	10 8	13 4	12 8	5 4	...	6 8	6 8	9 8	9 8	7 4	7 4
Bulandshahr	10 7	10 12	12 14	12 14	4 12	4 4	7 —	7 —	8 6	7 14	8 13	7 —
<i>Submontane, east—</i>												
Ballia	9 —	9 —	9 8	10 —	5 —	5 —	6 4	7 —	...	...	...	...
Azamgarh	8 8	8 14	10 —	10 6	4 7	4 7	7 7	7 7	...	...	...	...
Gorakhpur	8 9	8 13	10 5	10 13	4 15	4 15	6 12	6 12	7 10	7 10	...	...
Basti	10 4	10 8	11 8	11 8	6 —	6 —	7 8	7 8	9 —	9 —	...	...

represent the number of sars (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee.)

MARUA OR RAGI (<i>Elev-sine cori-cana</i>).		KANGNI OR KAKUN. ITALIAN MILLET (<i>Setaria italica</i>).		GRAM, GHENNA, CHOLA, KADALAY OR SUNAGA (<i>Cicer arislinum</i>).		MAIZE (<i>Zea Mays</i>).		ARHAR, OR THUR, GADJAN PEA (<i>Cajanus indicus</i>).		SALT.		DISTRICTS.
Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	
...	8 12	9 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	10 —	10 —	Bengal—continued.
...	9 —	9 12	...	...	10 —	9 12	11 —	11 —	
...	9 —	9 12	...	...	6 —	10 —	10 8	10 8	Central— Bankura. Bardwag. Birbhum.
...	9 4	10 8	...	...	11 4	12 —	11 —	11 —	Murshidabad.
...	8 8	9 —	8 —	8 —	9 —	11 —	10 —	10 —	Santhal Parganas.
...	9 8	10 —	...	...	8 4 and 13 —	8 10 and 13 8	9 12	9 12	Pabna.
...	7 8	7 15 1/2	...	...	...	...	8 1	8 4	Bogra.
...	9 12	10 8	...	...	11 4	12 —	9 —	9 —	Rajshahi.
...	8 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	Malda.
...	9 —	9 —	9 8	10 —	6 8	8 —	9 —	8 —	Northern— Rangpur. Dinajpur. Jalpaiguri.
...	9 9 1/2	9 9 1/2	...	...	10 12	10 12	10 5	10 2 1/2	
...	9 8	10 —	...	...	8 —	8 8	9 —	9 —	Hills— Darjeeling.
11 —	10 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 —	10 —	5 8	5 8	7 — and 8 —	7 — and 8 —	Orissa— Puri. Cuttack.
...	10 8	10 8	...	...	9 8	10 8	12 4	10 8	Balasore.
...	10 14 1/2	10 14 1/2	...	...	9 14	10 8	10 12	10 12	Chota-Nagpur— Singhbhum.
...	8 4	8 —	...	...	6 6	7 —	10 12	10 14	Mánbbum.
...	8 —	8 —	...	...	10 —	8 —	7 —	7 —	Lohárdaga.
...	8 8	9 —	...	...	...	...	9 2	9 2	Palámau.
8 —	8 —	...	...	6 12	6 12	...	...	7 —	7 —	8 —	8 —	Hazáribágh.
7 14	9 8	...	...	7 —	7 4	7 14	8 —	9 8	10 2	7 5	7 12	Bihár, south— Monghyr.
8 —	9 —	...	...	8 —	8 8	8 —	...	8 —	9 —	8 —	8 —	
...	9 7 1/2	10 8	...	9 3	11 — 1/2	11 8 1/2	9 15 1/2	9 15 1/2	Gaya.
...	9 —	9 —	9 8	...	...	9 4	10 8	9 —	10 —	Patna.
...	...	9 —	9 —	9 12	10 —	...	...	10 12	11 8	10 8	10 —	Shahabad.
...	9 8	10 —	...	...	10 8	11 —	10 —	10 —	Bihár, north— Purnea. Bhágampur. Darbhanga. Muzaffarpur. Sáran. Champáran.
...	9 12	10 4	...	...	10 8	11 —	10 —	10 —	
13 —	...	12 8	...	9 —	10 —	11 —	...	10 —	10 —	9 —	10 —	Purnea.
...	10 2	10 2	10 2	9 6	...	...	10 —	10 —	Bhágampur.
...	9 —	9 4	...	...	9 4	9 8	9 12	10 —	Darbhanga.
9 4	10 —	...	...	9 —	9 8	9 8	...	10 —	10 8	11 —	11 —	Muzaffarpur.
...	9 4	10 8	9 —	6 8	10 4	11 4	10 —	10 —	Sáran.
...	9 10	10 4 1/2	10 4 1/2	10 8	10 1 1/2	12 7 1/2	10 15	10 8	Champáran.
N.-W. Provinces—												
Eastern—												
...	...	8 —	6 —	8 8	8 7	...	...	7 2	7 1	9 8	9 8	Mirzapur.
...	...	8 15	8 15	9 3	9 3	...	...	7 9	7 9	10 2	10 2	Benares.
...	...	10 8	10 8	9 4	9 8	...	...	9 —	8 12	9 8	9 8	Ghazipur.
...	8 12	9 —	...	...	8 8	8 —	10 4	10 4	Jaunpur.
...	11 8	4 —	4 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	10 4	10 4	Allahabad.
...	8 12	8 12	10 —	10 —	7 8	7 8	10 8	10 8	Central— Bánda. Fatehpur. Hamirpur. Jalaun. Cawnpore. Jhánai. Etáwah. Farukhabad. Mainpuri. Etah.
...	8 12	8 12	...	...	7 12	7 12	10 8	10 8	Bánda.
...	8 10	8 6	9 3	8 12	7 2	7 1	10 4	10 6	Fatehpur.
...	8 8 1/2	8 8 1/2	9 —	9 8	7 —	7 —	10 8	10 12	Hamirpur.
9 —	9 —	9 —	9 —	9 4	9 4	...	...	10 10	10 12	11 12	11 12	Jalaun.
...	8 12	8 12	9 12	9 12	8 6	7 14	11 4	10 8	Cawnpore.
...	9 4	9 —	11 —	...	8 —	8 —	11 —	10 8	Jhánai.
...	9 9	9 9	...	...	10 2	10 9	11 8	11 12	Etáwah.
...	...	7 8	...	8 14	8 7	9 —	...	7 12	8 4	11 —	11 —	Farukhabad.
...	9 14	9 10	...	...	8 2	8 2	11 8	11 8	Mainpuri.
...	10 —	10 8	9 —	7 —	11 —	11 —	11 8	11 —	Etah.
...	9 8	9 8	9 —	10 —	7 12	8 —	12 6	12 2	Western— Meerut. Agra. Muttra. Aligarh. Bulandshahr.
...	10 —	10 4	...	...	11 —	11 —	12 —	12 —	Meerut.
...	...	10 —	10 —	10 —	10 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 8	11 12	...	Agra.
...	...	12 —	12 —	10 4	10 8	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 8	11 12	...	Muttra.
...	...	11 —	...	10 5	10 8	9 4	8 8	8 9	8 6	11 5	11 3	Aligarh.
...	9 8	10 —	...	...	9 8	10 —	10 —	10 —	Bulandshahr.
...	8 8	8 8	...	...	8 2	8 8	9 13	9 13	Submontane, east— Ballia. Azamgarh. Gorakhpur. Basti.
9 7	9 7	7 3	7 3	8 9	9 —	9 —	9 —	7 13	8 —	10 —	9 10	Ballia.
13 6	13 8	9 —	9 —	9 —	9 8	9 —	9 —	9 8	10 —	10 12	10 12	Azamgarh.

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DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.		BARLEY.		RICE.				JAWAR OR CHOLUM (Sorghum vulgare).		BAJRA OR CUMBU (Pennisetia spicata).	
					Best sort.		Common.					
	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.
N.-W. Provinces—contd.												
<i>Submontane, west—</i>												
Shahjahanpur	10 .		12 —	12 4	4 8	4 8	7 4	7 4				
Buddun	10 5	10 3	12 1	11 8	5 5	5 10	6 14	7 3	6 13	7 —	6 5	7
Pilibit	10 6	9 14	13 —	13 —	6 8	6 —	8 12	7 13				
Bareilly	9 6	9 11	11 8	9 1	3 13	3 13	5 14	5 14	9 11	8 13	7 10	7 10
Moradabad	10 2	10 —	11 —	11 —	5 —	5 —	6 12	6 12				
Bijnor	9 9	9 13	11 4	11 8	6 12	6 12	7 5	7 5	7 14			
Muzaffarnagar	10 9	10 14	12 2	12 2	5 —	5 —	7 6	7 6				
Saharanpur	10 14	10 15	13 —	13 —	4 5	4 13	6 8	6 8	9 11	8 9	8 9	8 9
Dehra-Dun	10 4	9 12	11 8	12 —	6 —	6 2	6 8	6 8	5 —	6 8	8 —	8 —
<i>Hills—</i>												
Naini Tal	8 —		9 8	9 8	—	3 8	5 8	5 8			4 —	
Almora	10 8	10 8	14 —	13 —	7 5	7 12	8 8	8 8				
Garhwal	10 —	10 9	12 —	12 —	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —				
Oudh—												
<i>Southern—</i>												
Partabgarh	9 —	8 12	10 8	10 8	5 4	5 4	7 —	6 12				
Sultanpur	9 —	9 4	11 4	10 12	5 4	5 4	8 —	8 —				
Rae-Bareilly	9 8	9 8	11 8	11 8	5 —	5 —	7 12	7 12				
Unao	9 —	8 12	11 —	10 4	—	—	7 8	7 8	10 —		4 —	6
Lucknow	9 12	9 8	11 4	11 8	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —				8
Hardoi	9 12	9 4	12 —	11 8	7 —	7 —	8 —	8 —				
<i>Northern—</i>												
Fyzabad	10 —	10 —	11 8	11 8	6 4	6 8	7 12	7 12				
Barabanki	10 —	9 4	11 8	10 12	6 8	6 —	7 8	7 —			6 —	
Gonda	9 10	9 6	12 —	11 8	6 4	6 4	7 8	7 —	7 8	6 —	7 —	7 —
Bahraich	9 4	9 4	12 8	12 12	5 —	5 —	7 8	7 8	10 8	10 8		
Sitapur	10 2	10 4	12 —	12 —	4 —	4 —	7 12	7 12				
Kheri	10 —	10 —	12 12	12 8	5 —	5 —	7 —	8 —	11	11 —		
Rajputana—												
<i>Eastern—</i>												
Partabgarh	10 8	10 12	13 —	13 2	6 4	5	6 9	6			12 8	
Banswara	13 12	13 12	16 4	16 4	6 4	6	12 8	12				
Meywar (Udaipur)	9 12	10 2	12 8	12 14	7 13	7 1	8 3	8			12 8	7 13
Hilly Tracts of Meywar	12 —	12 8	20 —	18 —	—	—	12 8	10				
Sirohi	10 8	10 8	15 —	15 —	5 —	5 —	6 —	6 —			12 8	12
Erinpura	10 3	10 4	14 4	14 9	6 2	6	7 2	7			13 2	12 2
Ajmer	9 —	9 8	11 8	12 8	4 8	4	6 2	6			8 8	9 4
Abu	9 —	9 3	12 1	12 1	5 —	5 —	6 —	6 —				9 2
Kishengarh	10 8	10 5	12 1	12 1	5 —	5 —	6 —	6 —				
Bundi	9 8	9 —	11 12	12 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	8 —	9 4	9 8	9 —	
Kotah	9 8	10 —	11 —	11 —	6 —	6 —	7 —	6 —	11 —	12 —	—	—
Jhallowar	10 —	10 —	11 —	11 —	6 4	6	7 2	7	11 —	11 4	7 —	9 4
Tonk	8 11	8 14	9 10	9 8	5 1	5 —	6 6	6	10 3	10 5	—	—
Jaipur	8 —	7 14	10 2	9 15	4 —	4 —	5 4	5	6 8	8 —	6 3	7 —
Kerauli	9 4	9 8	12 4	12 8	4 4	4 4	5 12	5 1	8 8	8 8	10 8	9 8
Dholpur	8 7	8 7	10 5	10 10	6 4	6 4	6 12	6 1	7 8	8 4	8 7	8 12
Bhartpur	9 10	9 4	11 11	11 5	5 5	5 5	6 12	6 1	11 12	10 2	8 11	7 14
Alwar	10 3	10 4	13 4	12 9	4 —	4 —	5 —	5 —	8 12	8 4	8 14	8 3
Deoli Cantonment	10 8	10 5	13 5	12 15	5 12	5 12	6 2	6 2	8 11	8 —	10 —	9 4
Nasirabad Cantonment	10	10 1	12 4		4 —	4 —	7 —	7 —	13 —	13 —	11 12	11 12
Balmer	9 4	9 —			5 4	5 —	6 4	6 4	9 —	9 —	8 8	8 8
Anadra	8 2	8 8			5 8	5 8	7 8	7 8			12 3	13 —
Shahpura	9 14	9 10			5 4	5 6	6 8	6 8				
<i>Western—</i>												
Jodhpur	8 12	8 12	11 4	11 4	5 —	5 —	6 4	6 4	8 12	8 12	9 4	
Jaisalmer	9 4	9 1		11 9	5 9	5 9	6 12	6 12	9 —	9 —	10 —	
Bikaner	7 9	7 9			4 —	3 12	6 —	5 —			8 4	
Central India—												
Indore	7 —	8 —	10 12	10 8	6 —	6 —	6 8	6 8	7 12	8 12	8 —	
Nimach Cantonment	8 4	9 8			5 —	5 —	7 —	7 —	9 4	9 8	8 4	
Gwalior	8 8	8 3	10 13	9 13	4 8	4 8	5 5	5 5	8 8		8 8	
Panjab—												
<i>Southern—</i>												
Hissar		11 —	12 —	13 8			6 6	6 5	11 —	11 4	9 4	
Ferozpur		10 12	12 4	13 12			5 12	6 12	10 12	9 12	8 4	
<i>Central—</i>												
Lahore	10 —	11 —	13 12	14 4			6 10	6 10	11 8	9 14	8 4	
Gujranwala	10 12	11 12	14 8	15 8			7 4	7 4	9 8	8 8	8 —	
Gujrat	11 —	11 —	13 —	14 —			6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	7 —	
Jhelam	11 —	12 —	15 —	15 —			8 —	8 —	12 —	10 —	9 12	

represent the number of sers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee.)

MARUA OR RAGI (<i>Echino- coccinea</i>).		KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (<i>Setaria italica</i>).		GRAM, GHENNA, GHOLA, KADALAY OR SUNAGA (<i>Cicer arietinum</i>).		MAIZE (<i>Zea Mays</i>).		ARNAR, OR THUR, CADJAN PEA (<i>Cajanus indicus</i>).		SALT.		DISTRICTS.
Half- month of report.	Pre- vious half- month.	Half- month of report.	Pre- vious half- month.	Half- month of report.	Pre- vious half- month.	Pre- vious half- month.	Half- month of report.	Pre- vious half- month.	Half- month of report.	Pre- vious half- month.		
9 —	9 —	7 4	6 8	9 4	9 8	7 4	6 13	8 12	8 12	11 4	11 4	N.-W. Provinces—contd.
				10 —	10 2	11 11	8 6	7 7	7 14	10 2	10 8	Submontane, west—
				9 12	9 7	9 11		8 12	8 7	11 —	11 —	Shahjahanpur.
		6 9	6 4	9 9	9 1			7 6	7 6	10 9	10 9	Budaun.
		7 4	7 4	9 12	10 —			7 8	7 8	11 —	11 —	Pilibit.
				9 4½	9 9			7 5	10 2	10 3	10 3	Bareilly.
10 12	10 12	17 3	8 9	10 —	10 1	10 12	9 11	7 11	7 11	11 4	11 4	Moradabad.
8 —	8 —			9 —	9 —	7 —	7 8	7 8	7 8	11 4	11 4	Bijnor.
								7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	Muzaffarnagar.
												Saharanpur.
												Dehra-Dun.
												Hills—
												Naini Tal.
												Almora.
												Garhwal.
												Oudh—
												Southern—
												Partabgarh.
												Sultanpur.
												Rae-Bareilly.
												Unao.
												Lucknow.
												Hardoi.
												Northern—
												Fyzabad.
												Barabanki.
												Gonda.
												Bahraich.
												Sitapur.
												Kheri.
												Rajputana—
												Eastern—
												Partabgarh.
												Banswara.
												Meywar (Udaipur).
												Hilly Tracts of Meywar.
												Sirohi.
												Erinpura.
												Ajmere.
												Abu.
												Kishengarh.
												Bundi.
												Kotah.
												Jhallawar.
												Tonk.
												Jaipur.
												Kerauli.
												Dholpur.
												Bhartpur.
												Alwar.
												Deoli Cantonment.
												Nasirabad Cantonment.
												Balmer.
												Anadra.
												Shahpura.
												Western—
												Jodhpur.
												Jaisalmer.
												Bikaner.
												Central India—
												Indore.
												Nimach Cantonment.
												Gwalior.
												Punjab—
												Southern—
												Hissar.
												Ferozpur.
												Central—
												Lahore.
												Gujranwala.
												Gujrat.
												Jhelam.

Unhusked. † Husked. ‡ Not sold. § Not produced.

¶ Not procurable.

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DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.		BARLEY.		RICE.				JAWAR OR GHOLU (<i>Sorghum vulgare</i>).		BAJRA OR GUMBU (<i>Pennisetia apicata</i>).	
	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Best sort.		Common.		Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.
					Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.				
Panjab—continued.												
South-eastern—												
Gurgaon	10 4	10 4	13 2	12 14	...	...	6 8	6 8	9 —	8 —	9 —	9 —
Delhi	10 —	10 —	12 8	12 8	...	...	7 8	7 —	10 8	9 8	9 —	9 —
Rohtak	9 8	9 12	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 12	7 12	8 —	10 —	7 4	7 4
Karnal	10 —	11 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	8 —	8 —	5 —	5 —
Submontane—												
Ambala	10 —	10 8	12 —	12 8	...	...	7 8	7 8	10 —	8 8	7 —	7 —
Ludhiana	11 8	11 4	13 4	13 12	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 8	9 —	6 4	6 4
Jalandhar	11 —	12 —	14 —	14 8	...	...	7 8	7 8	11 —	9 8	8 —	8 —
Hoshiarpur	11 —	11 8	10 —	15 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	13 —	8 —	9 —	9 —
Gurdaspur	10 4	11 12	14 —	15 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	10 —	10 —
Amritsar	10 —	10 —	13 —	14 —	...	...	6 8	6 4	9 12	7 12	8 4	8 4
Sialkot	10 —	11 —	13 4	13 8	...	...	6 4	6 12	8 —	8 12	...	...
Hills—												
Simla	8 —	8 4	11 —	11 8	...	...	6 4	6 8	7 —	7 —	7 —	7 —
Kangra	11 8	11 8	16 —	16 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	7 †	7 †	7 †	7 †
Northern—												
Kawalpindi	11 4	11 4	16 12	16 4	...	...	6 4	6 4	10 12	7 —	8 4	8 4
Hazara	11 4	11 4	15 4	15 12	...	...	5 14	5 14	7 †	7 †	6 —	6 —
Peshawar	11 —	11 —	18 —	18 —	...	...	6 11	7 —	7 11	8 3	6 11	6 11
Kohat	11 —	11 —	15 10	15 —	...	...	7 14	8 2	7 †	7 †	10 7	10 7
Bannu	10 12	10 5	14 8	15 8	...	...	7 3	7 —	7 8	7 8	6 9	6 9
Western—												
Shahpur	12 —	11 8	16 —	15 —	...	...	5 8	6 —	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8
Jhang	11 4	12 —	14 —	15 —	...	...	9 —	8 —	5 —	6 —	4 8	4 8
Multan	11 —	10 12	13 4	13 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	12 —	9 —	7 8	7 8
Montgomery	11 2	11 8	13 —	13 —	...	...	6 4	6 8	7 †	7 †	7 †	7 †
Dera Ismael Khan	10 2	10 5	12 8	12 8	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 12	7 8	6 9	6 9
Muzaffargarh	12 8	12 8	14 —	14 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	9 —	9 —	7 —	7 —
Dera Ghazi Khan	11 4	10 10	12 8	12 3	...	...	6 6	6 6	9 6	9 6	9 6	9 6
Sind and Baluchistan—												
Karachi	9 8	10 —	...	...	6 8	7 —	8 8	8 —	10 8	11 —	9 —	9 —
Hyderabad	9 8	9 8	...	...	6 4	6 8	8 —	8 —	11 8	10 8	9 —	9 —
Thar and Parkar (Umarkot)	9 4	10 8	...	...	11 —	11 —	15 —	15 —	...	...	12 —	12 —
Shikarpur	11 —	11 —	...	...	6 —	7 —	7 —	8 —	12 8	13 —	10 —	10 —
Upper Sind Frontier	10 —	10 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	9 —	9 —	12 8	13 —	10 8	10 8
Quetta	10 —	10 —	12 12	13 4	4 —	4 —	7 —	7 —	10 12	11 —	8 —	8 —
Bombay—												
Konkan—												
Karwar	5 14	5 9	...	...	6 9	6 9	7 11	8 1	9 4	9 8	...	...
Ratnagiri	6 1	6 1	...	...	7 4	7 4	7 13	7 13	7 2	7 13	6 10	6 10
Alibag	5 9	5 9	...	...	8 9	8 2	9 —	8 9	...	...	7 5	7 5
Bombay	6 8	6 8	...	...	5 12	5 12	8 7	7 13	7 15	7 15	7 15	7 15
Tanna	6 6	6 6	...	...	6 7	6 7	7 0	7 6	7 15	7 15	8 5	8 5
Deccan—												
Dharwar	6 7	7 5	...	...	7 10	8 10	8 2	9 9	9 15	10 6	8 6	8 6
Belgaum	6 5	7 1	...	...	8 1	8 1	8 0	8 15	9 5	10 6	7 13	7 13
Satara	5 13	6 3	...	...	5 14	5 14	6 3	6 5	7 9	7 7	6 —	6 —
Sholapur	7 7	7 —	...	...	6 5	6 5	7 13	7 5	8 1	8 1	7 2	7 2
Bijapur	5 12	6 3	...	...	5 9	5 9	8 9	8 9	7 10	7 10	7 1	7 1
Poona	6 15	6 15	...	...	5 7	5 7	6 10	6 10	8 4	8 4	7 8	7 8
Khandesh—												
Ahmadnagar	5 13	5 13	...	...	5 14	5 14	6 13	6 13	7 9	6 14	6 9	6 9
Nasik	7 3	7 3	...	...	5 14	5 14	6 9	6 9	8 6	9 2	7 12	7 12
Dhulia	6 9	6 9	...	...	5 9	5 9	6 9	6 2	6 14	7 12	6 14	6 14
Gujarat—												
Surat	7 6	6 15	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 8	6 8	8 5	7 14	7 14	7 14
Broach	8 —	8 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	8 8	8 4	8 —	8 —
Kaira	8 8	8 8	...	...	5 8	5 8	7 8	7 8	9 —	9 —	9 —	9 —
Baroda Cantonment	6 8	7 —	...	...	5 —	5 8	7 —	7 8	8 8	9 —	8 —	8 —
Ahmadabad	7 8	8 —	...	...	6 4	6 4	6 8	6 8	8 —	10 —	9 —	9 —
Godhra	8 —	8 —	...	...	7 —	7 8	8 —	8 8	...	...	9 —	9 —
Disa Cantonment	10 8	10 8	...	...	5 8	5 8	6 8	6 8	11 8	12 —	12 —	12 —
Kathiawar—												
Rajkot	9 1	9 1	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 —	6 —	9 13	9 13	8 13	8 13
Central Provinces—												
Western—												
Nimar	7 9	7 15	...	...	4 10	4 10	6 11	6 11	8 4	8 9	...	...
Khandwa	7 4	6 12	...	...	6 4	6 —	7 4	7 —	8 12	7 12	...	...
Hoshangabad	8 —	7 8	...	...	6 4	6 4	7 2	7 1	8 —	8 6	...	...
Betul	7 3	6 9	...	...	6 —	5 2	6 14	6 —	8 —	7 2	...	...
Chhindwara	7 10	6 15	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 2	6 2	...	8 —	...	...
Nagpur	8 2	8 2	6 4	6 4	8 2	7 8	9 3	8 10
Wardha	7 4	7 4	5 —	5 —	7 4	7 4	8 8	8 8

Not sold.

† Not produced.

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represent the number of sars (of 50 tolas) and chittucks sold for one rupee.)

MARUA OR RABI (<i>Eleusine coracana</i>).		KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (<i>Setaria italica</i>).		GRAM, GHENNA, GHOLA, KADALAY OR SUNAGA (<i>Cicer arvensium</i>).		MAIZE (<i>Zea Mays</i>).		ARHAR, OR TUR, CADJAN PEA (<i>Cajanus indicus</i>).		SALT.		DISTRICTS.
Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	
Panjab—continued.												
South-eastern—												
		† 8	† 8	9 10	9 8	9 —	8 —	11 —	11 —	11 —	11 —	Gurgaon.
		10 —	10 —	9 12	9 8	10 8	9 —	10 8	10 8	11 —	11 —	Delhi.
		8 —	8 —	10 —	10 —	8 —	9 —	8 —	8 —	10 8	10 8	Rohtak.
												Karnal.
Submontane—												
		† 8	† 8	9 14	10 —	11 —	11 —	6 8	† 8	12 12	12 12	Ambala.
		12 8	12 8	10 4	11 —	12 —	12 —	†	†	12 8	12 8	Ludhiana.
		13 —	13 —	11 —	11 —	11 —	10 —	†	†	13 —	13 —	Jalandhar.
		10 —	8 —	11 4	11 4	13 —	13 —	8 —	8 —	12 12	12 12	Hoshiarpur.
		10 —	10 —	10 12	11 —	11 —	11 —			12 —	12 —	Gurdaspur.
		12 —	12 —	9 12	10 —	7 12	6 12			12 —	12 —	Amritsar.
13 —	13 —	†	†	10 —	10 8	†	†			13 12	13 12	Sialkot.
Hills—												
10 —	10 —	7 —	7 —	8 —	8 4	9 12	9 8	5 8	5 8	8 —	8 8	Simla.
†	†	†	†	10 —	10 —	12 —	12 —	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	Kangra.
Northern—												
		9 12	9 12	10 6	10 —	11 12	11 12	14 —	14 —	13 12	13 12	Rawalpindi.
		†	†	9 2	9 2	8 11	10 8	†	†	11 —	11 —	Hazara.
		14 —	13 —	9 3	9 9	11 —	11 —	11 —	12 —	15 —	15 —	Peshawar.
		†	†	9 9	9 9	13 10	12 2	†	†	16 9	17 14	Kohat.
8 —	8 —	8 —	8 —	10 12	10 —	10 10	8 14	7 —	7 —	21 —	20 —	Bannu.
Western—												
15 —	15 —	15 —	15 —	11 —	11 —	8 —	8 —	†	†	13 —	13 —	Shahpur.
12 —	12 —	8 —	5 —	10 —	10 —	6 —	6 —	8 —	7 —	12 8	12 4	Jhang.
†	†	12 —	10 —	11 —	10 12	9 —	9 —	†	†	12 8	12 8	Multan.
		†	†	10 12	11 —	9 —	9 —	6 —	6 —	12 —	12 8	Montgomery.
		4 —	4 —	10 10	10 10	8 2	8 12	5 —	5 —	15 8	15 8	Dera Ismael Khan.
		†	†	11 —	11 —	†	†			12 —	12 —	Muzaffargarh.
		†	†	10 —	9 8					11 14	12 8	Dera Ghazi Khan.
Sind and Baluchistan—												
				9 —	9 —			6 8	6 8	14	14 —	Karachi.
				8 8	8 8			5 4	5 4	12	12 —	Hyderabad.
				6 —	6 —			...	...	12	12 —	Thar and Parkar (Umarkot).
				10 —	9 8			6 4	6 8	10	12 —	Shikarpur.
				10 8	10 8			5 —	...	11	10 —	Upper Sind Frontier.
				8 12	8 14	5 —	6 12	5 8	5 8	9	9 —	Quetta.
6 —	6 —											
Bombay—												
Konkan—												
12 —	12 10			6 12	6 12					10 8	10 10	Karwar.
9 6	9 6			7 9	7 9			5 6	5 6	11 11	11 11	Ratnagiri.
...	...			6 13	6 13			5 11	5 4	10 3	10 3	Alibag.
7 14	7 14			8 2	8 2			6 6	6 6	11 9	11 9	Bombay.
8	8			8 —	8 —			7 5	6 6	12 4	12 4	Tanna.
Deccan—												
				7 4	7 4			6 15	6 15	10 14	11 4	Dharwar.
				6 12	7 4			6 2	6 13	9 1	9 14	Belgaum.
				5 13	6 3			5 12	5 12	10 11	11 —	Satara.
				7 3	7 3			7 14	7 14	11 —	11 —	Sholapur.
				7 2	7 2			6 11	6 11	10 9	10 9	Bijapur.
10 14	10 14			7 8	7 8			6 —	6 —	10 12	10 12	Poona.
Khândesh—												
				6 15	6 15			7 —	7 —	11 11	11 11	Ahmadnagar.
				7 13	7 13			7 2	6 7	12 11	12 11	Nasik.
				7 —	7 —			6 —	6 7	9 5	8 15	Dhulia.
Gujarat—												
				7 6	7 6			6 8	6 8	12 8	12 8	Surat.
				8 —	7 8			6 8	7 —	13 —	13 —	Broach.
				8 8	8 8			8 —	8 —	12 —	12 —	Kaira.
				7 8	7 8			7 —	7 —	11 8	11 8	Baroda Cantonment.
				9 8	10 —			8 —	8 —	13 8	13 8	Ahmadabad.
				10 8	10 8			7 8	7 8	12 —	12 —	Godhra.
				9 8	9 8			7 8	7 8	12 —	12 —	Dasa Cantonment.
9 8	9 12											
8	9 —											
11 —	11 —											
12 —	12 —											
Kathiawar—												
				8 5	8 5			6 8	6 —	70 —	72 —	Rajkot.
Central Provinces—												
Western—												
				8 —	8 —			6 —		10 14	11 6	Nimar.
				7 —	7 —			6		9 —	9 —	Khandwa.
				7 7	7 7			6 10	6 10	10 —	10 —	Hoshangabad.
				8 —	7 3			5 9	5 9	8 —	8 —	Betul.
				7 10	6 15			5 9	5 2	8 —	8 —	Chhindwara.
				8 —	8 7			7 8	7 3	10 —	10 —	Nagpur.
				7 —	7 —			7 4	6 7	10 11	10 11	Wardha.

• Not sold.

▲ Not introduced.

— Not procurable.

RETAIL PRICES FOR THE 2nd HALF OF JULY 1897—concluded. (The figures

DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.		BARLEY.		RICE.				JAWAR OR CHOLUM (<i>Sorghum vulgare</i>).		BAJRA OR CUMBU (<i>Penicillaria spicata</i>).	
					Best sort.		Common.					
	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.	Half-month of report.	Pre-vious half-month.
Central Provinces—contd.												
<i>Central—</i>												
Narsinghpur	7 9	7 9					7 9	7 6		9 2		
Saugor	8 4	8 4			5 13	5 13	6 —	6 —				
Damoh	7 1	6 11			5 5	5 5	6 2	6 —				
Jubbulpore	8 12	8 12			6 —	6 —	7 12	7 12				
Mandla	8 8	8 —			6 —	6 —	7 8	7 8				
Seoni	8 13	8 8			5 —	5 —	8 —	7 4				
Balaghāt	7 —	7 8			5 —	6 —	7 —	7 —				
Bhandara	7 8	7 8					7 8	7 8				
Chānda	7 5	7 5					7 7	7 7	7 10	7 10		
<i>Eastern—</i>												
Bilāspur	7 2	8 —			6 6	7 2	7 2	8 —				
Raipur	8 8	8 8			6 —	6 —	7 8	7 8				
Sambalpur	7 8	7 8			7 8	7 8	8 12	8 12				
Berar—												
Buldāna	6 6	6 8			5 8	5 8	6 —	6 —	7 8	7 4	6 14	
Bāsim	6 12	7 8			5 12	5 12	6 4	6 4	8 —	8 12		
Akola	7 2	7 2			4 13	5 —	6 0	6 —	7 15	9 3		
Ellichpur	6 8	6 8			5 —	5 —	7 8	5 8	7 8	7 8	6 —	
Amraoti	6 8	6 8			5 —	5 —	6 —	6 —	7 8	8 —	6 —	
Wun	6 4	7 4			4 8	5 —	5 —	6 8	8 —	9 8		
Nizam's Territories—												
Secunderabad	5 —	5 —			4 9	4 11	5 1	5 2	8 2	8 2	9 7	
Bolāram	5 10	5 13			5 2	4 13	6 10	5 15	8 14	9 3		
Chadarghāt	5 10	5 2			5 —	5 8	7 8	7 2	8 8	8 4		
Madras—												
<i>Malabar coast—</i>												
Malabar							7 11	7 11				
S. Canara							8 11	8 11				
<i>South, Central—</i>												
Coimbatore							9 8	9 8	12 3	13 2	17 8	
Nilgiris							7 10	8 —	...	...
Salem							10 5	10 5	14 10	13 13	19 5	
<i>Central—</i>												
bellary							7 10	8 2	8 13	9 8		
Anantapur							8 2	7 3	10 13	10 5		
Cuddapah							8 5	7 14	11 2	12 10	9 6	
Karnul							7 14	7 14	10 2	8 3		
<i>East Coast, north—</i>												
Ganjam							7 —	8 8				
Vizagapatam							6 14	7 14			8 11	
Godavari							8 —	7 8	11 8			
<i>East Coast, central—</i>												
Kistna							8 13	8 13	•	13 11	•	
Neilore							11 11	11 11	12 6	12 14	11 5	
<i>East Coast, south—</i>												
Madras							9 2	9 2	11 8	11 8		
Chingleput							8 5	8 11				
N. Arcot							9 13	9 13	10 14	12 11		
S. Arcot							10 14	11 6			15 6	
Tanjore							10 0	11 5			10 11	
Trichinopoly							9 0	9 10	15 6	14 11	15 3	
<i>Southern—</i>												
Tinnevelly							9 6	10 2				
Madura							11 —	11 —	16	16 3	11 13	
Mysore—												
Mysore	6 —	6 4			7 4	8 —	7 12	7 8	10 12	12 —		
Bangalore	6 12	6 8	6 12	6 —	6 8	6 8	6 12	6 12	10 —	11 1		
Kolar	7 8	7 8	7 —	7 —	6 —	6 —	7 8	7 4	8 4	8 —	10 —	
Tumkur	6 4	5 —	6 —	5 —	6 8	7 —	7 —	8 —	10 —	10 —		
Hasan	7 —	7 8	6 8	7 8	8 —	8 —	9 —	9 —				
Kadur	6 —	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	7 —	9 —	10 —	12 —	13 —		
Shimoga	6 5	6 5	7 6	7 6	7 10	8 6	10 —	10 8	12 10	12 10		
Chitaldrug	8 —	9 —	7 —	8 —	7 —	7 —	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	14 —	
Coorg—												
Coorg	5 —	4 2	5 —	4 8	8 8	7 —	10 8	10 8				
Aden												
Aden	6 4	6 4			4 11	4 11	5 14	5 14	9 5	9 5	7 —	

* Not sold.

represent the number of sars (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee.)

MARUA OR RAGI (<i>Eleusine coracana</i>).		KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (<i>Setaria italica</i>).		GRAM, CHENNA, CHOLA, KADALAY OR BUNAGA (<i>Cicer arietinum</i>).		MAIZE (<i>Zea Mays</i>).		ARHAR, OR THUR, CADJAN PEA (<i>Cajanus indicus</i>).		SALT.		DISTRICTS.
Half-month of report.	Previous half-month.	Half-month of report.	Previous half-month.	Half-month of report.	Previous half-month.	Half-month of report.	Previous half-month.	Half-month of report.	Previous half-month.	Half-month of report.	Previous half-month.	
...	...	...	...	7 9	7 9	...	...	7 2	7 2	9 14	9 14	Central Provinces—contd.
...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	6 6	6 6	10 11	10 11	
...	...	...	...	7 4	6 11	...	...	6 —	5 5	8 —	8 —	Central—
...	...	...	...	8 12	8 12	...	...	7 —	7 —	9 12	9 12	Narsinghpur.
...	...	...	...	8 4	7 8	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	Saugor.
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 12	8 12	Damoh.
...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 —	9 —	Jubbulpore.
...	...	...	...	8 12	8 8	...	...	6 4	6 4	9 —	9 —	Mandla.
...	...	...	...	6 7	6 7	...	...	6 10	6 10	9 —	9 —	Seoni.
...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	6 6	6 6	9 2	9 2	Balaghât.
...	...	...	...	7 12	8 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	Bhandara.
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	9 4	9 4	Chanda.
...	...	...	...	6 10	7 —	...	...	6 4	6 4	10 —	10 —	Eastern—
...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 6	6 6	11 8	12 —	Bilaspur.
...	...	...	...	7 6	7 11	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	Raipur.
...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	11 —	11 —	Sambalpur.
...	...	...	...	6 12	7 4	...	...	8 —	8 —	9 —	9 —	Berar—
9 10	10 2½	...	...	6 14	7 3½	...	...	6 5½	6 3½	8 7	8 7	Ruldána.
...	...	...	...	7 8	7 15	...	...	...	...	8 12	8 12	Básim.
...	...	...	...	7 4	7 6	...	...	...	...	9 4	8 10	Akola.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ellichpur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Amraoti.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Wun.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nizam's Territories—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Secunderabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Boláram.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chadarghât.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Madras—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Malabar Coast—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Malabar.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	S. Canara.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	South, central—
16 6	14 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 5	10 11	Coimbatore.
18 6	16 11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	Nilgiris.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 6	10 6	Salem.
14 10	13 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 5½	11 5½	Central—
13 13	13 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	Bellary.
14 5	18 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 3	12 3	Anantapur.
14 3	11 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 2	10 2	Cuddapah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Karnul.
9 8	10 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	East Coast, north—
10 8	11 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 6	12 10	Ganjam.
10 14	10 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 2	12 2	Vizagapatam.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Godavari.
12 14	12 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 3	13 3	East Coast, central—
15 13	15 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 13	12 13	Kistna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nellore.
14 6	14 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	East Coast, south—
13 —	13 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 5	13 5	Madras.
13 11	14 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	Chingleput.
15 14	15 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 13	12 13	N. Arcot.
17 6	19 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 14	12 14	S. Arcot.
17 —	17 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 10	11 10	Tanjore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Trichinopoly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Southern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 8	13 —	Tianevally.
15 8	15 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 11	12 11	Madura.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mysore—
17 —	17 —	...	16 —	7 —	8 —	...	...	12 —	12 —	10 —	10 8	Mysore.
15 2	15 8	...	15 12	6 8	6 12	...	...	11 8	11 —	10 8	11 —	Bangalore.
19 4	17 8	9 4	9 —	7 —	7 —	11 8	8 4	12 —	10 —	10 —	10 —	Kolar.
18 —	20 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	...	10 8	...	10 —	10 —	Tunkur.
20 —	24 —	...	...	6 8	7 —	...	...	11 —	11 —	9 —	8 8	Hasan.
18 —	18 —	...	...	6 —	8 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	9 —	10 —	Kadur.
17 5	17 5	...	...	8 6	8 6	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	Shimoga.
16 —	16 —	18 —	18 —	8 —	8 —	10 —	10 —	9 —	9 —	Chitaldrug.
...	Coorg—
19 —	18 8	11 8	12 8	8 8	9 —	Coorg.
...	5 10	5 10	6 4	6 4	32 —	32 —	Aden.

— Not sold

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 4th September 1897.	1st November 1896 to 4th September 1897.
PRINCIPAL PORTS—			
CALCUTTA	Imports . .	50,987	11,249,788
	Exports . .	31,457 + 19,530	4,743,556 + 6,506,232
RANGOON	Imports . .	7,690	353,408
	Exports . .	214,591 — 206,901	28,130,095 — 27,776,687
MADRAS	Imports . .	51,400	1,282,200
	Exports . .	10,100 + 41,300	359,700 + 922,500
BOMBAY	Imports . .	225,900	9,766,200
	Exports . .	101,200 + 124,700	4,388,800 + 5,377,400
KARACHI	Imports . .	72,900	1,506,771
	Exports . .	142,000 — 69,100	4,201,376 — 2,694,605
PROVINCES AND DISTRICTS—			
BENGAL—			
Patna Division—			30th January to 4th September 1897.
PATNA	Imports . .	46,400	1,130,300
	Exports . .	10,500 + 35,900	777,500 + 352,800
GAYA (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports . .	10,100	254,400
	Exports . .	... + 10,100	95,400 + 159,000
SHAHABAD	Imports . .	10,500	300,300
	Exports . .	3,500 + 7,000	343,000 — 42,700
SARAN	Imports . .	26,200	1,294,100
	Exports . .	300 + 25,900	171,100 + 1,123,000
CHAMPARAN	Imports . .	400	476,300
	Exports . .	1,000 — 600	51,600 + 424,700
MUZAFFARPUR (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports . .	4,100	951,605
	Exports . .	3,300 + 800	68,452 + 283,153
DARBHANGA	Imports . .	15,700	1,294,500
	Exports . .	1,900 + 13,800	112,400 + 1,182,100
Bhagalpur Division—			
MONGHYR (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports . .	11,200	281,100
	Exports . .	10,400 + 800	1,095,100 — 814,000

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE —continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

				Week ending 4th September 1897.	30th January to 4th September 1897.
BENGAL—contd.					
Bhágálpur Division—contd.					
BHÁGALPUR (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	.	.	3,200	321,099
	Exports	.	.	22,500	972,097
				-19,300	-650,998
PURNEA	Imports	.	.	600	115,623
	Exports	.	.	2,000	161,839
				-1,400	-46,216
MALDA	Imports	.	.	200	1,800
	Exports	.	.	100	1,900
				+100	-100
SANTHAL PARGANAS (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	.	.	5,000	242,394
	Exports	.	.	7,900	439,485
				-2,900	-197,091
Rajshahi Division—					
RAJSHAHI (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	.	.	2,300	375,000
	Exports	.	.	1,200	56,598
				+1,100	+318,402
DINAJPUR (")	Imports	.	.	900	60,400
	Exports	.	.	700	408,084
				+200	-347,684
JALPAIGURI (")	Imports	.	.	9,300	322,603
	Exports	.	.	567	12,989
				+8,733	+309,614
DARJEELING	Imports	.	.	900	157,700
	Exports	.	.	700	5,300
				+200	+152,400
RANGPUR	Imports	.	.	1,900	45,000
	Exports	.	.	4,300	74,800
				-2,400	-29,800
BOGRA	Imports	.	.	3,700	53,200
	Exports	.	.	...	297,500
				+3,700	-244,300
PABNA (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	.	.	3,400	272,200
	Exports	.	.	200	22,200
				+3,200	+250,000
Dacca Division—					
DACCA	Imports	.	.	1,800	17,100
	Exports	.	.	1,500	21,400
				+300	-4,300
NARAINGANJ	Imports	.	.	1,000	33,800
	Exports	.	.	400	162,600
				+600	-128,800
MAIMENSINGH (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	.	.	963	79,899
	Exports	.	.	9	9,702
				+954	+70,197
FARIDPUR	Imports	.	.	6,700	188,500
	Exports	.	.	...	126,500
				+6,700	+62,000
BACKERGANJ	Imports	.	.	...	1,200
	Exports	.	.	100	42,700
				-100	-41,500

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—*continued*.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 4th September 1897.	30th January to 4th September 1897.
BENGAL—<i>contd.</i>			
Chittagong Division—			
TIPPERA	Imports Exports	... 400 -400	47,404 39,363 +8,041
NOAKHALI	Imports Exports	100 ... +100	500 6,900 -6,400
CHITTAGONG	Imports Exports	3,500 ... +3,500	595,967 129,420 +466,547
Burdwan Division—			
BURDWAN	Imports Exports	3,700 38,400 -34,700	171,400 1,727,400 -1,556,000
BIRBHUM	Imports Exports	700 9,600 -8,900	35,000 1,606,400 -1,571,400
HOOGHLY (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports Exports	4,600 7,800 -3,200	93,600 77,800 +15,800
MIDNAPUR *	Imports Exports	... ... ...	361,054 1,436,408 -1,075,354
Presidency Division—			
24-PARGANAS	Imports Exports	900 ... +900	31,700 25,700 +6,000
NADIA	Imports Exports	4,200 4,600 -400	799,700 836,100 -36,400
MURSHIDABAD (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports Exports	1,300 3,400 -2,100	63,000 284,400 -221,400
JESSORE	Imports Exports	1,000 700 +300	270,200 68,200 +202,000
KHULNA	Imports Exports	800 ... +800	16,000 34,200 -18,200
Chota Nagpur Division—			
HAZARIBAGH (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports Exports	4,000 ... +4,000	195,400 2,100 +193,300
LOHARDAGA	Imports Exports	... ... ...	4,200 3,700 +500
MANBHUM (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports Exports	5,400 200 +5,200	202,500 7,700 +192,800
SINGHBHUM (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports Exports	200 ... +200	8,533 48,300 -39,767
RANCHI (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports Exports	37 ... +37	2,891 5,948 -3,057

* From March to June 1897.

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 4th September 1897.	30th January to 4th September 1897.
BENGAL—concl'd.			
Orissa Division—			
CUTTACK	Imports . . . . .	...	2,130
	Exports	4,200	332,906
		—4,200	—330,776
BALASORE	Imports	1,300	20,500
	Exports	27,000	1,115,000
		—25,700	—1,094,500
PURI	Imports	326	2,029
	Exports	1,533	49,845
		—1,207	—47,816
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES—			
Meerut Division—			
SAHARANPUR	Imports	2,018	263,390
	Exports	9,737	205,202
		—7,719	+ 58,188
MUZAFFARNAGAR	Imports	2,300	213,000
	Exports	47,100	447,600
		—44,800	—234,600
MEERUT	Imports	3,100	313,440
	Exports	17,000	570,159
		—13,900	—256,719
BULANDSHAHR	Imports	800	43,900
	Exports	25,800	745,900
		—25,000	—702,000
ALIGARH	Imports	1,700	154,000
	Exports	3,700	797,600
		—2,000	—643,600
Agra Division—			
MUTTRA	Imports	1,520	82,330
	Exports	4,188	147,907
		—2,668	—65,577
AGRA	Imports	5,400	531,800
	Exports	8,700	492,300
		—3,300	+ 39,500
FARUKHABAD (preceding week)	Imports	1,800	113,400
	Exports	1,600	23,700
		+ 200	+ 89,700
MAINPURI	Imports . . . . .	...	17,500
	Exports	2,700	27,300
		—2,700	—9,800
ETAWAH	Imports	300	66,600
	Exports	6,200	42,700
		—5,900	+ 23,900
ETAH (incomplete)	Imports	700	19,100
	Exports	3,600	203,300
		—2,900	—184,200

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

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		Week ending 4th September 1897.	30th January to 4th September 1897.
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES			
—contd.			
Rohilkhand Division—			
Bijnor (incomplete)	Imports Exports	900 600 + 300	226,600 10,600 + 216,000
MORADABAD (")	Imports Exports	1,400 1,100 + 300	199,400 408,700 — 209,300
SHAHJAHANPUR	Imports Exports	2,000 800 + 1,200	91,964 305,842 — 213,878
BUDAUN	Imports Exports	200 200 ...	4,300 21,800 — 17,500
PILIBIT	Imports Exports	... 500 — 500	52,675 77,150 — 24,475
BAREIL	Imports Exports	1,100 2,700 — 1,600	174,700 206,700 — 32,000
Allahabad Division—			
Cawnpore	Imports Exports	11,100 22,200 — 11,100	1,889,100 643,900 + 1,245,200
FATEHPUR	Imports Exports	3,500 ... + 3,500	216,800 2,937 + 213,863
BANDA	Imports Exports	6,100 ... + 6,100	634,500 3,800 + 630,700
HAMIRPUR	Imports Exports	4,500 ... + 4,500	147,400 4,500 + 142,900
ALLAHABAD	Imports Exports	12,800 300 + 12,500	1,230,100 15,000 + 1,214,500
JHANSI	Imports Exports	7,500 ... + 7,500	463,900 18,100 + 445,800
JALAUN	Imports Exports	7,900 100 + 7,800	261,400 15,200 + 246,200
Benares Division—			
BENARES	Imports Exports	10,800 100 + 10,700	616,500 46,100 + 570,400
MIRZAPUR	Imports Exports	5,100 800 + 4,300	233,315 12,463 + 220,852
JAUNPUR	Imports Exports	900 1,300 — 400	216,100 42,900 + 173,200
GHAZIPUR	Imports Exports	1,400 ... + 1,400	134,000 84,600 + 49,400

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

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[Net exports —].

			Week ending 4th September 1897.	30th January to 4th September 1897.
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES				
—concl'd.				
Gorakhpur Division—				
BASTI	Imports . .	...	...	26,700
	Exports . .	7,000	7,000	341,500
		—7,000		—314,800
BALLIA	Imports . .	456	456	80,404
	Exports . .	206	206	63,431
		+250	+250	+16,973
GORAKHPUR	Imports . .	5,100	5,100	127,400
	Exports . .	2,900	2,900	518,700
		+2,200	+2,200	—391,300
Kumaun Division—				
GARHWAL	Imports . .	...	...	6,700
	Exports . .	...	...	...
		...	...	+6,700
NAINI TAL	Imports . .	300	300	26,500
	Exports . .	...	...	83,700
		+300	+300	—57,200
ODUH—				
Lucknow Division—				
LUCKNOW	Imports . .	7,500	7,500	481,000
	Exports . .	3,200	3,200	85,400
		+4,300	+4,300	+395,600
UNAO	Imports . .	400	400	62,200
	Exports . .	...	...	600
		+400	+400	+61,600
RAE-BARELI	Imports . .	6,900	6,900	265,800
	Exports . .	...	...	9,200
		+6,900	+6,900	+256,600
SITAPUR	Imports . .	99	99	22,595
	Exports . .	8,500	8,500	385,000
		—8,401	—8,401	—362,405
KHERI (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports . .	...	...	12,700
	Exports . .	3,100	3,100	158,200
		—3,100	—3,100	—145,500
HARDOI	Imports . .	600	600	165,000
	Exports . .	100	100	48,000
		+500	+500	+117,000
Fyzabad Division—				
FYZABAD	Imports . .	400	400	242,600
	Exports . .	2,500	2,500	335,700
		—2,100	—2,100	—93,100
GONDA	Imports . .	2,300	2,300	198,332
	Exports . .	5,500	5,500	196,400
		—3,200	—3,200	+1,932
BAHRAICH	Imports . .	...	...	8,810
	Exports . .	1,200	1,200	205,900
		—1,200	—1,200	—197,090
BARABANKI	Imports . .	...	...	70,200
	Exports . .	12,300	12,300	293,500
		—12,300	—12,300	—223,300
RAJPUTANA—				
JODHPUR	Imports . .	2,915	2,915	31,270
	Exports . .	8,170	8,170	121,460
		—5,255	—5,255	—90,190
BIKANER	Imports . .	9,910	9,910	176,526
	Exports . .	...	...	5
		+9,910	+9,910	+176,521

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

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[Net exports -].

		Week ending 4th September 1897.	30th January to 4th September 1897.
AJMERE-MERWARA	Imports	10,900	282,900
	Exports	800	88,155
		+ 10,100	+ 194,745
PANJAB—			
Delhi Division—			
HISSAR	Imports	16,500	1,064,700
	Exports	9,300	85,300
		+ 7,200	+ 979,400
ROHTAK	Imports	400	5,900
	Exports	200	4,000
		+ 200	+ 1,900
GURGAON	Imports	3,400	105,900
	Exports	13,500	191,900
		—10,100	—86,000
DELHI	Imports	11,700	834,500
	Exports	21,200	411,000
		—9,500	+ 423,500
KARNAL	Imports	900	53,900
	Exports	600	53,200
		+ 300	+ 700
AMBALA	Imports	1,700	402,400
	Exports	2,200	64,600
		—500	+ 337,800
SIMLA	Imports	2,500	68,000
	Exports . . . . .	...	200
		+ 2,500	+ 67,800
Jalandhar Division—			
JALANDHAR	Imports	1,300	97,500
	Exports	31,800	852,100
		—30,500	—754,600
LUDHIANA	Imports	1,600	119,200
	Exports	15,600	715,800
		—14,000	—596,600
FEROZPUR	Imports	5,000	340,900
	Exports	42,100	757,800
		—37,100	—416,900
Lahore Division—			
MULTAN	Imports	1,900	188,500
	Exports	4,200	195,900
		—2,300	—7,400
JHANG	Imports	800	27,700
	Exports	10,700	171,000
		—9,900	—143,300
MONTGOMERY	Imports	2,600	106,100
	Exports	1,000	24,200
		+ 1,600	+ 81,900
LAHORE	Imports	14,100	457,502
	Exports	13,100	405,001
		+ 1,000	+ 52,501
AMRITSAR	Imports	6,400	286,400
	Exports	19,500	559,800
		—13,100	—273,400
GURDASPUR	Imports	1,500	55,900
	Exports	5,900	415,918
		—4,400	—360,018

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

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		Week ending 4th September 1897.	30th January to 4th September 1897.
PANJAB—contd.			
Ráwalpindi Division—			
SHÁLKOT	Imports . . .	2,100	133,100
	Exports . . .	3,400	60,900
		—1,300	+ 72,200
GUJRÁT	Imports . . .	2,000	147,300
	Exports . . .	1,500	31,200
		+ 500	+ 116,100
GUJRÁNWÁLA	Imports . . .	2,200	118,900
	Exports . . .	13,900	528,800
		—11,700	—409,900
SHAHPUR	Imports . . .	2,600	74,700
	Exports . . .	2,600	74,200
		...	+ 500
JHELAM	Imports . . .	3,331	211,650
	Exports . . .	1,375	28,466
		+ 1,956	+ 183,184
RÁWALPINDI	Imports . . .	72,800	945,751
	Exports . . .	3,700	105,200
		+ 69,100	+ 840,551
Pesháwar Division—			
PESHÁWAR	Imports . . .	16,600	277,300
	Exports . . .	12,800	307,500
		+ 3,800	—30,200
Derajat Division—			
BANNU	Imports . . .	100	6,770
	Exports . . .	1,700	112,357
		—1,600	—105,587
DERA ISMAIL KHAN	Imports . . .	300	20,200
	Exports . . .	4,500	216,800
		—4,200	—196,600
MUZAFFARGARH	Imports . . .	100	7,901
	Exports . . .	4,000	156,800
		—3,900	—148,899
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY—			
Guzerat Division—			
AHMADABAD	Imports . . .	14,100	529,600
	Exports . . .	2,400	338,700
		+ 11,700	+ 190,900
KAIRA	Imports . . .	2,400	207,100
	Exports . . .	2,100	198,100
		+ 300	+ 9,000
PANCH MAHÁLS	Imports . . .	...	17,553
	Exports . . .	5,160	646,144
		—5,160	—628,591

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

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		Week ending 4th September 1897.	30th January to 4th September 1897.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY—contd.			
Guzerat Division—contd.			
BROACH	Imports	2,300	368,331
	Exports	3,000	268,866
		—700	+ 99,465
SURAT	Imports	12,900	626,300
	Exports	3,500	207,600
		+ 9,400	+ 418,700
BHAVNAGAR	Imports . . . . .	...	70,874
	Exports . . . . .	...	761
		...	+ 70,113
KÁTHIAWÁR (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	228	189,293
	Exports	135	3,667
		+ 93	+ 185,626
Deccan—			
KHANDESH (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	24,200	970,500
	Exports	3,300	13,800
		+ 20,900	+ 956,700
NÁSÍK	Imports	24,200	626,600
	Exports	1,900	85,900
		+ 22,300	+ 540,700
AHMADNAGAR	Imports	14,700	281,100
	Exports . . . . .	...	71,300
		+ 14,700	+ 209,800
POONA	Imports	47,400	1,031,721
	Exports	1,400	23,900
		+ 46,000	+ 1,007,821
SHOLAPUR	Imports	47,600	428,700
	Exports	3,800	199,500
		+ 43,800	+ 229,200
SATARA (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	21,915	557,176
	Exports	339	13,056
		+ 21,576	+ 544,120
Karnátak—			
BELGAUM (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	30,600	508,800
	Exports	800	178,300
		+ 29,800	+ 330,500
BIJAPUR	Imports	36,200	569,000
	Exports	400	13,000
		+ 35,800	+ 556,000
DHARWAR	Imports	16,800	218,233
	Exports	30,000	548,021
		— 13,200	— 329,788
TANNA	Imports	1,200	197,200
	Exports	400	310,900
		+ 800	— 113,700
KOLÁBA (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	1,800	121,367
	Exports	1,800	134,320
		...	— 12,953
KOLHAPUR	Imports	23,481	793,038
	Exports	2,082	76,076
		+ 21,399	+ 716,962
KANARA	Imports . . . . .	...	26,500
	Exports . . . . .	...	125,700
		...	— 99,200
RATNAGIRI (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	3,500	670,700
	Exports	1,000	21,500
		+ 2,500	+ 649,200

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—*continued*.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 4th September 1897.	30th January to 4th September 1897.
SIND AND BALUCHISTAN—			
SHIKARPUR	Imports	2,062	139,654
	Exports	85,156	2,033,090
		—83,094	—1,893,436
• THAR-PARKAR (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	29,900	338,200
	Exports	4,000	341,100
		+25,900	—2,900
UPPER SIND FRONTIER	Imports	1,100	25,600
	Exports	8,400	306,300
		—7,300	—280,700
HYDERABAD (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	5,000	163,900
	Exports	12,000	237,500
		—7,000	—73,600
CENTRAL PROVINCES—			
Jubbulpore Division—			
SAUGOR	Imports	8,600	326,400
	Exports . . . . .	...	21,360
		+8,600	+305,040
JUBBULPORE	Imports	6,500	439,200
	Exports	2,800	204,300
		+3,700	+174,900
Nerbudda Division—			
NARSINGHPUR	Imports	5,300	199,900
	Exports	400	91,600
		+4,900	+108,300
HOSHANGABAD (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	3,600	249,200
	Exports	400	44,500
		+3,200	+204,700
NIMAR	Imports	11,300	257,500
	Exports	200	32,100
		+11,100	+225,400
Nagpur Division—			
WARDHA	Imports	9,200	103,700
	Exports	600	19,900
		+8,600	+83,800
NAGPUR	Imports	24,700	571,600
	Exports	3,700	118,700
		+21,000	+452,900
CHANDA	Imports	900	15,200
	Exports	300	71,400
		+600	—56,200
BRANDARA (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	7,700	383,200
	Exports	1,700	92,800
		+6,000	+290,400
Chhattisgarh Division—			
RAIPUR	Imports	6,800	114,800
	Exports	5,000	505,000
		+1,800	—390,200
BILASPUR (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	8,500	195,459
	Exports	600	58,198
		+7,900	+137,261
SAMBALPUR	Imports	100	13,500
	Exports	16,000	591,600
		—15,900	—578,100

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 4th September 1897.	30th January to 4th September 1897.
BERAR—			
East—			
AMRÁOTI	Imports	22,500	313,000
	Exports	700	23,100
		+ 21,800	+ 289,900
West—			
AKOLA	Imports	10,500	244,400
	Exports	2,700	127,200
		+ 7,800	+ 117,200
BULDÁNA	Imports	800	48,600
	Exports . . . . .	...	5,000
		+ 800	+ 43,600
MADRAS—			
GANJAM	Imports	11,400	154,400
	Exports	400	134,000
		+ 11,000	+ 20,400
VIZAGAPATAM	Imports	13,000	552,000*
	Exports	300	39,600
		+ 12,700	+ 512,400
GODÁVARI	Imports	3,000	209,200
	Exports	36,700	1,507,200
		—33,700	—1,298,000
KISTNA	Imports	900	48,374
	Exports	33,700	1,153,807
		—32,800	—1,105,433
NELLORE	Imports	200	26,258
	Exports	4,800	85,704
		—4,600	—59,446
KARNÚL (incomplete)	Imports	4,100	129,600
	Exports	100	36,000
		+ 4,000	+ 93,600
BELLARY	Imports	37,000	566,700
	Exports	7,600	146,300
		+ 29,400	+ 420,400
ANANTAPUR (incomplete)	Imports	6,700	130,700
	Exports	4,000	173,800
		+ 2,700	—43,100
CUDDAPAH	Imports	4,100	136,400
	Exports	4,600	110,000
		—500	+ 26,400
NORTH ARCOT	Imports	10,500	303,100
	Exports	22,200	631,300
		—11,700	—328,200
CHINGLEPUT	Imports	1,600	29,000
	Exports	12,400	277,000
		—10,800	—248,000
SOUTH ARCOT	Imports	300	97,900
	Exports	22,800	970,500
		—22,500	—872,600

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—*concluded*.

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[Net exports -].

				Week ending 4th September 1897.	30th January to 4th September 1897.
MADRAS—<i>contd.</i>					
SALEM	Imports . . .	.	.	1,200	38,700
	Exports . . .	.	.	27,900 —26,700	455,400 —416,700
COIMBATORE	Imports . . .	.	.	11,200	343,100
	Exports . . .	.	.	55,400 —44,200	937,600 —594,500
TRICHINOPOLY	Imports . . .	.	.	1,871	47,790
	Exports . . .	.	.	12,922 —11,051	282,816 —235,026
TANJORE (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports . . .	.	.	7,400	150,500
	Exports . . .	.	.	173,600 —166,200	3,742,300 —3,591,800
MADURA	Imports . . .	.	.	1,900	93,800
	Exports . . .	.	.	25,500 —23,600	603,100 —509,300
TINNEVELLY	Imports . . .	.	.	25,800	840,200
	Exports . . .	.	.	31,800 —6,000	738,700 + 101,500
MALABAR	Imports . . .	.	.	21,600	1,778,200
	Exports	17,200 + 4,400	399,100 + 1,379,100
SOUTH CANARA	Imports	111,020
	Exports	300 —300	624,590 —513,570

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

MILITARY SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 16th September, 1897.

No. 12791-M.—HIS EXCELLENCY THE VICEROY AND GOVERNOR GENERAL will leave Simla on Tuesday, the 9th November 1897, at 10 A.M.

His Excellency will proceed direct to Burma, embarking at Diamond Harbour about 10 A.M. on Friday, the 12th November. His Excellency will visit Rangoon, Mandalay, Bhamo, Prome, and Moulmein and arrive at Calcutta on or about the 12th December.

All covers intended to reach His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General during His Excellency's journey should be addressed "His Excellency the Viceroy's Camp," without the addition of any post-town.

The party accompanying His Excellency on tour is as follows:

Her Excellency the Countess of Elgin.

The Lady Elizabeth Bruce.

The Lady Christian Bruce.

Sir William Cuninghame, K.C.S.I., Foreign Secretary.

Rear-Admiral Sir John Hext, K.C.I.E., Director, Royal Indian Marine—will join on board the R.I.M. S. *Clive* on 12th November.

H. Babington-Smith, Esq., C.S.I., Private Secretary.

Colonel A. G. A. Durand, C.B., C.I.E., Military Secretary.

Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel B. Franklin, C.I.E., Surgeon to the Viceroy.

Captain S. H. Pollen, A.-D.-C.

Captain F. L. Adam, A.-D.-C.

Captain R. G. T. Baker-Carr, A.-D.-C.

F. W. Latimer, Esq., Assistant Private Secretary to the Viceroy.

All communications connected with business of a mere routine nature should be sent, as usual, to the Head Quarters of the several Departments.

By Command,

A. DURAND, *Colonel,*

Military Secretary to the Viceroy.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

EXAMINATIONS.

Simla, the 17th September, 1897.

No. 330.—The services of Captain W. Haig, Indian Staff Corps, Officiating Secretary to the Board of Examiners, Calcutta, are replaced at the disposal of the Foreign Department, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved of his duties.

MEDICAL.

The 16th September, 1897.

No. 1093.—Surgeon-Captain C. Milne, I.M.S. (Bengal), was employed under the Government of Bombay on plague duty up to the 11th June 1897, and under the Government of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh from the 12th June to the 14th July 1897. His services were placed at the disposal of the Foreign Department for employment on plague duty from the 15th July till the 8th August 1897, when they were placed at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab. His services were replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the 14th August 1897.

No. 1098.—The services of the undermentioned officers are placed permanently at the disposal of the Government of Bengal :

Surgeon-Captain C. E. Sunder, M.B., B.S., I.M.S. (Bengal).

Surgeon-Captain F. P. Maynard, M.B., I.M.S. (Bengal).

Surgeon-Captain F. O'Kinealy, I.M.S. (Bengal).

Surgeon-Captain F. C. Clarkson, I.M.S. (Bengal).

The 17th September, 1897.

No. 1105.—The services of Surgeon-Lieutenant A. F. W. King, I.M.S. (Bombay), are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the 10th August 1897.

SANITARY.

The 18th September, 1897.

No. 2120.—It is notified for general information that the whole of Sind is free from plague, and that all inspections of, and restrictions regarding, travellers from Sind have been withdrawn.

The 15th September, 1897.

No. 2126.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 2, sub-section (1) of the Epidemic Diseases Act (III of 1897), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that, in the Notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 1033, dated the 22nd March 1897, for the words "the territories administered by the Governor of Bombay in Council, including Sind" the words "the territories (other than Sind) administered by the Governor of Bombay in Council" shall be substituted.

The 17th September, 1897.

No. 2133.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 58 of the Pilgrim Ships Act (XIV of 1895), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following clause shall be inserted after clause (3) of Rule 67 of the rules published in the Notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 262, dated the 5th October, 1896:

- (4) If the owner or agent neglects or refuses, on presentation, as provided by clause (3), of the cancelled ticket, to refund to the pilgrim the passage money paid by him, such owner or agent shall be punishable with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees, and with a further fine which may extend to twenty rupees for each day after the day on which the ticket was presented, during which the refund remains unpaid.

No. 2144.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 5, clause (1), of the Pilgrim Ships Act, 1895 (XIV of 1895), the Governor General in Council is pleased to cancel the Notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 261, dated the 5th October, 1896.

No. 2145.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 19, sub-section (1), of the Pilgrim Ships Act, 1895 (XIV of 1895), and in supersession of the orders contained in the Notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 260, dated the 5th October, 1895, the Governor General in Council is pleased to order that every pilgrim ship shall contain at least sixteen superficial feet and ninety-six cubic feet of space available for each pilgrim in the between deck on which he is accommodated.

No. 2146.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 58 of the Pilgrim Ships Act, 1895 (XIV of 1895), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the rules published in the Notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 262, dated the 5th October, 1896:

- (i) In rule 74, after the word "rules" the following shall be inserted, namely:—"and of Articles 3 and 31 to 41 (both inclusive) set forth in Part B of Annexure I to the Paris Convention of 1894."
- (ii) In Form VI, for the Statement headed "Pilgrims," the following shall be substituted, namely:

Pilgrims.

	NAMES OF MALE PILGRIMS.			NUMBER OF FEMALE PILGRIMS.			NUMBER OF INFANTS (IF ANY) UNDER ONE YEAR OF AGE ACCOMPANYING PILGRIMS ENTERED IN PRECEDING COLUMNS.		
	1st class.	2nd class.	Lowest class.	1st class.	2nd class.	Lowest class.	1st class.	2nd class.	Lowest class.
TOTAL ...									

PORT BLAIR.

The 17th September, 1897.

No. 942.—Mr. R. M. Kavanagh, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, Port Blair, is appointed to be an Assistant Superintendent in the Settlement so long as he holds his present office, or until further orders.

JUDICIAL.

The 17th September, 1897.

No. 1253.—The services of Captain F. A. C. Kreyer, 16th Bombay Infantry, Officiating Cantonment Magistrate at Neemuch, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces for employment as an Officiating Cantonment Magistrate.

No. 1255.—Captain A. McIver Campbell, 3rd Punjab Cavalry, is appointed to officiate as Cantonment Magistrate at Neemuch, with effect from the date on which he assumes charge of his duties.

POLICE.

The 17th September, 1897.

No. 524.—The services of Lieutenant G. Bailey, 4th Bombay Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Assam for employment as Assistant Commandant, Lungleh Battalion, Assam Military Police.

J. P. HEWETT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

FAMINE.

Simla, the 13th September, 1897.

No. 2986—32-52-F.—The services of the following officers, employed on famine duty in the North-Western Provinces and Oudh are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the date on which they made over charge of their respective duties :

Lieutenant W. C. Anderson, 8th Regiment of Madras Infantry.

Lieutenant C. D. Mears, 8th Regiment of Bengal Cavalry.

The 14th September, 1897.

No. 2991—32-49-F.—The services of the following officers, employed on famine duty in the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the date on which they made over charge of their respective duties :

1. Captain D. F. Stuart, 11th Regiment of Bengal Infantry.
2. Major F. G. Pollock, 7th Regiment of Bengal Cavalry.
3. Captain A. D. C. Pond, 5th Regiment of Bengal (Light) Infantry.
4. Lieutenant G. Thomas, 5th Regiment of Bengal Cavalry.
5. Captain J. T. Evatt, 39th (The Garhwal Rifle) Regiment of Bengal Infantry.
6. Captain J. Fisher, 1st Battalion, 2nd (P. W. O.) Goorkha (Rifle) Regiment (The Sirmoor Rifles).

The 17th September, 1897.

No. 3010—105-63-F.—With reference to Notification No. 2293—105-37, dated the 17th June 1897, the services of Lieutenant C. A. Roosmale-Cocq, 3rd Regiment of Bombay (Light) Infantry, employed on famine duty in the Central Provinces, are replaced at the

disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the date on which he made over charge of his duties.

No. 3015—32-50-F.—Captain A. Giles, 13th (The Shekhawati) Regiment of Bengal Infantry, whose services were placed at the disposal of the Government of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh for famine duty by Notification No. 890—32-11 (Famine), dated the 23rd March 1897, reverted temporarily to military duty from the 1st July to the 13th August 1897, inclusive, and was reappointed to famine duty in the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, with effect from the 14th August 1897.

CIVIL VETERINARY ADMINISTRATION.

The 15th September, 1897.

No. 1404—114-2.—Veterinary-Captain J. W. A. Morgan, Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department, Bombay, is granted privilege leave of absence for two months, with effect from the 1st October 1897, or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

The 17th September, 1897.

No. 1419—114-4.—Veterinary-Lieutenant G. K. Walker, Civil Veterinary Department, is transferred from the Punjab to the Bombay Presidency for employment in the Civil Veterinary Department, during the absence on privilege leave of Veterinary-Captain Morgan, or until further orders.

GENERAL.

The 17th September, 1897.

No. 2663—120-16.—The services of Mr. E. Maconochie, C.S., Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture, are replaced at the disposal of the Home Department, with effect from the 20th September 1897.

DENZIL IBBETSON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 13th September, 1897.

No. 1378-G.—With the sanction of Her Majesty's Government, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. R. F. Patterson as Consul-General for the United States of America at Calcutta.

[Notification No. 1116-G., dated the 20th July, 1897, is hereby cancelled.]

No. 1382-G.—Captain R. B. Berkeley, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 3rd (officiating 2nd) Class, and an Assistant to the Governor-General's Agent in Rajputana and Magistrate of Abu, is granted furlough for one year and twenty-two days, under article 340 (b) (iii) (2) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st October, 1897, or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of the furlough.

The 14th September, 1897.

No. 1384-G.—With reference to Notification No. 1202-G., dated the 5th August, 1897, the provisional recognition of the appointment as Vice-Consul for Peru at Calcutta of Mr. Pierre Charriol, whose Exequatur has received Her Majesty's signature, is confirmed.

The 15th September, 1897.

No. 1395-G.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Captain Felice Baldovino as acting Consul for Italy at Bombay, during the absence of Signor Tito Massari.

The 16th September, 1897.

No. 1406-G.—The following substantive promotions and appointment are made in and to the graded list of the Political Department, with effect from the 18th September, 1897, consequent on the replacement at the disposal of the Military Department of the services of Colonel E. Mockler, Bombay General List (Infantry).

Lieutenant-Colonel W. Loch, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Agent of the 1st (Additional 1st) Class, and Political Agent in the Eastern States of Rajputana, is confirmed in the appointment of Resident of the 2nd Class and Political Resident in Turkish Arabia.

Mr. E. G. Colvin, of the Indian Civil Service, a Political Agent of the 2nd Class, is confirmed in the appointment of Additional Political Agent of the 1st Class and Political Agent in the Eastern States of Rajputana.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. Sadler, Indian Staff Corps, to be a Political Agent of the 2nd Class.

No. 3538-I. B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 3631-I., dated the 21st September, 1892, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the transfer of the following civil appeals pending

before the First Assistant Resident at Hyderabad by virtue of his jurisdiction over the Cantonment of Secunderabad, to the Civil and Sessions Judge, Hyderabad Assigned Districts:

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| Civil appeal No. 18 of 1895. | { Mahomed Salar Bhisti, <i>versus</i> Syed Zinoolabdeen <i>alias</i> Sydoo Meah. |
| 2. Civil appeal No. 7 of 1897. | { Jaynarain and Radhakishen, <i>versus</i> Trivengadam Mudeliar and three others. |
| 3. Civil appeal No. 23 of 1897. | { R. Shaw, <i>versus</i> H. Akber Ali. |
| 4. Civil appeal No. 26 of 1897. | { The estate of the late Mokamdoss per Agarchand <i>wald</i> Burdichand, holder of succession certificate. <i>versus</i> (1) Teddoo Pakira. (2) Teddoo Baliah. |
| Civil appeal No. 27 of 1897. | { Hajee Habeeb, carrying on business under the name and style of H. Faks & Co. at Secunderabad, <i>versus</i> Mahomed Moosa and two others. |

No. 3539-I. B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 3633-I., dated the 21st September, 1892, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the transfer of the following civil appeals pending before the First Assistant Resident at Hyderabad by virtue of his jurisdiction over the Hyderabad Residency Bazars, to the Civil and Sessions Judge, Hyderabad Assigned Districts:

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| Civil appeal No. 11 of 1895. | { D. Borri, <i>versus</i> Ismailji. |
| Civil appeal No. 12 of 1897. | { Burjorji, son of Jamshedji, <i>versus</i> Dr. Kaikhusru Jivanji and twenty-five others. |
| Civil appeal No. 14 of 1897. | { Krishna Bai and Ramchandra Rao, <i>versus</i> Hazari Mull. |
| 4. Civil appeal No. 21 of 1897. | { Abbas Ali, <i>versus</i> Gunda Venkiah and another. |
| Civil appeal No. 25 of 1897. | { Gopal Kishen Rao, <i>versus</i> Rukmani Bai. |

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Simla, the 11th September, 1897.

No. 4106-Gl.—Mr. R. N. Ray, Officiating Comptroller, India Treasuries, is granted privilege leave for one month and twenty-four days, with effect from the 12th October 1897.

Mr. F. J. Atkinson is appointed to officiate as Comptroller, India Treasuries, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. Ray, or until further orders.

The 16th September, 1897.

No. 4168-Gl.—Mr. H. W. Ronaldson, officiating Chief Superintendent in the Paper Currency Office, Calcutta, is confirmed in that appointment, with effect from the 26th August 1897, *vice* Mr. E. Grant, retired.

Babu Ramaprasanna Ghosh is appointed to act as a Supernumerary Chief Superintendent, with effect from the 26th August 1897, and until further orders, and is posted to the outside Audit Branch of the Office of the Comptroller and Auditor General.

The 17th September, 1897.

No. 4187-Gl.—Mr. J. Cornwall, Inspector General, Railway Mail Service, is granted privilege leave for one month and nine days, with effect from the 24th September 1897.

Mr. E. C. O'Brien, 1st Assistant Director General of the Post Office of India, is appointed to act as Inspector General, Railway Mail Service, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. Cornwall, or until further orders.

PAPER CURRENCY.

The 15th September, 1897.

No. 4157-A.—*Abstract of the Accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 31st August 1897, published as required by Section 27 of the Indian Paper Currency Act, XX of 1882.*

CIRCLES OF ISSUE.	Whole amount of Notes in circulation.	RESERVE IN SILVER COIN AND BULLION.		
		Coin.	Bullion.	TOTAL.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Calcutta	9,61,09,260	4,05,30,462	...	4,05,30,462
Allahabad	1,75,96,060	1,64,55,855	...	1,64,55,855
Lahore	1,78,07,390	1,66,49,520	...	1,66,49,520
Bombay	7,10,19,410	3,48,10,322	...	3,48,10,322
Kurrachee	84,57,270	41,55,065	...	41,55,065
Madras	2,69,16,635	1,16,50,657	...	1,16,50,657
Calicut	16,33,840	19,52,718	...	19,52,718
Rangoon	64,36,525	2,07,71,845	...	2,07,71,845
TOTAL	24,59,76,390	14,69,76,444	...	14,69,76,444
<i>Deduct amount received at Calcutta, but not paid at Bombay</i>				10,00,000
NET TOTAL				14,59,76,444
<i>Price paid for Government Securities of the nominal value of Rs. 10,20,81,500 held under Section 19 of the Act</i>				9,90,99,946
GRAND TOTAL				24,59,76,390

J. F. FINLAY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 17th September, 1897.

APPOINTMENTS.

COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

No. 1035.—Lieutenant H. Macdonald, Indian Staff Corps, 6th Regiment of Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd class, on probation, with effect from the 2nd July 1897.

[Joined his appointment on the 24th August 1897.]

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1036.—The following extract, being paragraph 1 of a Military letter from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, No. 65, dated 19th August 1897, is published for general information:

"The undermentioned probationers for the Indian Medical Service having completed a course of instruction at the Army Medical School and being reported qualified, have been appointed Surgeon-Lieutenants, their commissions being dated 28th July 1897, the day on which they passed out of the Army Medical School:

John George Patrick Murray (Bengal).

Samuel Anderson (Punjab).

Francis Hope Grant Hutchinson (Bombay).

James Leslie Marjoribanks (Bombay).

Alexander Fenton (Madras).

James Allen Dredge (Madras).

Robert Welland Knox (Madras)."

STAFF CORPS.

No. 1037.—The undermentioned officers appointed to the Unattached List of the British Army for service in the Indian Staff Corps, are posted as follows, with effect from the date of their arrival in India:

Punjab Command.

Second-Lieutenants—

J. C. Freeland.

R. Nicolas.

L. B. Cloete.

G. C. Morris.

R. C. Gilchrist.

M. C. McQueen.

C. J. B. Hay.

Second-Lieutenants—

C. N. Macmullen.

A. M. Graham.

R. H. Anderson.

T. H. St. G. Tucker.

R. C. B. Yates.

H. S. E. Franklin.

Bengal Command.

P. Howell.
B. R. Moberly.
M. R. H. Webber.
G. W. Ellis.
P. H. Craigie.
C. G. Crosthwaite.
A. R. Sprehger.
B. C. Graham.
J. C. Loch.

Bombay Command.

C. D. Hitchins.
W. L. Maxwell.
C. A. Milward.
T. C. Burke.
A. A. L. Barnes.
W. P. M. Sargent.
P. M. Heath.
V. Percy-Smith.
A. H. E. Mosse.

Madras Command.

W. F. S. Casson.
R. Mackie.
T. M. Nicholson.
B. C. Fellows.
H. T. S. Rogers.
W. G. B. I. Hawley.
F. G. E. Lumb.
R. A. Burrowes.

STATION STAFF.

No. 1038.—The following appointment is made, with effect from the date on which the officer assumes his duties:

Lieutenant-Colonel W. A. D'O. O'Mealy, 1st (Prince Albert Victor's Own) Regiment of Punjab Cavalry, to be Colonel on the Staff and Base Commandant, Edwardesabad, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel V. C. Tonnochy, 3rd Regiment of Sikh Infantry, proceeded on field service.

NATIVE ARMY.

No. 1039.—*4th Regiment of Bombay Infantry (1st Battalion, Rifle Regiment)*—

Jemadar Rahimullah Khan, appointed on probation in G. G. O. No. 1254 of 1896, is permitted to resign his appointment.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 1040.—The following extracts are published for general information:

"*London Gazette*," dated the 20th August 1897, page 4674.

WAR OFFICE, PALL MALL,
20th August, 1897.

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Unattached List.—The Surname of Gentleman Cadet R. Nicolas appointed from the

Royal Military College to a Second-Lieutenancy in the Gazette of 3rd August 1897, is as now, and not as therein stated.

"*London Gazette*," dated the 24th August 1897, pages 4727 and 4728.

WAR OFFICE, PALL MALL,
24th August, 1897.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel John N. Walker, Indian Staff Corps, to be Colonel. Dated 20th July 1897.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

The undermentioned Colonels are transferred to the unemployed supernumerary list:

Charles A. Dodd. Dated 4th August 1897.

Henry H. Hughes Hallett. Dated 5th August 1897.

James W. Macdougall. Dated 7th August 1897.

Elliott A. Bruce. Dated 9th August 1897.

Francis W. Major. Dated 12th August 1897.

George R. Peart. Dated 12th August 1897.

INDIA OFFICE;

24th August, 1897.

The Queen has approved of the following admissions to Her Majesty's Indian Medical Service:

To be Surgeon-Lieutenants.

Dated 28th July 1897.

John George Patrick Murray.

Samuel Anderson.

Francis Hope Grant Hutchinson.

James Leslie Marjoribanks.

Alexander Fenton.

James Allen Dredge.

Robert Welland Knox.

The Queen has approved of the following promotions among the officers of the Staff Corps and admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Government of India:

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

To be Majors.

Captain Louis Augustus Gordon. Dated 14th June 1897.

Captain George Frederick Willes. Dated 24th June 1897.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Percival Forbes Newnham, from the Lancashire Fusiliers. Dated 10th July 1895, but to rank from 7th April 1893.

Lieutenant Cecil Delarue Mears, from the East Lancashire Regiment. Dated 18th June 1895, but to rank from 1st June 1893.

Second-Lieutenant John Ernest Blois Johnson. Dated 5th April 1897.

Second-Lieutenant Walter Hesketh. Dated 5th April 1897.

To be Second-Lieutenant.

Second-Lieutenant Michael Lloyd Ferrar, from the Unattached List. Dated 6th May 1897, but to rank from 22nd January 1896.

The Queen has approved of the retirement from the service of the undermentioned officers:

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Potter Newall. Dated 30th June 1897.

Major Arthur Mackworth Monteith. Dated 9th August 1897.

BENGAL INFANTRY.

Major-General John Edmund Waller. Dated 11th August 1897.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

BENGAL ESTABLISHMENT.

Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel Charles John Walford Meadows. Dated 1st June 1897.

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel Alfred Henry Williams. Dated 4th July 1897.

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel Augustus Edward Richard Stephens. Dated 24th May 1897.

MADRAS ESTABLISHMENT.

Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel Henry James Hazlett. Dated 6th July 1897.

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel Stanley Locker Dobie. Dated 6th July 1897.

BOMBAY ESTABLISHMENT.

Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel George Archibald Maconachie, M.D. Dated 22nd June 1897.

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel Saunders Barton Haliday. Dated 23rd June 1897.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

Senior Assistant-Surgeon with the honorary rank of Surgeon-Captain John Gallagher, Bombay Establishment. Dated 1st May 1897.

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MEMORANDUM.

The correct name of the First Class Assistant-Surgeon of the Bombay Establishment, whose promotion to be a Senior Assistant-Surgeon, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, was notified in the *London Gazette* of the 5th February 1897, is "Manoel Santa Anna Caldeira."

ERRATA.

In the *London Gazette* of 16th July 1897, Second-Lieutenant W. K. H. Campbell, Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, was stated, on admission to the Staff Corps, to rank from 30th, instead of from 20th, May 1893.

No. 1041.—In G. G. O. No. 778 of 1897, republishing extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 18th June 1897, regarding the promotion of Lieutenant Ernest Septimus Gale, Royal Dublin Fusiliers, to be a Lieutenant in the Indian Staff Corps, for "10th January 1897" read "10th January 1896."

PROMOTIONS.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

No. 1042.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:

Captains to be Majors.

11th September 1897.

Arthur William Forbes.

George Arthur Welman.

Charles William Westbrooke Burton.

John Maxwell Carpendale.

Second-Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

Charles Valentine Keyes,—5th July 1897.

Addington Dawsonne Strong,—16th August 1897.

No. 1043.—Subject to Her Majesty's approval, the undermentioned officer is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, whilst serving as regimental commandant, Indian Army:

Major Frank Lewis Jones,—10th September 1897.

No. 1044.—In G. G. O. No. 825 of 1897, for "Major Claude Francis Gambier" read "Major Claude Frederick Gambier."

COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE.

No. 1045.—Colonel George John Skinner, D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps, is admitted to the colonel's allowance, with effect from the 16th September 1897.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bombay.

No. 1046.—Honorary Lieutenant and Assistant Commissary William Henry Pitts to be Deputy Commissary, and to have the honorary rank of Captain, subject to Her Majesty's approval

Honorary Lieutenant and Deputy Assistant Commissary William Frederick Lyon to be Assistant Commissary;

Conductor James Walker to be Deputy Assistant Commissary, and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval;

Sub-Conductor William James Taylor to be Conductor,—

with effect from the 1st July 1897, *vice* Honorary Captain and Deputy Commissary A. Lawson, retired.

NATIVE ARMY.

No. 1047.—*2nd Regiment of Madras Lancers—*

Havildar Yákúb Sharif to be Jemadar, *vice* Muhammad Hayat, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 26th July 1897.

No. 1048.—10th Regiment of Bombay (Light) Infantry—

Jemadar Sakaram Parab to be Subadar, *vice* Vira Swámi, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 1st January 1897.

No. 1049.—27th Regiment (1st Baluch Battalion) of Bombay Light Infantry—

Jemadar Asab Khan to be Subadar and Havildar Aziz Khán to be Jemadar, *vice* Khudabakhsh, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 2nd February 1897.

Jemadar Mubarak Shah to be Subadar, *vice* Aziz Khán, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 1st August 1897.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 1050.—Second Class Military Assistant Surgeon Henry Albert John Gidney, Indian Subordinate Medical Department, Bengal Establishment, is permitted to resign the service, with effect from the 8th September 1897.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.**MEDALS AND DECORATIONS.**

No. 1051.—His Excellency the Governor-General of India has been pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon the undermentioned officer of the Indian Volunteer Force, who has been duly recommended for the same under the Royal Warrant of 24th May 1894 (clause 101, India Army Circulars of 1894):

Madras Railway Volunteers.

Lieutenant Richard Blanchard Ward.

RESIGNATIONS.**No. 1052.—1st Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles—**

Second-Lieutenant W. H. Whaley resigns his commission.

No. 1053.—Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles—

Captain R. Buchanan resigns his commission.

No. 1054.—Presidency Volunteer Rifle Battalion—

Surgeon-Captain W. J. Simpson resigns his commission, with effect from the 13th August 1897.

Second-Lieutenant M. C. Jones resigns his commission, with effect from the 10th July 1897.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.**APPOINTMENTS.**

No. 62.—The following appointments are made to the Marine Survey of India:

To be Assistant Surveyors, 4th class.

Sub-Lieutenant A. G. Bingham, Royal Indian Marine.

Sub-Lieutenant E. J. Headlam, Royal Indian Marine.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 63.—Commander G. Wilson, Royal Indian Marine, Port Officer, Bombay, is granted furlough out of India (*p. a.*) for one year, under the leave rules contained in paragraph 130 Marine Regulations, volume I, part II.

P. J. MAITLAND, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.**NOTIFICATION.**

Simla, the 17th September, 1897.

Under clause 53 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act of 1893, it is notified that reports of the deaths of the undermentioned commissioned officers on the dates specified were received in the Military Department between the 11th and the 17th September 1897:

Corps.	Rank and Names.	Date of decease.	Place of decease.	Testate or Intestate.	Remarks.
Indian Staff Corps (8th Bengal Cavalry).	Lieutenant F. C. C. Bleckley	29th August 1897	Mogok (Burma).	...	...
Royal Engineers	Major P. B. Baldwin	30th August 1897	Madras	...	...
2nd Battalion, The Manchester Regiment.	Major W. B. Graham	1st September 1897.	Ranikhet	...	...
Indian Staff Corps (Meywar Bhil Corps).	Lieutenant S. Clay	1st September 1897.	Kherwara	...	...
3rd Battalion, The Rifle Brigade.	Major F. S. W. Raikes	4th September 1897.	Sheranni	...	...

P. J. MAITLAND, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 11th September, 1897.

No. 373.—Mr. L. A. Light, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, Hyderabad, on furlough, is transferred to Rajputana and Central India.

No. 374.—Captain R. E. Tomlin, R.E., Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, temporary rank, State Railways, is granted leave without pay from the 2nd August to the 1st September, 1897, inclusive.

No. 375.—Captain R. E. Tomlin, R.E., Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, temporary rank, State Railways, is granted leave out of India (medical certificate) for nine months, under the leave rules applicable to regimental officers of the British Army serving in India.

The 13th September, 1897.

No. 376.—The services of Mr. L. C. Desmazures, Class II, Grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, Stores Department, are lent to the Burma Railways Company, with effect from 1st September 1896.

The 14th September, 1897.

No. 377.—Lalla Nursingh Das, Chief Pay Clerk, North Western Railway, is granted the honorary rank of Pay Master.

The 16th September, 1897.

No. 378.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to order the following *permanent* promotions of Executive Engineers attached to the several Local Administrations, with effect from the dates specified :

Names.	From	To	With effect from
Walling, H. O.	Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade.	Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade.	1st January 1897.
Clancey, D. J.*	Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade.	Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade.	Ditto.
Raven, P. E.	Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade.	Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade.	23rd March 1897.

* The promotion of Mr. Clancey from Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, to Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, with effect from the 23rd March 1897, as gazetted in Notification No. 266, dated 10th July 1897, is cancelled.

No. 379.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to order the following *permanent* promotions of Executive and Assistant Engineers attached to the several Local Administrations, with effect from the dates specified :

Names	From	To	With effect from
Vacha, J. M.	Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade.	Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade.	1st May 1897.
Farquharson, Lieutenant E. G.	Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade.	Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade.	Ditto.
Smith, F. St. G. M.	Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade.	Executive Engineer, 1st Grade.	31st May 1897.
Mitchell, E. J.	Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade.	Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade.	18th June 1897.

The 17th September, 1897.

No. 380.—With reference to Government of India, Foreign Department, Notification No. 1431 E.A., dated 10th September 1897, Mr. J. G. M. O'Hara, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, State Railways, is posted to the establishment under the Director General of Railways for employment on the North Western Railway.

T. GRACEY, Colonel, R.E.,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Weather Review of India for the Week ending at 8 a.m. on Saturday, September 11th, 1897.

The most important feature in the weather of the past week has been a shallow storm which appeared over the northern half of the Bay on Monday, September 6th. This storm hung about the head of the Bay for four days and then crossed the north Madras Coast on the morning of Friday, 10th. As soon as the centre had crossed the coast the rate of movement of the storm suddenly increased, and at 8 A.M. on the 11th the centre was shown over Berar and the west of the Central Provinces. The rainfall of the week has largely been connected with this disturbance. On Sunday there was heavy rain around the northern coasts of the Bay, where the storm was developing, showers over the Peninsula and Burma, and light thundershowers over the north of the Punjab. Elsewhere the weather was fine. On Monday a similar distribution of rain prevailed, and fine weather was reported from the central parts of the country and a large portion of Northern India. On Tuesday and Wednesday there had been no important change, except that the showers in the North Punjab had ceased. On Thursday there was some extension of rain into the east of the Central Provinces, and from this date onward to the close of the week rain was received over the Peninsula, the central parts of India and considerable parts of Burma and of North-East India, while all over the north-west the weather was fine. The variations of the mean temperature of the whole country from the normal were not large on any day of the week, the most important deficiency being $1^{\circ}1$ on the 7th and an excess of a like amount on the 11th.

Daily Summary.—*Sunday, September 5th.*—The barometer had risen almost everywhere, the rise having been brisk to rapid in the north. Pressure was lowest over Upper Sind and highest in Tenasserim, while a small shallow depression lay over Central Bengal. The winds were generally westerly and west-south-westerly, though irregularly cyclonic in the neighbourhoods of the two low pressure areas. The mean temperature was higher than usual over the Gangetic Plain and the greater part of the Peninsula and lower than usual elsewhere. Rain had fallen generally over the Peninsula, Lower Burma, Assam and Bengal, and a few scattered showers had been received at some central and north-western stations. Elsewhere the weather had been fine.

Monday, September 6th.—Pressure had continued to increase over nearly the whole country, the rise being particularly rapid in the north-west. A shallow depression had appeared over the head of the Bay and deltaic Bengal, but in other respects the general conditions of pressure were unchanged. The winds were irregularly cyclonic around the head of the Bay and generally westerly elsewhere. The mean temperature was very low over North-West India and the east of the Peninsula and rather low over North-East India, while elsewhere the heat was excessive. Rain had again fallen generally over the Peninsula, Lower Burma, Assam and Bengal, while elsewhere the weather remained generally fine with a few scattered showers. The rainfall had been heavy over the Peninsula.

Tuesday, September 7th.—The barometer had risen in the extreme north-west, west and south of India, but had fallen elsewhere. The fall had been greatest and brisk over the north of the Bay, and the depression noticed in that region had grown deeper and better defined. This depression was now the most

important feature in the pressure-distribution, the low pressure area in the north-west having filled up. The wind blew from cyclonic directions round the north of the Bay and from westerly and north-westerly directions elsewhere. The mean temperature remained very low over North-West India and the east of the Peninsula and rather low over Burma and Assam, while elsewhere the heat was slightly excessive. Rain had fallen fairly generally over Burma, Lower Bengal, the west of the Peninsula and the northern half of Madras, while showers had fallen over the central parts of the country. The amounts were heavy in some places.

Wednesday, September 8th.—Pressure had given way everywhere. The fall had been greatest over the north-west of the Bay, and the depression which still lay over the head of the Bay had grown still deeper. Gradients were steep over a considerable part of the Indian region, and the winds which were largely controlled by the Bay storm were strong in places. The mean temperature was lower than usual over Lower Burma, the east of the Peninsula and North-West India, while elsewhere the heat remained more or less excessive. The rainfall distribution was practically unchanged. Rain had fallen fairly generally over the Peninsula, Burma and Bengal, while showers had been received over the central parts of the country and North Bombay.

Thursday, September 9th.—The barometer had risen over Burma and Northern India and fallen over the Peninsula and the Central Provinces. The Bay storm lay close to the north Madras Coast near Gopalpur. Gradients were steep over the greater part of the Indian region, and the winds were almost everywhere controlled by the storm and circulated cyclonically around it. The distribution of the mean temperature with respect to the normal was the same as on the preceding day. There was an abnormal deficiency of $7^{\circ}6$ at Masulipatam and an abnormal excess of $4^{\circ}2$ at Amraoti, and an abnormal deficiency of $4^{\circ}9$ at Dera Ismail Khan. Fair rain had been received over the Peninsula and Lower Burma, and showers in south and west Bengal and the Central Provinces. Elsewhere the weather had been fine.

Friday, September 10th.—The barometer had continued to rise over Burma and Northern India and to fall over the Peninsula and the central parts of the country. The Bay storm was now crossing the coast, the centre lying between Gopalpur and Vizagapatam. The winds were governed by the storm in nearly all parts of the Indian region. There had been no change in the distribution of temperature relatively to the normal. There had been no rain over North-West India and in south Madras, Gujarat, Bihar, East Bengal and Upper Burma, there were considerable tracks without rain. Elsewhere the fall had been fairly general and in places heavy.

Saturday, September 11th.—The barometer had fallen over the whole of the Bombay Presidency, Rajputana, Central India and the west of the Central Provinces, but had risen in all other places. The storm had moved quickly west-north-westward and was central over Berar. It was filling up somewhat. The winds were generally westerly over Southern India and generally easterly and south-easterly over Northern India, while in parts of Rajputana, North Bombay and Burma the directions were between north-west and north. The mean temperature was low over the Indus Valley, the centre and east of the Peninsula and the Assam Valley and was higher than usual elsewhere. Rain had been fairly general over the central parts of the country and the Peninsula, while showers had been received over Lower Burma and Lower Bengal. The fall had been heavy along the Konkan Coast.

Temperature.—The general temperature of the whole country has approximated fairly closely to the normal, excessive rain and consequent low temperatures in some parts of the country having been compensated for by light rain and higher temperatures than usual in others.

The following table gives the temperature data for the week :

PROVINCE.	SEPTEMBER 1897.							Mean variation of week.
	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	
	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	
Burma	—1·2	—1·2	—1·5	—1·0	—0·5	+1·0	+2·6	—0·3
Bengal and Assam	—0·8	—0·7	—0·2	—0·3	+0·8	+0·7	+0·5	0
North-Western Provinces and Oudh	+0·3	+0·2	+0·7	+0·6	+0·3	+1·4	+2·0	+0·8
Punjab	—0·4	—3·6	—4·8	—2·6	—1·6	—1·0	+0·5	—1·9
Bombay	+2·2	+1·7	0	—0·5	+0·6	+0·9	+0·7	+0·8
Central Provinces and Berar	+0·4	+0·8	+1·3	+1·1	+1·8	+0·7	+0·3	+0·9
Central India and Gujarat	+0·3	+0·8	+0·4	+0·3	+1·2	+1·5	+2·9	+1·1
Sind and Rajputana	—1·0	—2·2	—1·6	+0·1	+0·6	—0·6	+1·8	—0·4
Madras	—0·2	—3·7	—4·1	—3·7	—3·3	—2·1	—1·6	—2·7
Mean for whole of India	0	—0·9	—1·1	—0·7	0	+0·3	+1·1	—0·2

In two regions the mean temperature has been steadily and considerably in defect of the average. The first was the Punjab, where there has been a large deficiency probably attributable to the cold produced by a fall of snow on the higher elevations around the north-west frontier on the night of the 4th ; the second was the east of the Peninsula, where throughout the week there occurred steady heavy rain. The provincial variations exhibit an abnormal deficiency of 2°·7 in Madras and of 1°·9 in the Punjab, and an abnormal excess of 1·1° in Gujarat and Central India.

The following are the highest maximum temperatures recorded on each day :

September 5th	102°·0	at Montgomery.
„ 6th	98°·9	„ „
„ 7th	97°·1	„ Hyderabad (S.).
„ 8th	99°·0	„ Jacobabad.
„ 9th	103°·3	„ „
„ 10th	103°·4	„ „
„ 11th	106°·4	„ „

The above shows that the maximum day temperatures have been exceptionally low during nearly the whole week.

Rain.—As compared with the two preceding weeks the rainfall over India during the week under review has been light and somewhat restricted. As mentioned above the weather over India during the week was largely influenced by the storm which formed over the head of the Bay and subsequently passed nearly westward across the head of the Peninsula. The effect of this storm was to occasion heavy rain over a considerable part of the Peninsula, where the wind was westerly to south-westerly, and there was considerable ascensional movement. On the contrary over Northern and North-Eastern India the effect of the cyclonic circulation was to draw the wind into the eastward, and there being no flow of moist air from the Bay the weather was unusually dry. The table at the close of the summary shows that there have been during the week eight rainfall divisions with absolutely no rain, compared with only one last week, while in addition there have been two divisions with an average actual rainfall for the week of only about 0·05 inch. These ten divisions are the North-West Provinces (Central and West), the Punjab (South-East, South and Hills), Kathiawar, Sind, Baluchistan, Rajputana and Central India (West). In all the remaining divisions effective

rain has been received. The average actual fall in the divisions reporting effective rain for the week ranges from 9·22 inches in Tenasserim, 8·07 inches in Arakan and 6·03 inches in the Konkan, to 0·21 inch in north Oudh and to 0·19 inch in south Oudh. The actual rainfall distribution exhibited considerable differences from the normal distribution, the main feature of the difference being a deficiency of rain over Assam, Bengal, the North-West Provinces, the greater part of the Punjab and North Bombay, and an excess of rain over the central parts of the country and the Peninsula. The third column of the table shows that thirty-eight divisions received less and nineteen more than the normal amount of rain. The area of excess included the following divisions:—Tenasserim, deltaic Burma, Arakan, the Surma division of Assam, Orissa, the North and West Punjab, Malabar, the Konkan, the Bombay Deccan, Khandesh, Berar, the east of the Central Provinces, the East Coast divisions, Hyderabad (South) and the central division of Madras. In all the remaining divisions there was a deficiency. The largest instances of excess were 3·25 inches in Hyderabad (South) and 2·85 inches in Arakan, and the largest instances of deficiency were 3·08 inches in North Bengal, 2·09 inches in the Assam Hills, 2·41 inches in the Punjab Hills, 2·34 inches in Gujarat and 2·01 inches in Rajputana (East) and Central India (West). The excess over the east and centre of the Peninsula was, relatively to the normal, very large, and in the case of Hyderabad (South) the actual rainfall was nearly four times the normal. In the case of the Bombay Deccan all the districts, except Belgaum, reported excessive rain, which in the case of Bijapur and Sholapur amounted to over 2 inches.

In the case of Madras the returns show an excess in all districts, except Anantapur, whence the message has not been received, and Tanjore, Tinnevely and Madura, where there has been some deficiency.

The three concluding columns of the table giving the average actual and average normal rainfall for the period May 30th to September 11th show that there are eight divisions in which the monsoon rainfall has been deficient by 20 per cent. or more of the normal, that there are sixteen divisions with excessive rain, *i.e.*, with 20 per cent. or more above the normal, and that there are thirty-three divisions in which the fall for the whole period has been practically normal. Last week the numbers were: four divisions with deficient rainfall, fifteen with excessive rain and thirty-eight divisions with normal rainfall. Thus there is one more division this week than last week with excessive rain, while, on the contrary, four divisions which reported a normal rainfall last week have been removed into the list of divisions reporting a deficient fall.

PROVINCE.	DIVISION.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 11TH, 1897.			RAINFALL DATA FROM MAY 30TH TO SEPTEMBER 11TH, 1897.		
		Average actual rainfall of division.	Average normal rainfall of division.	Excess or defect in inches.	Average actual rainfall of season to date.	Average normal rainfall, May 30th to September 11th.	Excess or de- fect of (non- seasonal) rain- fall expressed as a per- centage.
		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Per cent.
BURMA	1. Tenasserim	9'22	7'90	+ 1'32	129'34	139'64	- 7
	2. Lower Burma Deltaic	3'89	3'28	+ 0'61	76'41	74'67	+ 2
	3. Central do.	1'88	2'02	- 0'14	37'70	43'96	- 14
	4. Upper do.	0'72	1'88	- 1'16	21'74	33'62	- 35
	5. Arakan	8'07	5'22	+ 2'85	150'15	146'73	+ 2
BENGAL AND ASSAM	6. Eastern Bengal	2'36	4'26	- 1'90	60'60	63'25	- 4
	7. Assam Surma	5'56	5'45	+ 0'11	69'89	81'84	- 15
	8. Do. Hills	4'26	6'35	- 2'09	61'04	101'33	- 40
	9. Do. Brahmaputra	1'88	2'85	- 0'97	45'31	50'06	- 9
	10. Deltaic Bengal	1'47	2'72	- 1'25	39'78	39'34	+ 1
	11. Central do.	1'48	2'96	- 1'48	31'71	38'84	- 18
	12. North do.	1'81	4'89	- 3'08	60'51	67'38	- 10
	13. Bengal Hills	3'90	5'74	- 1'84	82'78	99'54	- 17
	14. Orissa	3'28	2'49	+ 0'79	35'71	36'47	- 2
	15. Chota Nagpur	1'77	2'40	- 0'63	34'27	38'38	- 11
	16. South Bihar	0'94	2'09	- 1'15	40'24	31'99	+ 26
	17. North do.	1'82	2'60	- 0'78	34'09	36'19	- 6
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES AND OUDH.	18. N.-W. P. East	0'38	1'89	- 1'51	38'13	29'30	+ 30
	19. South Oudh	0'19	1'46	- 1'27	30'03	22'29	+ 35
	20. North do.	0'21	1'85	- 1'64	36'44	30'47	+ 20
	21. N.-W. P. Central	0'05	1'50	- 1'45	28'52	26'87	+ 6
	22. Do. West	0	1'42	- 1'42	26'46	20'74	+ 28
	23. Do. East Submontane	0'49	1'92	- 1'43	36'40	31'13	+ 17
	24. Do. West do.	0'28	2'17	- 1'89	39'68	34'19	+ 16
	25. Do. Hills	0'35	1'68	- 1'33	44'88	34'91	+ 29
PUNJAB	26. South-East Punjab	0	1'30	- 1'30	17'40	17'79	- 2
	27. South do.	0	0'99	- 0'99	9'54	11'85	- 19
	28. Central do.	0'64	0'86	- 0'22	11'17	12'56	- 11
	29. Punjab Submontane	0'22	1'51	- 1'29	16'01	21'04	- 24
	30. Do. Hills	0'04	2'45	- 2'41	34'38	45'21	- 24
	31. North Punjab	0'89	0'47	+ 0'42	14'12	8'84	+ 59
	32. West do.	0'42	0'36	+ 0'06	8'44	5'73	+ 47
BOMBAY AND MALABAR COAST DISTRICTS (MADRAS).	33. Malabar	3'02	2'47	+ 0'55	110'49	88'07	+ 24
	34. Madras South-Central	1'27	1'58	- 0'31	22'91	18'74	+ 22
	35. Coorg	2'73	2'94	- 0'21	116'78	99'52	+ 17
	36. Mysore	1'27	1'39	- 0'12	21'09	19'80	+ 7
	37. Konkan	6'03	3'85	+ 2'18	103'02	91'02	+ 13
	38. Bombay Deccan	1'75	0'90	+ 0'85	21'34	19'61	+ 9
	39. Hyderabad North . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...
	40. Khandesh	2'78	1'65	+ 1'13	15'16	20'23	- 25
CENTRAL PROVINCES AND BERAR.	41. Berar	2'40	1'69	+ 0'71	24'62	17'66	+ 39
	42. Central Provinces West	1'97	2'75	- 0'78	31'06	32'30	- 4
	43. Do. do. Central	1'49	2'57	- 1'08	37'94	42'85	- 11
	44. Do. do. East	4'03	2'38	+ 1'65	44'52	39'81	+ 12
BOMBAY (NORTH)	45. Gujarat	0'91	3'25	- 2'34	27'33	37'77	- 28
	46. Kathiawar	0	1'74	- 1'74	16'24	17'31	- 6
	47. Sind	0	0'22	- 0'22	7'71	4'68	+ 65
	48. Baluchistan Hills	0	0'01	- 0'01	0'36	2'04	- 82
RAJPUTANA AND CEN- TRAL INDIA.	49. Central India East	0'61	1'89	- 1'28	29'89	31'26	- 4
	50. Rajputana East, Central India West	0	2'01	- 2'01	19'09	24'48	- 22
	51. West Rajputana	0	0'77	- 0'77	13'55	10'58	+ 28
MADRAS	52. East Coast North	3'01	1'74	+ 2'17	24'26	19'93	+ 22
	52-A. Do. do. (a)	3'85	2'92	+ 0'93	37'35	42'67	- 12
	53. Hyderabad South	4'37	1'12	+ 3'25	19'11	17'25	+ 11
	54. Madras Central	2'40	1'82	+ 0'58	14'72	12'89	+ 14
	55. East Coast Central	2'80	1'27	+ 1'53	16'49	12'72	+ 29
	56. Do. South	1'93	1'46	+ 0'47	14'77	12'23	+ 21
	57. Madras South	0'30	0'68	- 0'38	5'79	5'29	+ 9

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Weekly Report on the state of the Season and Prospects of the Crops.

Madras.—*For week ending 11th September.*—Rainfall is slightly deficient in extreme south; greatly in excess in the Circars and Deccan, except in Anantapur, and generally moderately in excess in Anantapur and elsewhere. The water-supply for drinking purposes is sufficient; for irrigation it is generally sufficient. Agricultural operations are general; harvests are still limited to small areas, outturns middling to fair. Pasture is improving; fodder is scarce in the Deccan; elsewhere it is generally available, but is dear. Condition of cattle is improving in the Deccan; elsewhere generally normal. Prices are generally somewhat easier. Improvement in prospects fully maintained. Condition of people in Bhadrachalam still gives cause for anxiety. The numbers on relief were:—relief workers—76,752 men, 147,815 women, 46,105 children; total 270,672 in the Deccan and Circars. Intermediate workers—34 men, 31 women, 3 children; total 68 in Godavari. Weavers—27,384 men, 24,944 women, 2,373 children; total 54,701 relieved at their own trade in the Deccan and Circars. Total relief workers 325,441. Kitchen inmates in the Deccan and Circars: (dependants)—316 men, 507 women, 14,960 children; total 15,783. Others—1,683 men, 3,441 women, 12,795 children; total 17,919. Otherwise gratuitously relieved—11,518 men, 28,819 women, 26,816 children with 168 unspecified; total 67,321. Figures for Anantapur incomplete. Total on gratuitous relief 101,023. Grand total on Government relief 426,464. Prices by which wages are calculated are:—Ganjam 9, Kurnool 10, Bellary 11, Cuddapah $12\frac{1}{2}$, Anantapur 13, and Vizagapatam $14\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee. Godavari not reported. Loans disbursed during the week in affected districts Rs. 64,674.

Bombay.—*For week ending 13th September.*—Rain slight in Gujarat, beneficial in Konkan, the Deccan, Karnatic; more wanted in Kaira, Belgaum, and parts of Broach, Khandesh, Nasik, Sholapur, Satara, and Bijapur. Standing crops are thriving. Locusts caused damage in two talukas of Karachi, one of Hyderabad and Thar and Parkar. Preparations for late crops commenced in Shikarpur, Hyderabad, Broach, Khandesh, Nasik, and Ahmednagar, and sowings in Sholapur and Bijapur. Fodder is sufficient, except in parts of Nasik, Ahmednagar, Sholapur, Belgaum, and Bijapur. Condition of agricultural stock is deteriorating in Sholapur; improving in Ahmednagar, Bijapur, and Khandesh; healthy elsewhere, except in one taluka of Thana. Prices continue high in Karachi, Shikarpur, Surat, Nasik, and Thana; falling in Upper Sind Frontier, Sholapur, and Belgaum; stationary in Panch Mahal, Kolaba, and Bijapur. Prices in affected districts are:—Belgaum $8\frac{1}{2}$, Bijapur $7\frac{1}{2}$, Sholapur $6\frac{1}{10}$, Ahmednagar $6\frac{1}{2}$, Poona $6\frac{1}{2}$, Nasik $7\frac{1}{2}$, Satara $7\frac{3}{8}$, Khandesh and Dharwar 9 seers per rupee. The average number on relief works, including dependants, was:—Bijapur 129,838, Sholapur 109,875, Ahmednagar 85,583, Poona 18,445, Nasik 4,514, Satara 12,382, Khandesh 1,915, Belgaum 20,599, Dharwar 4,030. On test works—Ratnagiri 109; total 387,290, of whom 318,038 are relief workers and 69,252 dependants. Of relief workers—104,641 are men, 135,209 women, and 78,188 children. Of dependants—540 are men, 5,154 women, and 63,558 children. On gratuitous relief—Bijapur 16,230, including 1,888 in poor-houses; Sholapur 15,929, including 139 in poor-houses; Ahmednagar 24,982, including 1,421 in poor-houses; Poona 18,930; Nasik 1,348, including 337 in poor-houses; Satara 5,434, including 299 in poor-houses; Khandesh 581; Belgaum 990; Dharwar 1,009; total 85,433, of whom 33,303 are men, 28,377 women, and 23,753 children. Total number on relief 472,723.

Bengal.—*For week ending 13th September.*—General rain fell during the week; in parts of North Bihar the rain was heavy and the rivers rose and caused some damage to the early autumn crops. The prospects of the winter rice continue generally favourable. In Cuttack and Balasore it is reported that insects

have appeared and are doing injury to the rice plants in places. The harvesting of early rice, jute, and other early autumn crops is in progress. No important change to report in the price of rice during the week. New early autumn crops are coming into the market. In the distressed districts the prices of the staple food-grain on which the famine wage is based are—Bankura, common rice $8\frac{3}{4}$ to 12 seers; Nadia, common rice $9\frac{1}{2}$ to 12 seers; Saran, indian-corn 13 seers; Champaran, indian-corn 13 seers; Muzaffarpur, indian-corn 14 seers; Darbhanga, indian-corn 15 seers; Puri, common rice 9 to 10 seers; and Manbhum, common rice 8 seers per rupee. The numbers on Government relief on Saturday, the 11th September, were—Bankura 9,353, Nadia 3,492, Khulna 4,374, Patna 1,816, Shahabad 4,394, Saran 21,949, Champaran 18,209, Muzaffarpur 19,497, Darbhanga 53,651, Puri 3,436, Hazaribagh 209, Lohardaga 1,695, and Manbhum 6,697; total 148,792 against 224,297 in the preceding week. The numbers relieved from the Indian Famine Charitable Relief Fund were—Bankura 1,400, Khulna 1,914, Shahabad 3,822, Saran 2,524, Champaran 14,984, Muzaffarpur 17,526, Darbhanga 26,090, Bhagalpur 2,846, Sonthal Parganas 1,282, Cuttack 2,855, Hazaribagh 87, Lohardaga 1,615; total 76,945 against 74,033 in the preceding week. The above totals are distributed as follows:—relief workers—men 10,298, women 7,015, children 2,055; total 19,368. Dependants—men 11, women *nil*, children 129; total 140. In poor-houses and kitchens—men 3,916, women 7,887, children 34,055; total 45,858. Otherwise relieved—men 17,161, women 53,985, children 12,280; total 83,426. Indian Famine Charitable Relief Fund—men 11,186, women 37,946, children 16,816; total 65,948, *plus* 10,997 sex not shown. Private relief—relief works—Darbhanga Raj—men 99, women 34, children 16; total 149. Jamtara—men 140, women 221, children *nil*; total 361. Gratuitous relief—Darbhanga Raj—Darbhanga—men 1,073, women 2,831, children 3,538; total 7,442. Darbhanga Raj—Muzaffarpur—men 21, women 135, children 120; total 276. Muzaffarpur district—men 80, women 170, children 42; total 292. Hatwa—men 153, women 258, children 484; total 895. Cuttack—men 164, women 621, children 194; total 979. Total on private relief 10,394 against 16,798 in the preceding week.

North-Western Provinces and Oudh.—*For week ending 15th September.*—Light showers fell in most districts during the week. Standing crops are doing well. Harvesting of early autumn crops in progress. Preparation of land for spring sowings continues. The numbers in receipt of relief on Saturday, the 11th September, in seventeen districts officially recognised as distressed were as follows:—Agra 10,122, Etawah 1,763, Cawnpore 5,937, Fatehpur 6,476, Banda 56,589, Hamirpur 15,895, Allahabad 47,048, Jhansi 13,800, Jalaun 18,899, Mirzapur 6,402, Family Domains of Maharaja of Benares, 3,825, Jaunpur 21,452, Gorakhpur 10,554, Azamgarh 4,354, Lucknow 27,560, Unao 15,887, Rai Bareilly 11,350, Hardoi 42,624; total 320,537. The total is distributed as follows among the various methods of relief prescribed by the Famine Code which are in operation:—employed on relief works—12,612; relieved as dependants—2,485; relieved in poor-houses—12,596; relieved under other provisions of the Famine Code, including 50,159 from the Charitable Relief Fund, 292,844. The numbers relieved in nineteen districts which are under observation and not officially recognised as distressed were on the same date as follows:—relieved on test works—*nil*; relieved in poor-houses—3,517; relieved under other provisions of the Famine Code, including 10,983 from the Charitable Relief Fund, 41,102; total 44,619. The grand total in receipt of relief on the last day of the week was therefore 365,156. Supplies and fodder are sufficient. Prices generally show a tendency to fall. The price of the staple grain on which the famine wage is based varied from $8\frac{1}{2}$ to 14 seers per rupee in the districts officially recognised as distressed. The numbers shown as relieved from the Indian Famine Charitable Relief Fund represent the operations of the fund so far only as they are carried out through official agency.

Punjab.—*For week ending 13th September.*—Rain averaging from $\frac{1}{2}$ of an inch to 3 inches has fallen in all districts, except Lahore, Gujranwala, and Peshawar; slight rain has also fallen in Jullundur and Sialkot. Ploughings for spring crops are going on. Standing crops are generally reported in good

condition and their prospects are excellent. The recent rain has benefited the crops in Hissar and Dera Ismail Khan. More rain is still wanted to mature autumn crops and to plough and cultivate the early spring crops. The rice crop has suffered from want of rain in Umballa. Locusts have appeared in Rohtak, Gurgaon, and Delhi, and have damaged the standing crops; they have also appeared in Lahore and Amritsar and laid eggs in the former, young ones are being destroyed in Rawal Pindi and Dera Ismail Khan; the crops are also reported to have been damaged by insects in Ferozepore. Cattle are generally said to be in good condition. Dry fodder is insufficient, but green fodder is procurable everywhere. The average number of relief workers, dependants, etc., was as follows:—Relief workers—1,925 men, 2,178 women, 416 children. Dependants—7 men, 6 women, 883 children. Relieved in poor-houses—5 men, 4 women, 8 children. Detail has not been given for 650 persons relieved in a poor-house in Delhi. The total number of persons relieved this week was 6,082 against 13,835 last week; of this 5,490 were in Hissar alone. Prices are generally still high; the price especially of wheat is rising in Mooltan and Peshawar; falling in Rohtak, Umballa, Jullundur, Lahore, Amritsar, Sialkot, Rawal Pindi, and Dera Ismail Khan; in other districts the figures are unchanged. Wheat is selling from $9\frac{1}{2}$ to $11\frac{1}{2}$, barley 12 to 13, gram $8\frac{3}{4}$ to 10, great millet $10\frac{3}{4}$ to 11, maize $9\frac{3}{4}$ to 12, bulrush-millet $8\frac{1}{2}$ to 12, and rice 6 to $6\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee; *cheena* (*Panicum frumentaceum*) is sold in Umballa at 20 seers per rupee. Prices of staple food-grain on which the famine wage is reckoned are—Hissar—barley flour $10\frac{3}{16}$ and great millet flour 10 seers per rupee.

Central Provinces.—*For week ending 13th September.*—Weather alternately cloudy and clear with light showers in Saugor, Jubbulpore, Mandla, Seoni, and Narsinghpur, and heavier falls in the other districts. Agricultural prospects are generally favourable, but slight damage due to excessive moisture is reported to *til* in Sambalpur and Hoshangabad; to autumn crops in the Khandwa Tahsil of Nimar; to *jowari* (*Sorghum vulgare*) in Betul and to rice in parts of Chanda. A longer break would also be beneficial in Wardha. The early millets and maize crops are being harvested with full outturns as also early rice in Sambalpur. Weeding operations and preparation of land for winter sowings continue; the latter are rather retarded in Betul by rain. Transplanting and thinning of rice almost completed. Prices fluctuate but show on the whole a slight tendency to fall and rice is cheaper by a seer in the rupee in Sambalpur. There has been a small decrease of 11,000 in the numbers on relief works and an increase of 29,000, owing to extension of village relief and opening of children's kitchens, in the number gratuitously relieved. The numbers on relief works were—Saugor 9,358, Damoh 11,583, Jubbulpore 19,545, Mandla 10,631, Seoni 2,896, Narsinghpur 14,703, Hoshangabad 28,687, Nimar 1,045, Betul 7,185, Chhindwara 8,726, Wardha 1,457, Nagpur 15,034, Bhandara 18,794, Balaghat 33,210, Raipur 33,911, Bilaspur 38,795, Sambalpur 822; total 256,382. Test workers—in Damoh 315. Numbers on gratuitous relief—Saugor 22,127, Damoh 21,581, Jubbulpore 34,150, Mandla 23,326, Seoni 15,233, Narsinghpur 18,164, Hoshangabad 13,847, Nimar 1,800, Betul 11,739, Chhindwara 8,381, Wardha 1,341, Nagpur 2,675, Chanda 4,405, Bhandara 14,345, Balaghat 16,816, Raipur 37,743, Bilaspur 99,649, Sambalpur 170; total 347,492. Total number on relief 604,189. There were also 16,050 persons employed on railway and other private works. Details of relief workers—men 82,769, women 118,178, children 55,435. Test workers—men 94, women 221. Dependants—men 2,401, women 2,903, children 30,641, with 1,823 unclassified. Poor-houses—men 6,351, women 6,913, children 12,520. Otherwise relieved—men 37,086, women 76,607, children 102,166, with 68,081 unclassified. Wage prices—Saugor, Mandla 8; Jubbulpore, Narsinghpur 9; Seoni, Hoshangabad $7\frac{3}{4}$; Nimar $8\frac{1}{2}$; Betul, Balaghat 7; Chhindwara $6\frac{1}{2}$; Wardha, Chanda $8\frac{3}{4}$; Nagpur $9\frac{1}{4}$; Damoh, Bhandara, Raipur $7\frac{1}{2}$; Bilaspur $6\frac{3}{4}$; and Sambalpur $11\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee.

Burma.—*For week ending 11th September.*—In Lower Burma transplanting has been completed in Hanthawaddy and Thaton. Agricultural operations are approaching completion in all districts; prospects continue favourable. In Upper Burma no rain fell during the week in Magwe, Meiktila, and Myingyan and only

small amounts in Mandalay, Lower Chindwin, Minbu, and Myingyan. Of the precarious districts prospects are fairly favourable in Mandalay, part of Shwebo, Lower Chindwin, Thayetmyo, Pakokku and Minbu sub-division; more rain is urgently needed in Meiktila, Yamethin, Magwe, Salin sub-division of Minbu, Sagaing and parts of Shwebo; while it would be of great benefit everywhere for the standing crops of *jowar* (*Sorghum vulgare*) and paddy. The price of paddy has risen considerably in Mandalay and slightly in Amherst and fallen considerably in Henzada; elsewhere stationary. The numbers on relief works were—Meiktila 696 and Myingyan 14,199. On gratuitous relief—Meiktila 122, Myingyan 2,835, and Yamethin 188. Total number on relief 18,040. Price of rice—Meiktila 8 seers 12 chittaks and Myingyan 10 seers 4 chittacks per rupee.

Assam.—*For week ending 14th September.*—Weather seasonable. Harvesting of early rice is nearly finished. Transplanting of late rice continues. Rice crop damaged to some extent by insects in Cachar, Darrang and Lakhimpur and by floods in parts of Darrang, Nowgong, and Lakhimpur. Jute being cut in Goalpara. State of tea fair, except in parts of Lakhimpur and Sylhet districts, where outturn of leaf is short. Prices—common rice—Silchar $7\frac{1}{2}$, Sylhet and Sibsagar 8, Gauhati and Tezpur 7, and Dibrugarh $7\frac{1}{4}$ seers per rupee. Fodder is scarce in places owing to floods.

Mysore and Coorg.—*For week ending 13th September.*—MYSORE.—(Report not received.)

COORG.—Rainfall 1.10. Transplanting of rice nearly completed. Coffee crop maturing; cardamoms ripening. Prices of food-grains stationary. Water and fodder for cattle abundant.

Berar and Hyderabad.—*For week ending 13th September.*—BERAR.—Weather hot and cloudy with an average rainfall of $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches throughout the Province. Monsoon crops are generally in good condition. Land is being prepared for winter crops. Sowings completed in all districts, except Akola and Ellichpur. Weeding operations in progress. Fodder and water-supply ample. No material change in high prices for food-grains. Relief workers—Akola 422, Amraoti 134, Buldana 321, Ellichpur 1,343. Occupants of poor-houses—Akola 864, Amraoti 360, Basim 127, Buldana 320, Ellichpur 470. On gratuitous relief—Akola 2,513, Amraoti 124, Basim 164, Buldana 275, Ellichpur 2,117. Total number on relief 9,554. Prices—*jowar*—Akola 8, Amraoti 9, Basim 9, Buldana 7, Ellichpur 9, Wun 10 seers per rupee. No deaths from cholera on relief works; one attack reported from Melghat.

HYDERABAD.—Rainfall during week 2 inches 53 cents. Autumn and spring crops in good condition and in a few districts land under preparation for spring sowings. Prospects very much improved, but prices are still so high in parts that distress among poorer classes is acute. The aggregate number of persons on relief works in Aurangabad, Bir, Gulbarga, Raichur, Lingsagar, Naldurg, Elgandal, and Nalgondah was 15,709. Prices in affected districts—Aurangabad $5\frac{1}{2}$, Gulbarga 6, Naldurg $6\frac{1}{4}$, Bir $6\frac{1}{4}$, Lingsagar $6\frac{3}{4}$, Raichur 7, Elgandal $7\frac{1}{2}$, and Nalgondah 8 seers per rupee. 176 persons on gratuitous relief in Raichur, 277 Naldurg, 388 Lingsagar, 1,245 Elgandal. Total number on relief 17,815. Prices—wheat $4\frac{3}{4}$, coarse rice $5\frac{1}{2}$, and *jowari* $7\frac{8}{10}$ seers per current sicca rupee.

Central India.—*For week ending 13th September.*—Rain fell in all agencies during week, except in Baghelkhand. The fall is still below average in Bhopawar. Agricultural operations are in progress everywhere. Crops have been damaged through excessive rain in two districts of Gwalior and Bundelkhand. Agricultural stock and pasturage are good in all agencies. Prices are rising in Gwalior; high elsewhere. The number of persons employed on famine relief works were—5,815 Gwalior, 767 Bhopal, 6,362 Bundelkhand, 6,300 Baghelkhand. On gratuitous relief—1,665 Gwalior, 689 Bhopal, 10,545 Bundelkhand, and 4,424 in Baghelkhand. Total number on relief 36,567. Prices—Gwalior not reported, Bhopal $9\frac{3}{8}$, Bundelkhand $8\frac{1}{2}$ to $11\frac{1}{2}$, and Baghelkhand 9 seers per rupee.

Rajputana.—*For week ending 15th September.*—Rainfall 3·13 cents at Jhallawar; 1·56 cents at Abu and 1·06 cents in Marwar; under 1 inch at Serohi, Jeypore, Bikanir; few cents in Pertabgarh, Kherwara and Ajmere; *nil* elsewhere. Harvesting of indian-corn in Jhallawar and other agricultural operations continue in parts. Standing crops are thriving everywhere. Prospects are good generally. Slight damage to crops by locusts in places in Bundi, Shahpura, Ajmere, Kishengarh, Kerowli, Bhurtpore, and Jaisalmer. Agricultural stock is generally healthy and pasturage or fodder ample throughout. Prices are slightly falling in Marwar and Jhallawar; rising in Kherwara, Meywar, Ajmere, Jeypore, Kishengarh; steady elsewhere. The number of persons on relief works were—Tonk 58, Sironj 550, and Dholepore 139. Ordinary works—Tonk 470, Dholepore 234, and Bikanir 932. Gratuitous relief—Marwar 832, Tonk 2,592, Pirawa 800, Chabra 62, Bundi 315, Deoli 9, Sironj 130, Dholepore 308, Bhurtpore 111, and Bikanir 63. Total number on relief 5,969. Prices—Dholepore 13½ and Tonk 9¼ seers per rupee.

Kashmir.—*For week ending 14th September.*—Weather fine. Wheat and barley threshings almost finished. Standing rice crops generally in good condition. Water ample for irrigation. Prices continue normal.

JAMMU PROVINCE.—*For week ending 14th September.*—No rain. Prices stationary. Fodder sufficient. Condition of standing crops generally good.

Nepal.—*For week ending 11th September.*—Rainfall 1·82. There has been good rain in the Terai. Heavy rain in the hills, and sufficient rain in the Katmandu Valley for the rice crops. Price of rice—6½ seers per rupee.

The total numbers in receipt of relief during the preceding and present weeks are as follows:

NAME OF PROVINCE.	PRECEDING WEEK.			PRESENT WEEK.			Increase or decrease.
	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	
Madras . . .	363,684	170,906	534,590	286,523	139,941	426,464	— 108,126
Bombay . . .	391,282	81,812	473,094	387,290	85,433	472,723	— 371
Bengal . . .	32,502	191,795	224,297	19,508	129,284	148,792	—75,505
North-Western Provinces and Oudh . . .	15,775	331,710	347,485	15,097	288,917	304,014	—43,471
Punjab . . .	5,971	7,864	13,835	5,415	667	6,082	— 7,753
Central Provinces	267,758	318,566	586,324	256,697	347,492	604,189	+ 17,865
Burma . . .	15,690	4,584	20,274	14,895	3,145	18,040	— 2,234
Berar . . .	1,982	8,468	10,450	2,220	7,334	9,554	— 896
Hyderabad . .	21,298	2,210	23,508	15,709	2,086	17,795	— 5,713
Central India . .	31,205	15,248	46,453	19,244	17,323	36,567	— 9,886
Rajputana . . .	906	5,596	6,502	747	5,222	5,969	— 533
TOTAL . . .	1,148,053	1,138,759	2,286,812	1,023,345	1,026,844	2,050,189	—236,623

(a) Exclusive of 7,6945 relieved from the Indian Charitable Relief Fund.

(b) Exclusive of 61,142 relieved from the Indian Charitable Relief Fund.

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Return of the number of persons in receipt of relief in districts affected by scarcity.

NOTE.—The figures are compiled from the Local Gazettes, and give the District details of the Provincial totals published weekly in the Crop and
her Summary in the *Gazette of India*.

Non-labouring children and other dependants of relief workers are classed as on relief works when distinguished in the local returns from as gratuitously relieved in poor-houses or at their homes.

Name of Province and District.	FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 21ST AUGUST 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 28TH AUGUST 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 4TH SEPTEMBER 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 11TH SEPTEMBER 1897.		
	Relief works.	Gra- tuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gra- tuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gra- tuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gra- tuitous relief.	Total.
Madras.												
Cuddapah	72,512	28,302	100,814	70,449	27,803	98,252	46,701	26,696	73,397	43,037	24,771	67,808
Kurnool	134,700	49,821	184,521	138,270	52,760	191,030	132,041	49,658	181,699	114,369	46,049	160,418
Bellary	154,330	28,411	182,741	154,594	29,197	183,791	166,321	28,966	195,287	134,568	28,293	162,861
Anantapur	67,007	11,619	78,626	67,022	11,814	78,836	65,089	10,986	76,075	54,490	27,258	81,746
Ganjam	29,838	78,383	108,221	14,638	49,456	64,094	9,370	32,744	42,114	9,072	26,219	35,291
Vizagapatam	17,016	18,742	35,758	15,200	17,722	32,922	12,905	14,892	27,797	8,052	14,575	22,627
Godavari	894	2,870	3,764	468	3,735	4,203	150	6,001	6,151	96	3,743	3,839
Kistna	300	...	300	1,342	...	1,342	640	...	640	...	...	...
TOTAL MADRAS	476,597	(1) 218,148	694,745	461,983	(2) 192,487	654,470	423,217	(3) 169,943	593,160	363,684	(4) 170,909	534,590
Bombay.												
Bijapur	109,657	13,637	123,294	125,075	14,600	139,675	137,234	15,564	152,798	145,668	16,601	162,269
Sholapur	106,478	12,203	118,681	102,339	12,444	114,783	105,973	13,432	119,405	118,729	15,396	134,125
Ahmednagar	65,942	16,067	82,009	64,535	17,232	81,767	64,664	23,349	88,013	69,909	22,036	90,945
Poona	16,409	13,634	30,043	16,566	13,981	30,547	16,626	14,949	31,575	16,969	19,259	36,228
Nasik	6,230	1,892	8,122	5,356	1,718	7,074	5,086	1,409	6,495	4,803	1,134	5,937
Satara	9,141	2,932	12,073	6,806	3,567	10,373	7,487	4,519	12,006	11,718	4,937	16,655
Khandesh	8,866	...	8,866	3,014	...	3,014	2,909	625	3,434	1,961	381	2,342
Belgaum	16,283	812	17,095	17,902	837	18,739	19,567	921	20,488	19,501	1,011	20,512
Dharwar	2,203	1,034	3,237	2,248	1,011	3,259	3,441	1,066	4,507	2,808	1,057	3,865
Ratnagiri	22	...	22	74	...	74	155	...	155	221	...	221
TOTAL BOMBAY	341,231	62,211	403,442	343,915	65,390	409,305	363,142	72,634	435,776	391,287	81,812	473,099
Bengal.												
Champanan	11,624	37,346	48,970	12,079	32,500	44,579	12,622	28,340	40,962	5,942	16,616	22,558
Shahabad . . . . .	...	21,163	21,163	...	18,586	18,586	...	17,518	17,518	...	13,359	13,359
Nadia	4,017	15,998	20,615	1,231	10,662	11,893	331	7,339	7,670	403	6,299	6,702
Patna . . . . .	...	303	303	...	3	307	...	1,688	1,688	...	1,648	1,648
Khulna	202	8,678	8,880	134	9,299	9,443	...	6,086	6,086	41	5,313	5,354
Saran	18,692	54,820	73,512	20,403	54,020	74,423	11,462	40,349	51,811	10,188	29,966	40,154
Darbhanga	32,513	97,012	129,525	16,407	86,980	103,387	14,627	76,797	91,324	6,196	62,727	68,923
Muzaffarpur	34,459	60,443	94,902	25,687	50,927	76,614	20,426	47,094	67,520	2,317	35,032	37,349
Rajshahi	312	...	312	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Palamau	1,707	2,273	3,980	774	2,488	3,262	1,064	2,369	3,433	...	...	...
Manbhum	8,183	8,823	17,006	7,944	8,507	16,451	15,501	8,904	24,405	2,878	10,159	13,037
Pabna	128	43	171	101	44	145	37	16	53	...	...	...
Murshidabad	2,319	...	2,319	1,381	...	1,381	406	...	406	...	...	...
Hazaribagh	1,897	2,597	4,494	1,274	2,539	3,813	514	1,401	1,915	260	396	656
Puri	(not reported)	...	...	1,129	633	2,762	2,053	1,197	3,249	237	1,386	1,623
Sonthal Parganas	312	5,952	6,264	...	6,277	6,277	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bankura	964	11,659	12,623	2,353	12,044	14,397	3,334	10,195	13,529	3,916	6,582	10,497
Lohardaga	585	2,917	3,502	882	2,990	3,872	1,008	3,207	4,215	...	2,412	2,412
Jessore	184	...	184	54	...	54	38	...	38	41	...	41
Dinaipur	82	...	82	45	...	45	54	...	54	84	...	84
TOTAL BENGAL	118,780	330,027	448,807	92,878	208,803	391,681	83,376	252,400	335,776	32,502	191,795†	224,297
North-Western Provinces and Oudh.												
Agra	5,985	7,710	13,695	6,266	7,005	13,271	3,386	6,916	10,302	3,741	6,812	10,553
Etawah . . . . .	...	923	923	...	888	888	...	878	878	...	765	765
Banda	21,693	81,067	102,760	12,529	77,843	90,372	7,566	73,226	80,792	5,262	65,923	71,188
Cawnpur . . . . .	...	5,442	5,442	...	4,894	4,894	...	4,073	4,073	...	3,302	3,302
Hamirpur	7	17,300	17,307	4	15,450	15,454	...	14,500	14,500	...	12,760	12,760
Allahabad	13,764	45,083	58,847	5,716	42,546	48,262	7,342	37,133	44,475	5,410	28,413	33,823
Jhansi	982	19,543	20,525	896	18,663	19,559	762	19,716	20,478	...	15,067	15,067
Jalaun	1,062	19,777	20,839	...	19,787	19,787	...	19,808	19,808	...	19,636	19,636
Jaunpur . . . . .	...	24,479	24,479	...	24,168	24,168	...	23,392	23,392	...	20,971	20,971
Gorakhpur . . . . .	...	9,979	9,979	...	9,932	9,932	...	9,545	9,545	...	9,567	9,567
Lucknow	2,075	17,497	19,572	1,378	14,132	15,510	1,122	15,158	16,280	1,294	15,986	16,964
Unao . . . . .	...	19,147	19,147	...	18,636	18,636	...	17,812	17,812	...	16,889	16,889
Rai Bareilly	1,265	15,022	16,287	1,291	14,007	15,298	1,054	13,303	14,357	37	13,375	13,412
Etappur	4,336	4,336	4,336	...	4,061	4,061	...	3,374	3,374	...	632	632
Hardoi	3,764	46,218	48,982	2,557	44,636	47,193	2,265	43,357	45,622	...	42,378	42,378

(¹) Includes 49,174 weavers relieved at their own trade.

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(-) Including 54,044 weavers relieved at their own trade.

* Incomplete.

† Exclusive of 74,033 relieved from the Indian Charitable Relief Fund.

Return of the number of persons in receipt of relief in districts affected by scarcity—continued.

No.	Name of Province and District.	FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 21ST AUGUST 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 28TH AUGUST 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 4TH SEPTEMBER 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 11TH SEPTEMBER 1897.		
		Relief works.	Gratui- tous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratui- tous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratui- tous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratui- tous relief.	
North-Western Provinces and Oudh—contd.													
16	Bara Banki . . . . .	...	1,206	1,206	...	997	997	...	1,459	1,459	...	1,852
17	Mirzapur	2,153	14,138	16,291	25	12,388	12,413	793	11,327	12,120	31	8,403	
18	Bijnor . . . . .	...	1,593	1,593	...	1,606	1,606	...	1,391	1,391	...	1,031
19	Moradabad . . . . .	...	1,833	1,833	...	1,669	1,669	...	1,221	1,221	...	1,224
20	Bareilly . . . . .	...	812	812	...	832	832	...	851	851	...	811
21	Muttra . . . . .	...	2,089	2,089	...	2,047	2,047	...	1,689	1,689	...	1,689
22	Etah . . . . .	...	669	669	...	695	695	...	775	775	...	856
23	Mainpuri . . . . .	...	1,001	1,001	...	1,797	1,797	...	2,414	2,414	...	20
24	Farukhabad . . . . .	...	1,385	1,385	...	1,397	1,397	...	1,366	1,366	...	1,259
25	Budaun . . . . .	...	288	288	...	295	295	...	284	284	...	261
26	Shahjahanpur . . . . .	...	3,398	3,398	...	3,383	3,383	...	2,749	2,749	...	2,565
27	Pilibhit	455	2,116	2,571	...	2,084	2,084	...	2,072	2,072	...	1,986	
28	Kheri	159	440	599	...	359	359	...	385	385	...	150	
29	Sultanpur . . . . .	...	1,949	1,949	...	1,776	1,776	...	1,488	1,488	...	1,111
30	Pertabgarh . . . . .	...	3,732	3,732	...	3,272	3,272	...	2,468	2,468	...	2,139
31	Fyzabad . . . . .	...	767	767	...	759	759	...	501	501	...	363
32	Azampur . . . . .	...	9,101	9,101	...	8,954	8,954	...	8,190	8,190	...	7,386
33	Azamgarh . . . . .	...	12,713	12,713	...	11,606	11,606	...	10,409	10,409	...	7,683
34	Benares . . . . .	...	17,897	17,897	...	17,248	17,248	...	17,163	17,163	...	16,482
35	Gonda . . . . .	...	2,941	2,941	...	2,356	2,356	...	2,456	2,456	...	1,993
36	Basti . . . . .	...	866	866	...	670	670	...	568	568	...	393
TOTAL FOR N.-W. P. & O.		52,364	414,457	466,821	30,662	392,838	423,500	24,290	373,417	397,707	15,775	331,710*	
Punjab.													
1	Hissar	15,207	7,363	22,570	9,228	7,405	16,633	8,353	7,010	15,363	5,971	7,231	
2	Rohtak . . . . .	...	1,457	1,457	...	569	569	...	61	61	...	...
3	Delhi . . . . .	...	653	653	...	642	642	...	651	651	...	633
4	Karnal	900	208	1,108	1,286	866	2,152	1,116	209	1,325	902	210	
5	Umballa . . . . .	...	331	331	...	261	261	...	147	147	...	...
6	Ferozpur	380	...	380	266	...	266	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL PUNJAB		16,487	10,012	26,499	10,780	9,743	20,523	9,469	8,078	17,547	6,873	8,074	
Central Provinces.													
1	Saugor	23,372	13,295	36,667	18,835	14,568	33,403	11,841	16,308	28,149	10,136	24,446	
2	Damoh	25,805	14,831	40,636	16,768	15,595	32,363	12,783	15,562	28,345	57,746	19,060	
3	Jabalpur	34,019	42,309	76,328	26,080	44,657	70,737	23,119	45,070	68,189	24,158	41,319	
4	Mandla	14,105	7,560	21,665	14,864	11,576	26,440	15,495	16,527	32,022	14,569	18,453	
5	Seoni	5,649	9,665	15,314	6,274	11,528	17,802	4,198	12,999	17,197	5,098	13,282	
6	Narsinghpur	21,799	11,992	33,791	26,174	13,529	39,703	22,515	14,400	36,915	20,449	14,707	
7	Hoshangabad	36,389	7,129	43,518	43,545	7,400	51,035	35,053	7,787	42,840	32,652	7,557	
8	Nimar	1,069	1,116	2,185	1,136	1,150	2,286	1,069	1,401	2,470	1,182	1,548	
9	Betul	8,532	3,714	12,246	9,661	3,967	13,628	8,499	4,983	13,482	9,737	7,429	
10	Chindwara	15,013	3,315	18,328	14,944	3,952	18,896	14,613	4,109	18,722	12,270	3,717	
11	Nagpur	8,923	5,549	14,472	9,551	7,238	16,789	7,756	8,522	16,278	8,941	8,656	
12	Chanda . . . . .	...	1,704	1,704	...	1,937	1,937	...	1,530	1,530	...	1,828
13	Bhandara	14,929	8,790	23,719	17,168	8,756	25,924	15,897	8,837	24,734	20,534	10,148	
14	Balaghat	36,394	11,390	47,784	37,894	11,911	49,805	28,744	12,362	41,106	36,308	13,472	
15	Raipur	47,209	18,498	65,707	44,833	21,364	66,197	40,909	22,955	63,864	43,069	25,694	
16	Bilaspur	52,270	67,793	120,063	47,400	75,693	123,093	44,957	80,856	125,813	41,813	87,226	
17	Sambalpur	875	174	1,049	871	...	871	800	71	871	992	...	
18	Wardha	1,995	647	2,642	2,029	431	2,460	851	505	1,356	1,636	674	
TOTAL CENTRAL PROV- INCES		348,347	229,411	577,758	338,027	255,342	593,369	289,099	274,784	563,883	341,290	299,216	
Burma.													
1	Meiktila	(not reported)	...	...	1,824	261	2,085	792	122	914	891	134
2	Myingyan	20,893	5,144	26,037	19,819	5,174	24,993	15,998	4,004	20,002	14,799	4,215	
3	Yamethin	(not reported)	...	...	...	274	274	...	259	259	...	235
TOTAL BURMA		20,893	5,144	26,037	21,643	5,709	27,352	16,790	4,385	21,175	15,690	4,584	

* Exclusive of 75,019 relieved from the Indian Charitable Relief Fund.

† Includes 4,119 gratuitously relieved on family domains of the Maharaja of Benares.

‡ There were also 16,018 persons employed on railway and other private work.

Return of the number of persons in receipt of relief in districts affected by scarcity—concluded.

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	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.
Berar.												
Akola	3,200	3,467	6,667	2,768	4,887	7,655	345	4,323	4,668	340	4,323	4,668
Basim	397	504	901	...	508	508	...	372	372	...	318	318
Ellichpur	1,948	2,191	4,139	1,910	3,023	4,933	2,384	2,894	5,278	1,576	2,784	4,360
Amraoti	330	437	767	461	445	906	8	347	355	(Not reported.)	1,040	1,040
Buldana	63	63	179	179
Wun	1,849	561	2,410	163	...	163	103	...	103	66	...	66
TOTAL BERAR	7,724	7,223	14,947	5,302	8,863	14,165	2,840	8,115	10,955	1,982	8,468	10,445
Hyderabad.												
Raichur	552	552	302	302
Naldurg	12,699*	1,007	13,706	17,427†	1,592	19,019	21,298§	216	21,514
Gulbarga
Lingsagar	758	758	...	773	773	1,041	1,041
Bir
Mahbubnagar	175	175	...	15	15	15,531	5,744	21,275	...	254	21,529
Hyderabad
Elgandal	1,853	1,853	...	1,248	1,248	397	1,645
Aurangabad	1,391	1,391	...	1,083	1,083
Nalgonda
TOTAL HYDERABAD	12,699	5,736	18,435	17,427	4,711	22,138	15,531	5,744	21,275	21,298	2,210	23,508
Central India.												
Bundelkhand	16,250	5,924	22,174	15,558	7,057	22,615	16,216	8,138	24,354	14,950	8,089	23,039
Baghelkhand	12,846	2,652	15,498	11,072	5,010	16,082	10,072	5,081	15,153	10,143	4,817	14,960
Gwalior	7,082	3,595	10,677	6,832	3,788	10,620	5,157	3,011	8,168	5,436	1,638	6,804
Bhopal	750	678	1,428	766	704	1,470
TOTAL CENTRAL INDIA	36,178	12,171	48,349	33,462	15,855	49,317	32,195	16,908	49,103	31,205	15,248	64,353
Rajputana.												
Marwar	1,113	1,113	...	1,098	1,098	1,034	1,034
Dholpur	433	504	937	344	417	761	453	407	860	158	369	1,219
Bikanir	98	98	...	79	79	...	79	79	...	74	153
Jaisalmir
Bhurlpur	374	374	...	374	374	...	251	251	...	196	470
Tonk	2,577	3,389	5,966	782	3,789	4,571	792	3,755	4,547	748	3,610	4,358
Deoli	8	8	...	8	8	...	8	16
Bundi	280	280	...	297	297	...	305	585
TOTAL RAJPUTANA	3,010	5,478	8,488	1,126	6,045	7,171	1,245	4,797	6,042	906	5,596	6,501
GRAND TOTAL FOR ALL PROVINCES	1,434,310	1,300,018	2,734,328	1,357,205	1,255,786	2,612,991	1,261,194	1,191,205	2,452,399	1,222,492	1,119,619	2,342,111

* Includes Gulbarga, Raichur, Naldurg, Lingsagar, Bir, Mahbubnagar, Hyderabad and Elgandal.

† Includes Gulbarga, Raichur, Naldurg, Lingsagar, Bir, Mahbubnagar, Hyderabad, Elgandal and Aurangabad.

‡ No details reported.

§ Includes Gulbarga, Raichur, Naldurg, Lingsagar, Bir, Mahbubnagar, Hyderabad, Elgandal, Aurangabad and Nalgonda.

|| Besides 1,853 on ordinary works.

The dates at the head of the table are the dates of the *Gazette of India* in which the Provincial totals were published. The figures how tally show the numbers on relief on each preceding Saturday. All previous returns should be read subject to a similar correction.

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Dated 18th September, 1897.

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
RAILWAY STATISTICS.**

STATEMENT OF APPROXIMATE GROSS EARNINGS OF INDIAN RAILWAYS FROM 1ST JULY TO 5TH SEPTEMBER 1896, AND FROM 1ST JULY TO 4TH SEPTEMBER 1897.

N.B.—As regards the figures in column Total Earnings from 1st July 1897, audited figures have been used as far as possible.

RAILWAY.	Average earnings per mile per week during the 2nd-half of 1896.	WEEK ENDING 5TH SEPTEMBER 1896.				WEEK ENDING 4TH SEPTEMBER 1897.				Earnings from 1st July to 5th September 1896.	Earnings from 1st July to 4th September 1897.	Increase.	Decrease.
		Mean mileage worked.	Earnings.		Mean mileage worked.	Earnings.							
			Total.	Per mile open per week.		Total.	Per mile open per week.						
State Lines worked by companies.	Rs.	Miles.	Rs.	Rs.	Miles.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
<i>Standard gauge—</i>													
East Indian	583	1,735	8,48,511	489	1,737	9,39,000	541	79,46,103	94,03,000	14,56,897	...	...
Bengal Central (a)	158	125	24,258	104	125	26,600	213	1,65,733	1,86,000	20,267	...	...
Bengal-Nagpur	118	862	80,228	93	862	74,000	86	6,91,195	7,59,000	67,805	...	...
Indian Midland (b)	133	752	85,990	114	752	93,700	125	7,80,378	10,48,000	2,67,622	...	...
Bezwa extn. (East Coast state)	116	21	2,834	136	21	2,600	124	19,636	20,000	9,364	...	...
Mad.-Ennur sec. (Bezwa-Mad.)	167	9	1,959	218	9	1,700	189	17,579	11,500	...	6,079	...	
<i>Metre gauge—</i>													
Rajputana-Malwa (c)	191	1,815	3,22,727	178	1,815	2,76,000	152	26,44,472	28,91,000	2,46,528	...	...
Palanpur-Deesa	45	17	474	28	17	400	24	4,807	4,100	...	...	70
South Indian	161	1,042	1,88,169	181	1,042	1,68,000	161	15,49,713	16,11,000	61,287	...	...
Máyavaram-Mutpet	89	54	4,980	92	54	4,900	91	46,117	48,100	1,983	...	...
Southern Mahratta (d)	109	1,165	1,28,538	110	1,165	1,59,000	136	10,14,812	15,10,000	4,95,188	...	...
Mysore sec. (Southern Mahratta)	102	296	28,748	97	296	41,000	139	2,42,053	3,76,000	1,33,947	...	...
Bengal and North-Western (e)	128	756	65,558	87	815	85,000	104	8,42,869	9,72,000	1,29,131	...	...
Lucknow-Bareilly	64	200	10,447	52	200	10,400	52	95,907	1,02,000	6,093	...	...
Assam-Bengal	57	159	7,377	46	238	13,700	58	83,866	1,04,000	20,134	...	...
Burma	145	886	1,09,581	124	886	99,000	112	10,01,837	10,82,000	80,163	...	...
TOTAL	218	9,894	19,10,399	193	10,034	19,95,000	199	1,71,47,077	2,01,36,700	29,89,623	...	...
State Lines worked by the State.													
<i>Standard gauge—</i>													
North Western (f)	198	2,656	4,82,003	181	2,883	6,67,000	231	45,02,308	56,22,000	11,12,692	...	...
Oudh and Rohilkhand (including the metre gauge link)	181	797	1,14,166	143	875	1,19,000	136	11,06,559	12,43,000	46,441	...	...
Eastern Bengal (including metre and 2' 6" gauges)	423	814	3,67,102	451	814	3,34,000	410	26,40,677	22,80,000	...	3,60,67	...	
East Coast	89	500	32,712	65	538	71,800	133	4,57,840	5,82,000	1,24,154	...	...
<i>Special gauges—</i>													
Jorhat	87	25	2,151	86	25	1,200	48	20,236	17,200	...	3,03	...	
Cherra-Companyganj	60	...	...	...	...	(g)	...	...	(g)	...	...	...
TOTAL	221	4,792	9,98,134	208	5,135	11,03,000	232	88,24,626	97,44,200	9,19,574	...	...
Lines worked by guaranteed cos.													
<i>Standard gauge—</i>													
Great Indian Peninsula (h)	348	1,490	4,61,723	310	1,491	4,47,000	300	40,60,174	41,49,000	88,826	...	...
Bombay, Baroda and Central India	542	461	2,52,054	548	461	1,91,000	414	18,71,480	20,38,000	1,66,520	...	...
Madras	248	840	1,99,037	237	840	2,23,000	265	19,12,804	21,84,000	2,71,196	...	...
TOTAL	350	2,791	9,13,414	327	2,792	8,61,000	308	78,44,458	83,71,000	5,26,542	...	...
TOTAL (GUARANTEED AND STATE)	240	17,477	38,21,947	219	17,961	40,49,000	225	3,38,16,161	3,82,51,900	44,35,739	...	...
Assisted companies.													
<i>Standard gauge—</i>													
Delhi-Umballa-Kalka	157	160	20,210	126	160	25,700	161	1,08,617	2,59,000	60,383	...	...
Tarkessur	242	22	4,871	221	22	4,500	205	4,599	46,000	...	2,59	...	
<i>Metre gauge—</i>													
Rohilkund and Kumaon (Coy.'s sec.)	120	66	7,086	107	66	25,200	382	69,633	80,800	11,167	...	...
Bengal-Dooars	176	36	0,661	185	36	3,900	108	58,059	63,800	5,741	...	...
Dibru-Sadiya	161	78	12,170	156	78	14,600	187	1,70,499	1,48,000	37,501	...	...
Ahmedabad-Parantij . . . . .	...	...	...	...	41	1,200	29	...	15,400	15,400	...	...
<i>Special gauge—</i>													
Darjeeling-Himalayan	288	51	12,941	254	51	13,000	255	1,33,454	1,36,000	2,546	...	...
TOTAL	174	413	63,948	155	454	88,100	194	5,18,561	7,49,000	1,30,139	...	...
Lines owned by native states and worked by other agencies.													
<i>Standard gauge—</i>													
Bina-Goonna	27	74	1,755	24	74	900	12	15,579	10,800	...	4,77	...	
Bhopal-Ujjain	80	114	10,852	95	114	3,900	34	88,282	44,500	...	43,78	...	
Nagda-Ujjain	49	34	2,051	78	35	700	20	113,636	10,400	...	3,23	...	
The Nizam's guaranteed state	181	333	65,576	197	334	63,000	189	5,02,501	6,25,000	1,22,499	...	...
The Gaekwar's Petlad	111	13	1,244	96	13	700	54	10,800	8,400	...	2,40	...	
Rajpura-Bhatinda	135	108	14,877	138	108	15,600	144	1,79,795	95,300	...	84,46	...	
Kolar Gold-fields	377	10	3,766	377	10	3,300	330	32,229	36,700	4,471	...	...
<i>Metre gauge—</i>													
Yesvantpur-Mysore Fron. including Mysore-Nanjangud	80	66	4,691	71	66	6,700	102	47,967	66,500	18,533	...	...
The Gaekwar's Mchšana	65	93	0,021	65	93	5,400	58	44,241	47,400	3,159	...	...
Kolhapur	74	29	2,167	75	29	2,300	79	18,174	22,000	3,826	...	...
<i>Special gauges—</i>													
The Gaekwar's Dabhoi	49	72	3,200	44	79	3,100	39	24,141	30,500	6,359	...	...
Ankleswar-Pardi section (Rajpipla) . . . . .	...	...	...	...	19	200	11	...	2,100	...	...	...
Cooch Behar	56	22	1,216	55	22	700	32	9,049	5,800	...	3,24	...	
TOTAL	115	968	1,18,016	122	996	1,06,500	107	9,86,364	10,05,400	19,036	...	...
Lines owned & worked by n. states													
<i>Metre gauge—</i>													
Bhavnagar-Gondal-Junagarh-Porbandr.	84	334	22,479	67	334	20,000	60	2,04,859	2,04,000	...	85	...	
Jetalsar-Rajkot	76	46	2,735	59	46	3,700	80	26,181	31,100	4,919	...	...
Jamnagar . . . . .	...	...	...	...	51	2,300	45	...	19,900	...	...	...
Jodhpur-Bickaneer	61	364	20,903	57	364	15,100	41	1,55,856	1,71,000	15,144	...	...
Odeypore-Chitor	43	60	3,733	62	60	3,200	53	24,001	21,200	...	2,80	...	
<i>Special gauge—Morvi</i>	70	94	7,219	77	94	8,500	90	54,496	60,100	5,604	...	...
TOTAL	70	898	57,069	64	949	52,800	56	4,65,393	5,07,300	41,907	...	...
GRAND TOTAL	225	19,756	40,60,980	206	20,360	42,96,400	211	3,58,86,779	4,05,13,600	46,26,821	...	...

(a) Although for convenience classed amongst state railways, this line is the property of the Bengal Central Railway Company.
(b) Includes the Bhopal-Ujjain railway.
(c) Includes the Godhra-Rutlam-Nagda railway.
(d) Includes the Guntakal-Mysore frontier section.
(e) Includes the Tirhoot state railway. Although for convenience classed amongst state railways, the company's section of this line is the property of the Bengal and North-Western Railway Company.

(f) Includes the Jammu and Kashmir and the Hyderabad-Sha-palli railways.
(g) Information not received.
(h) Includes the Wardha Coal, the Dhond-Manmad, the Khámga and the Amratoti railways.
(i) Total earnings from the 15th July to the 5th September 1896.

G. A. ANDERSON.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
RAILWAY STATISTICS.

No. XXI of 1897-98.

STATEMENT OF APPROXIMATE GROSS EARNINGS OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

N.B.—As regards the figures in column *Total earnings from 1st April 1897*, audited figures have been used as far as possible.

RAILWAY.	Average earnings per mile per week in 1896-97.	WEEK ENDING 5TH SEPTEMBER 1896.				WEEK ENDING 4TH SEPTEMBER 1897.				Earnings from 1st April to 5th September 1896.	Earnings from 1st April to 4th September 1897.	Increase.	Decrease.
		Mean mileage worked.	Earnings.		Mean mileage worked.	Earnings.							
			Total.	Per mile open per week.		Total.	Per mile open per week.						
Rs.	Miles.	Rs.	Rs.	Miles.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
State lines worked by companies.													
Standard gauge—													
East Indian	605	1,735	8,48,511	489	1,737	9,39,000	541	2,08,17,756	2,43,06,000	34,88,244	...	...
Bengal Central (a)	146	125	24,258	194	125	26,600	213	3,73,820	4,11,000	37,180	...	...
Bengal-Nágpur	137	861	80,228	93	862	74,000	86	22,59,171	24,00,000	1,40,829	...	...
Indian Midland (b)	139	752	85,990	114	752	93,700	125	21,43,146	26,84,000	5,40,854	...	...
Bezwada extn. (East Coast state)	134	21	2,854	136	21	2,600	124	56,679	64,000	7,321	...	...
Mad.-Ennur sec. (Bezwada-Mad.)	163	9	1,959	218	9	1,700	189	34,372	27,900	...	6,472	...	
Metre gauge—													
Rajputana-Malwa (c)	211	1,815	3,22,727	178	1,815	2,76,000	152	8,43,867	79,63,000	...	4,75,667	...	
Pálanpur-Deesa	58	17	474	28	17	400	24	25,798	18,100	...	7,698	...	
South Indian	165	1,042	1,88,109	181	1,042	1,68,000	161	39,83,953	40,26,000	42,047	...	...
Máyavaram-Mutupet	91	54	4,980	92	54	4,900	91	1,15,886	1,17,000	1,414	...	...
Southern Mahratta (d)	116	1,165	1,28,538	110	1,165	1,59,000	136	30,70,691	35,74,000	5,03,309	...	...
Mysore sec. (Southern Mahratta)	103	296	28,748	97	296	41,000	139	6,45,080	8,72,000	2,26,920	...	...
Bengal and North-Western (e)	140	756	65,558	87	815	85,000	104	24,55,095	28,12,000	3,56,905	...	...
Lucknow-Barcilly	70	200	10,447	52	200	10,400	52	3,28,956	3,63,000	34,044	...	...
Assam-Bengal	61	159	7,377	46	238	13,700	58	2,37,742	3,46,000	1,08,258	...	...
Burma	176	886	1,09,581	124	886	99,000	112	28,63,316	33,26,000	4,62,684	...	...
TOTAL	231	9,894	19,910,399	193	10,034	19,951,000	199	4,78,50,728	5,33,10,000	54,59,272	...	...
State lines worked by the State.													
Standard gauge—													
North Western (f)	211	2,656	4,82,003	181	2,883	6,67,000	231	1,21,23,233	1,28,30,000	7,06,767	...	...
Oudh and Rohilkhand (including the metre gauge link)	193	797	1,14,166	143	875	1,19,000	136	35,39,539	36,68,000	1,28,461	...	...
Eastern Bengal (including metre and 2' 6" gauges)	354	814	3,67,102	451	814	3,34,000	410	55,47,216	51,26,000	...	4,21,216	...	
East Coast	94	500	32,712	65	538	71,800	133	11,18,897	12,61,000	1,42,103	...	...
Special gauges—													
Jorhát	73	25	2,151	86	25	1,200	48	40,183	43,700	3,517	...	...
Cherra-Companyganj	61	...	...	...	...	(g)	...	(h) 5,058	(i) 14,200	...	858	...
TOTAL	219	4,792	9,98,134	208	5,135	11,93,000	232	2,23,74,126	2,29,32,900	5,58,774	...	...
Lines worked by guaranteed cos.													
Standard gauge—													
Great Indian Peninsula (j)	407	1,490	4,61,723	310	1,491	4,47,000	300	1,38,60,612	1,15,36,000	...	23,24,612	...	
Bombay, Baroda and Central India	630	461	2,52,054	548	461	1,91,000	414	68,94,310	65,26,000	...	3,68,310	...	
Madras	253	840	1,99,037	237	840	2,23,000	265	47,38,808	51,90,000	4,51,192	...	...
TOTAL	397	2,791	9,13,814	327	2,792	8,61,000	309	2,54,93,730	2,32,52,000	...	22,41,730	...	
TOTAL (GUARANTEED AND STATE) .													
Assisted companies.	254	17,477	38,21,947	219	17,961	40,49,000	225	9,57,18,584	9,94,94,900	37,76,316	...	...
Standard gauge—													
Delhi-Umballa-Kalka	157	160	20,219	126	160	25,700	161	5,28,960	6,08,000	79,040	...	...
Tarkessur	273	22	4,871	221	22	4,500	205	1,37,544	1,37,000	...	544	...	
Metre gauge—													
Rohilkund and Kumaon (Coy.'s sec.)	131	66	7,086	107	66	25,200	382	2,14,148	1,89,000	...	25,148	...	
Bengal-Dooars	146	36	6,661	185	36	3,900	108	1,14,613	1,02,000	...	6,613	...	
Dibru-Sadiya	167	78	12,170	156	78	14,600	187	2,73,946	3,51,000	77,054	...	...
Ahmedabad-Parántij . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	1,200	29	...	(k) 31,800	...	...	...
Special gauge—													
Darjeeling-Himalayan	287	51	12,941	254	51	13,000	255	3,65,415	3,44,000	...	21,415	...	
TOTAL	176	413	63,948	155	454	88,100	194	16,34,626	17,68,800	1,34,174	...	...
Lines owned by native states and worked by other agencies.													
Standard gauge—													
Bina-Gooná	28	74	1,755	24	74	900	12	39,334	43,800	4,466	...	...
Bhopal-Ujjain	80	114	10,852	95	114	3,900	34	2,06,556	1,45,000	...	61,556	...	
Nágdá-Ujjain	53	34	2,651	78	35	700	20	(l) 13,936	47,000	33,364	...	...
The Nizam's guaranteed state	191	333	65,576	197	334	63,000	189	13,29,017	14,70,000	1,40,983	...	...
The Gaekwar's Petlád-.	159	13	1,244	96	13	700	54	69,849	30,500	...	39,349	...	
Rájpura-Bhátinda	159	108	14,877	138	108	15,600	144	5,15,717	3,09,000	...	2,06,717	...	
Kolar Gold-fields	330	10	3,766	377	10	3,300	330	66,697	83,200	16,503	...	...
Metre gauge—													
Yesvantpur Mysore Fron. including Mysore-Nanjangúd	77	66	4,691	71	66	6,700	102	1,09,485	1,41,000	31,515	...	...
The Gaekwar's Mehsána	85	93	6,021	65	93	5,400	58	2,21,048	1,53,000	...	68,048	...	
Kolhápúr	76	29	2,167	75	29	2,300	79	51,183	52,000	817	...	...
Special gauges—													
The Gaekwar's Dabhoi	63	72	3,200	44	79	3,100	39	1,06,618	99,100	...	7,518	...	
Anklesvar-Párdi section (Rajpipla) . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	200	11	...	(m) 2,100	2,100	...	...
Cooch Behar	63	22	1,216	55	22	700	32	27,564	23,400	...	4,164	...	
TOTAL	125	968	1,18,016	122	996	1,06,500	107	27,56,204	25,99,100	...	1,57,104	...	
Lines owned & worked by n. states													
Metre gauge—													
Bhávnapar-Gondal-Junágarh-Porbdr.	108	334	22,479	67	334	20,000	60	8,10,335	7,60,000	...	50,335	...	
Jetalpur-Rájkot	81	46	2,735	59	46	3,700	80	77,866	84,700	6,834	...	...
Jámnapar . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	2,300	45	...	(n) 49,900	49,900	...	...
Jodhpur-Bickaneer	67	364	20,993	57	364	15,100	41	4,85,632	5,10,000	24,368	...	...
Oodeypore-Chitor	42	60	3,733	62	60	3,200	53	57,263	52,600	...	4,663	...	
Special gauge—Morvi	78	94	7,219	77	94	8,500	90	1,73,529	1,69,000	...	4,529	...	
TOTAL	82	898	57,069	64	940	52,800	56	16,04,625	16,26,200	21,575	...	...
GRAND TOTAL													
	239	19,756	40,60,980	206	20,360	42,06,400	211	10,17,14,039	10,54,89,000	37,74,961	

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(k) Total earnings from the 1st May to the 4th September 1897.
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GAZETTE OF INDIA.

NOTICE.

The 13th March, 1897.

From the 3rd April next, till further notice, Parts I, IV, V and VI of the *Gazette of India*, and the Weather and Crop Report will be published at Simla. After the 27th March all Notifications and other matter intended for publication in those parts should be addressed to the Official Printing Publisher at Simla.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

INVENTIONS and DESIGNS.

Calcutta, the 16th September 1897.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2664 P.—APPLICATIONS in respect of the undermentioned inventions have been filed, under the provisions of the Inventions and Designs Act of 1888, in the office of the Secretary appointed under that Act during the week ending 11th September 1897:—

- No. 350 of 1897.—Gavin Sibbald Jones, engineer, of 20 south street, South Kensington, London, for improvements in apparatus for raising water and other materials.
- No. 351 of 1897.—Edward Smith, manufacturers, agent, of 42 Well street, Bradford, in the county of York, for improvements in the method of an apparatus for weaving fabrics.
- No. 352 of 1897.—Arthur Hills Gleadows Newcomen, merchant, Cawnpore, North-Western Provinces, for improvements in cavalry saddles.
- No. 353 of 1897.—John Harper and Frank Harrison, engineers, of 99 Clive street, Calcutta, for an apparatus for grinding and granulating mineral salt, sugar, and the like, but more especially intended for reducing them to the required fineness without grinding them into flour.
- No. 354 of 1897.—Khursedji Byramji Bharda, engineer, residing at Tardeo, opposite to Nana Sunker's temple, Bombay, for a paper file hanger.
- No. 355 of 1897.—John Goodfellow, analytical chemist, of 198 High road, Leyton, in the county of Essex, for the manufacture of nutritious products from yeast.
- No. 356 of 1897.—Herman Hendriks, gentleman, of 58 Lombard street, in the city of London, for improvements in cigar-making machines.

No. 2665 P.—SPECIFICATIONS of the undermentioned inventions have been filed, under the provisions of the Inventions and Designs Act of 1888, in the office of the Secretary appointed under that Act, and copies have been sent to the Governments of Fort St. George, Bombay, and Burma, and the Director of the department of land records and agriculture, North-Western Provinces and Oudh. These and other specifications are open to public inspection, from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M., at the Secretary's office (Imperial Secretariat, Government Place, West, Calcutta), on payment of a fee of one rupee, and a certified copy of any one of them will be supplied on payment of the fixed expenses of copying:—

- No. 276 of 1896.—Adolf Gutensohn, metallurgist, of London, for an improved process and means used therein for the disintegration of quartz and similar minerals. (Specification filed 7 June 1897.)
- No. 15 of 1897.—James Shennan Kirkpatrick, railway officer, of 2 Commercial chambers, Manse street, Dunedin, in the colony of New Zealand, for an improved starting interlocking block semaphore. (Specification filed 8 September 1897.)
- No. 47 of 1897.—Thomas Crisp Sanderson, chemical engineer, of Upton Manor, London, for improvements in apparatus for drying whitelead, colours, and other powdery, granular or nodular substances. (Specification filed 6 September 1897.)
- No. 53 of 1897.—Charles James Grist, electrical engineer, of 20 Gracechurch street, in the city of London, for improvements in the manufacture of water proofing coating compositions for wearing apparel, covers, engine and other packings, acid tank linings, and for other uses. (Specification filed 6 September 1897.)

- No. 54 of 1897.—Charles James, Grist, electrical engineer, of 20 Gracechurch street, in the city of London, for improvements in the manufacture of insulating compositions for electrical purposes. (Specification filed 6 September 1897.)
- No. 66 of 1897.—Thomas Holliday, manufacturing chemist, of Edgerton, Huddersfield, in the county of York, for improvements in means or apparatus for use in the production, storing, and application of acetylenè gas. (Specification filed 6 September 1897.)
- No. 117 of 1897.—John Mervyn Wrench, chief engineer, Indian Midland Railway company, Jhansi, for a cheap and improved system of interlocking points and signals at small road side stations. (Specification filed 5 July 1897.)
- No. 156 of 1897.—John Alston Hart, engineer, of Higher bank, Adelaide terrace, Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, for improvements in apparatus for ventilating and for purifying, humidifying and otherwise conditioning air. (Specification filed 3 August 1897.)

No. 2666 P.—THE fees prescribed in Schedule 4 of Act V of 1888 have been paid for the continuance of exclusive privilege in respect of the undermentioned inventions for the periods shown against each :—

- No. 23 of 1888.—William Blizard Williamson and George Henry Williamson's invention for improvements in metallic boxes or cases for storing articles of food, tobacco, snuff, and paint, and for other like purposes. (From 5 September 1897 to 5 September 1898.)
- No. 24 of 1888.—William Blizard Williamson and George Henry Williamson's invention for improvements in metallic boxes or cases for storing articles of food, tobacco, snuff, and paint, and for other like purposes. (From 5 September 1897 to 5 September 1898.)
- No. 230 of 1889.—William Anderson's invention for improvements in apparatus for purifying water. (From 26 September 1897 to 26 September 1898.)
- No. 54 of 1890.—Carl Olof Lundholm and Joseph Sayer's invention for improvements in making and applying explosives. (From 11 September 1897 to 11 September 1898.)
- No. 211 of 1890.—John Evelyn Liardet's invention for improvements in water motors. (From 29 August 1897 to 29 August 1898.)
- No. 269 of 1890.—Alfred Nobel's invention for improvements in the preparation of explosive compounds. (From 6 October 1897 to 6 October 1898.)
- No. 93 of 1891.—Charles Challiner's invention for improvements in noiseless tyres for wheels, and in the means for securing the same. (From 14 September 1897 to 14 September 1898.)
- No. 107 of 1891.—John Hildred Carlisle's invention for improvements in presses for baling or compressing cotton and other fibrous materials and substances. (From 10 September 1897 to 10 September 1898.)
- No. 169 of 1891.—Alfred Nobel's invention for improvements in the preparation and application of explosive compounds. (From 6 October 1897 to 6 October 1898.)
- No. 170 of 1891.—Alfred Nobel's invention for improvements in the preparation of explosive compounds. (From 6 October 1897 to 6 October 1898.)
- No. 34 of 1892.—James Cockle Coxe's invention for a combined improved punkah and punkah-pulling machine. (From 6 September 1897 to 6 September 1898.)

No. 2667 P.—WHEREAS the inventors of the undermentioned inventions have respectively failed to pay, within the time limited in that behalf by the fourth schedule to the Inventions and Designs Act (V of 1888), the fees hereinafter respectively mentioned, it is hereby notified that under the provisions of section 8, sub-section (2), of the said Act, the exclusive privilege of making, selling and using the said inventions in British India and of authorising others so to do has ceased :—

- No. 161 of 1892.—Alfred Horatio Bell Sharpe's invention for combined steam boilers and air heaters for tea drying and other drying purposes. (Specification filed 5 June 1893.)

No. 33 of 1893.—Joseph Birdus Smith Booth and Erpest James Falconer's invention for improvements in telephones. (Specification filed 7 June 1893.)

Fee in respect of the continuance of an exclusive privilege—

4 (a) After the filing of the specification and before the expiration of the fourth year from the date of the filing thereof—

The sum of Rs 50 for each of the said inventions.

No. 108 of 1892.—Frederick James Mockler's invention for a removable spring cover for cups, jugs and other vessels. (Specification filed 6 June 1892.)

Fee in respect of the continuance of an exclusive privilege—

(4) (b) After the expiration of the fourth year and before the expiration of the fifth year from the date of the filing of the specification—

The sum of Rs 50 for the said invention.

NOTICES.

All communications relating to Act V (the Inventions and Designs Act) of 1888 should be addressed to the "Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Revenue and Agriculture (PATENTS BRANCH), CALCUTTA."

The office of the Secretary under the Act is open for the transaction of business from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M. on all days except Sundays and gazetted holidays.

The Government of India are advised that as trade marks are not "designs" within the meaning of the Act, they cannot be registered under Part II.

The fees payable under the fourth and sixth schedules are now collected in cash, and applicants are warned that they must be responsible for any delay in cashing cheques.

Copies of the weekly notifications, and of the quarterly lists, of applications and specifications filed in the Secretary's office are now on sale to the public at one anna and eight annas a copy respectively.

Attention is requested to the rules made by the Government on the 10th October, 1895, in regard to the preparation of applications, specifications and drawings.

All applications made under the Inventions and Designs Act, V of 1888, will from this date (December 19th, 1896) lie in the visitors' room of the Patents Office for ten days from the date of the *Gazette of India* in which their filing may have been notified; or, if the tenth day is a holiday, till the evening of the office day next following.

At the time of delivering or sending an application for leave to file a specification, the applicant shall cause a duplicate copy of the application to be delivered or sent therewith to the Secretary.

A. T. PRINGLE,
*Offg. Secy. under the Inventions and
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K. D. ERSKINE, Captain,
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ORDERS BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

1. The following books, Acts and Regulations have been prescribed for the B. L. Examination in 1900:—

1. The principles of Jurisprudence; the History and Constitution of the Courts of Law and Legislative Authorities in India.

2. The law relating to Persons in their Public and Private Capacities, including the Law of Testamentary Succession.

3. The Law of Property, including the Law relating to Land Tenures and the Revenue Laws.

4. The Law of Property, including the Laws of Transfer, Prescription, and Pre-emption.

5. The Law of Contracts and Torts.

6. The Law of Crimes and Criminal Procedure.

7. The Law of Civil Procedure, including the Law of Evidence and the Law of Limitation.

8. The Hindu Law and the Muhammadan Law (with the exception of parts already included), and the Law of Intestate Succession.

Maine's Ancient Law; Markby's Elements of Law (third edition); Holland's Elements of Jurisprudence; Cowell's Tagore Law Lectures, 1872.

Stephen's Blackstone, Book I, Book III, Chapters 1—4, Book IV, Part I, Chapters 2 and 6; Act IX of 1875 (Majority); Act VIII of 1890 (Guardians and Wards); Act IX of 1879 (B.C.), Parts I, II, and VII; Act III of 1881 (B.C.) (Court of Wards); Act III of 1872 (Civil Marriage); Act X of 1865 (Succession Act), except Parts III—V, XXX, XXXI, and XXXV—XL; Act XXI of 1870 (Hindu Wills Act), except the portions of the Indian Succession Act omitted from the study of that Act; Act V of 1881 (Probate); Act VII of 1889 (Succession Certificate); Mayne's Hindu Law and Usage, Chapter XI (Wills); Ameer Ali's Student's Manual of Muhammadan Law, 2nd edition, Part III, Chapter III (Wills).

Stephen's Blackstone, Book II, Introduction, and Part I, Chapters 3—9, 15, 16, 20, and 23, and Book II, Part II, Chapters 1, 2, and 4; or Nelson's Law of Property, omitting Chapters 3—14, 16—18; Regulations I, VIII, XII, (Sections 1—7), and XXXVII (Sections 1—6, 10, 12, 15) of 1793; Regulation VIII of 1819; Regulation XI of 1825; Act XI of 1859, omitting Sections 4, 16, 40—52, and 56—62; Act VII of 1880 (B.C.), Act VIII of 1885, omitting Sections 2, 31—36, 39, 56—60, 62—64, 69—71, 76—83, 93—158, and 186—196; Act VIII of 1876 (B.C.), Sections 8—16, 87—98; Act IV of 1893 (Partition Act).

Act IV of 1882 (Transfer of Property Act), Act III of 1877 (Registration Act), Part I; Section 3, Parts III, IV, VI, X, and XII. Act XV of 1877, Sections 26—28 (Prescription); Upendra Nath Mitra's Indian Law of Prescription and Easements; Golap Chandra Sarker's Hindu Law, Chapter 14 (Endowment); Ameer Ali's Student's Manual of Muhammadan Law, 2nd edition, Part III, Chapters I, II, and IV (Gift, *Wakf* and Pre-emption); Snell's Principles of Equity, Part I, Part II, Chapters I—VI. Anson's Law of Contract; Pollock's Law of Torts, Chapters 1—5, 7, and 9—10; Act IX of 1872; Act I of 1877.

The Indian Penal Code (Act XLV of 1860), the whole of Chapters 1—5 and such portions of Chapters 6—23 as do not relate exclusively to the amount of punishment to be inflicted for an offence; the Code of Criminal Procedure (Act X of 1882), except Parts 5, 8, and Chapters 38—40, 42—43, and 46.

Best's Principles of the Law of Evidence, Introduction, Book I and Book IV; the Code of Civil Procedure (Act XIV of 1882), Chapters 1—12, 15—22, 30—31, 33, 35—37, 40—43, 45—47; the Evidence Act (Act I of 1872); the Limitation Act (Act XV of 1877), omitting Sections 26—28 and Schedule II.

Mitakshara, Chapter I, Sections I—V, Chapter II, Sections I—X; Dayabhaga, Chapters I, II, V, XI; Mayne's Hindu Law and Usage, omitting Chapters 1—3, 6—7, 11—13, 20—21; Jogendra Nath Bhattacharyya's Commentaries on Hindu Law, Part II; Golap Chandra Sarker's Hindu Law, Chapters 1—2, 12—13, 15; Sirajiya (except the details as to succession of distant kindred); Ameer Ali's Student's Manual of Muhammadan Law, 2nd edition, Parts I and II; Act X of 1865 (Succession Act), Parts III—V.

NOTE.—In the list of text-books for the B. L. Examination, when any Act is named, it is to be understood to mean that Act with all subsequent amendments.

SENATE HOUSE, the 10th September 1897,

J. H. GILLILAND, Registrar.

BANK OF BENGAL.*Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 14th September, 1897.*

LIABILITIES.				ASSETS.			
	R	a.	p.		R	a.	p.
Capital paid-up	2,00,00,000	0	0	Government Securities	61,26,230	0	0
Reserve Fund	80,00,000	0	0	Other authorised Investments	78,84,032	11	0
Public Deposits at Head Office . 61,88,915	7	4	1,13,75,216	Loans on Government and other authorised Securities	1,51,32,878	5	0
Public Deposits at Branches . 51,86,301	0	8		Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorised Securities	2,06,49,020	7	2
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	5,59,80,895	12	8	Bills discounted and purchased	1,41,13,577	3	5
Bank Post Bills, etc.	6,59,134	10	7	Balances with other Banks	1,00,498	1	8
Sundries	21,63,794	5	8	Bullion	2,896	11	0
RUPEES	9,81,79,042	4	11	Dead Stock	13,35,839	7	5
				Stamps	7,855	10	9
				Sundries	11,16,340	11	3
					6,65,69,219	4	8
				R	a.	p.	
				Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office . 1,56,07,127	15	6	3,16,09,823
				Cash and Currency Notes at Branches . 1,60,02,695	0	9	
				RUPEES	9,81,79,042	4	11

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 16th September, 1897.

E. J. BIRCH,
Offg. Chief Accountant.
Rate for Demand Loans 6 per cent.
Percentage 45·04.

By order of the Directors,
W. D. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.

ADMINISTRATOR GENERAL OF BENGAL.*Notice of death sent to the Administrator General of Bengal under Section 64 of Act II of 1874.*

Name of deceased.	Place of death.	Date of death.	By whom death reported and when.	REMARKS.
Archibald Hilton Taylor	At the Steamer Station Ghat of Goalpara.	18th July, 1897 .	The Officiating Judge of the Assam Valley Districts, on 30th August, 1897.	Deceased was a Telegraph Signaller. No Will found. No application.
Harry Cox	Eden Sanitarium, Darjeeling.	26th August, 1897 .	The District Judge of Dinajpore, on 30th August, 1897.	Deceased left a Will, which is in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Darjeeling. Mr. Richard L. Marden, one of the Executors, applied on 27th ultimo to the District delegate of Darjeeling for Probate, and 10th September has been fixed for its disposal.
R. Love	Multan	30th August, 1897 .	The District Judge of Multan, on 31st August, 1897.	Deceased was of the Bengal Civil Service and late Deputy Commissioner of Muzaffargarh District in Punjab. No Will found. No application.

L. P. D. BROUGHTON,
Administrator General of Bengal.

7, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET;
Calcutta, the 17th September, 1897.

COMPTROLLER GENERAL'S OFFICE, The Treasury.

NOTICE.

Calcutta, the 28th August, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the Public Debt Office and the Government Account Department at the Bank of Bengal will be opened for the transaction of business and the receipt and payment of money on Government account on the following days during the Durga Puja holidays :—

30th September and 1st, 6th, 7th, 8th and 9th October, 1897.

The Paper Currency Office at Calcutta and the Comptroller General's Office will be open on the above dates.

O. T. BARROW,

Offg. Comptroller General.

OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER AND AUDITOR GENERAL, The Treasury.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 15th September, 1897.

RATE OF EXCHANGE COMPENSATION ALLOWANCE.

No. 1217.—Under Rule 8 of the Rules published with Government of India, Finance and Commerce Department, No. 3624-A., dated 18th August, 1893, it is hereby notified for general information that the market rate of exchange for the third quarter of 1897-98 has been fixed at $1s. 3\frac{1}{8}d.$, the percentage of salary admissible on account of Exchange Compensation Allowance in that quarter being R8-12-5 approximately.

O. T. BARROW,

Offg. Comptroller General.

BANK OF BENGAL.

NOTICE.

Mr. H. S. Lemon having been granted short leave, Mr. H. Gray will officiate as Deputy Secretary and Treasurer during his absence, or until further orders.

By Order of the Directors,

W. D. CRUICKSHANK,

Secretary and Treasurer.

BANK OF BENGAL;

Calcutta, 15th September, 1897.

TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 8th September, 1897.

No. 17.—Offices reported opened and closed during August, 1897 :—

Name of Office.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
<i>Government Telegraph Offices.</i>			
		1897.	
Abazai (Field Office).	North-West Frontier.	20th Aug.	Opened.
Adozai (Field Office).	North-West Frontier.	18th "	Ditto.
Amandara (Field Office).	Malakand Field Force.	8th "	Ditto.
Amandara (Field Office).	Malakand Field Force.	16th "	Closed.
Anantnag (Islamabad)*.	Kashmir . . .	1st "	Opened.
Badani . . .	Upper Sind Frontier.	31st "	Ditto.
Banihal* . . .	Kashmir . . .	1st "	Ditto.
Bara (Field Office).	North-West Frontier.	22nd "	Ditto.
Baragali . . .	Punjab . . .	3rd "	Closed.
Basti City . . .	Oudh . . .	28th "	Opened.
Batote* . . .	Kashmir . . .	1st "	Ditto.
Jalala (Field Office).	Malakand Field Force.	9th "	Ditto.
Jampur . . .	Punjab . . .	10th "	Ditto.
Jummoo* . . .	Kashmir . . .	1st "	Ditto.
Khar (Field Office).	Malakand Field Force.	16th "	Ditto.
Kondanoor . . .	Madras . . .	6th "	Ditto.
Mahlaing† . . .	Burma . . .	15th "	Closed.
Malabar Point . . .	Bombay . . .	19th "	Opened.
Malabar Point . . .	Bombay . . .	23rd "	Closed.
Malakand Kotai (Field Office).	Malakand Field Force.	8th "	Opened.
Michni (Field Office).	North-West Frontier.	26th "	Ditto.
Mutupet . . .	Madras . . .	8th "	Ditto.
Palladam . . .	Madras . . .	14th "	Ditto.
Pallatur . . .	Madras . . .	6th "	Ditto.
Panadura . . .	Ceylon . . .	2nd "	Ditto.
Ramban* . . .	Kashmir . . .	1st "	Ditto.
Rawal Pindi West Ridge.	Punjab . . .	13th "	Ditto.
Riasi* . . .	Kashmir . . .	1st "	Ditto.
Shabkadar (Field Office).	North-West Frontier.	16th "	Ditto.
Srinagar City* . . .	Kashmir . . .	1st "	Ditto.
Tiruturaipundi . . .	Madras . . .	8th "	Ditto.
Udhanipur* . . .	Kashmir . . .	1st "	Ditto.
Verinag* . . .	Kashmir . . .	1st "	Ditto.
Youzint . . .	Burma . . .	15th "	Ditto.

Railway Telegraph Offices.

Boredra . . .	Rajpipla Railway	1st Aug.	Opened.
Jhagadia . . .	Rajpipla Railway	1st "	Ditto.
Rajpardi . . .	Rajpipla Railway	1st "	Ditto.

* Offices worked by the Kashmir State.
† Opened in connection with Famine relief.

J. J. ALLEN,
Director, Traffic Branch.

DIRECTOR-GENERAL, INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 11th September, 1897.

No. 56.—Dr. D. M. Sangley is temporarily engaged for plague duty on the terms laid down in Home Department letter No. 372 (Medical), dated the 26th April, 1897, and his services are

placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Foreign Department.

Dr. D. M. Sangley assumed charge of his duties at Sutna, on the afternoon of the 28th August, 1897.

The 13th September, 1897.

No. 57.—Dr. G. E. Claxton is temporarily engaged for plague duty, on the terms laid down in Home Department letter No. 372 (Medical), dated the 26th April, 1897, and his services are placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Foreign Department.

Dr. G. E. Claxton assumed charge of his duties at Bandikori, on the forenoon of the 28th August, 1897.

JAMES CLEGHORN, M.D.,

Director-General, Indian Medical Services.

**AGENT TO THE GOVR.-GENERAL
AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER
IN BALUCHISTAN.**

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 8th September, 1897.

No. 5572.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 22 of the Criminal Procedure Code, and in supersession of this office Notification No. 4153, dated the 2nd July, 1897, the Chief Commissioner of British Baluchistan is pleased to appoint Lieutenant C. B. Winter, Assistant Commissioner in the Thal-Chotiali District, to be a Justice of the Peace within and for British Baluchistan.

By Order,

F. MACDONALD, Captain,
First Assistant.

**AGENT TO THE GOVR.-GENERAL.
IN BALUCHISTAN.**

NOTIFICATIONS.

Quetta, the 11th September, 1897.

No. 5667.—With reference to this Office Notification No. 3630, dated the 12th June, 1897, Veterinary Captain H. M. Maxwell, on return from privilege leave, assumed charge of his duties as Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department in Baluchistan, in the forenoon of the 1st September, 1897.

No. 5670.—Lala Jamiat Rai, Head Clerk in the Office of the Political Agent, Quetta-Pishin, is appointed to officiate as Native Assistant to the Governor General's Agent in the Bolan Pass, on probation, with effect from the date of assuming charge, *vice* Lala Bhag Mall, who reverts to his substantive appointment as Head Clerk in the Office of the Political Agent in Zhob.

By Order,

F. MACDONALD, Captain,
First Assistant.

**NORTHERN INDIA SALT REVENUE
DEPARTMENT.**

NOTIFICATION.

APPOINTMENTS.

Agra, the 11th September, 1897.

No. 179.—Mr. A. E. Clive, Superintendent, Warthganj Depôt, Punjab Mines Division, held charge of the office of Assistant Commissioner, Punjab Mines Division, from the 18th June, 1897, afternoon, to the 6th September, 1897, afternoon.

A. B. PATTERSON,

Commissioner, N. I. Salt Revenue Dept.

MILITARY WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 9th September, 1897.

No. 10-A.—Lieutenant A. B. Carey, R.E., Assistant Engineer, 2nd grade, passed the examination for promotion to Assistant Engineer, 1st grade, prescribed in Public Works Department Code, Chapter II, paragraphs 23 to 25, on the 3rd September, 1897.

N. ARNOTT, Major General,

Director General of Military Works in India.

TREASURE TROVE.

NOTICE.

It is hereby notified under section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, VI of 1878, that on or about the 22nd May, 1897, a treasure consisting of the undermentioned jewels, valued at Rs. 41-8-0, was found by one Mematchi, of Karuppattipalayam hamlet of Sadayapalayam village, Dharapuram Taluk, in survey field No. 1256 (Itheri poromboke) of the above village:—

No.	Description of property.	Value.
		<i>Rs. a. p.</i>
1	1 Pattaikarai of gold	25 0 0
2	1 Neli Mothiram (gold ring)	8 8 0
3	1 Uruthi Mothiram (do.)	4 12 0
4	2 Kathu Pomin (ear ornament)	2 12 0
5	11 pieces of silver	0 8 0
		<hr/> 41 8 0

2. All persons claiming the said treasure, or any part thereof, are hereby required to appear personally, or by agent, before the Collector of Coimbatore, at his office, on Saturday, the 15th January, 1898, in order that the matter may be enquired into and determined by the Collector according to the provisions of the said Act.

H. G. STOKES,
for Collector.

COIMBATORE COLLECTOR'S OFFICE ;
The 8th September 1897.

GEOLOGICAL SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 16th September, 1897.

No. 906.—Mr. H. B. W. Garrick, Artist, Geological Survey of India, is granted privilege leave for eighteen days, under Article 291 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October, 1897, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

R. D. OLDHAM,

Offg. Director, Geological Survey of India.

THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

NOTIFICATION.

Bangalore, the 13th September, 1897.

No. 3764.—Whereas by the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 2252 I., dated the 7th August, 1883, the Indian Christian Marriage Act, 1872, was, with certain modifications, declared to apply to the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, so far as regards marriages between persons, one of whom is a Native Christian subject of Mysore, and neither of whom is a Christian British subject.

In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6 and 9, respectively, of the Act, the Resident in Mysore is pleased—

(a) to grant licenses to the—

- (i) Reverend Edwin Woodward,
 - (ii) " E. Stanley Edwards,
 - (iii) " W. Hubert Thorp,
- of the Wesleyan Mission to solemnize marriages within the territories included in the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore; and

(b) to grant licenses to the said :—

Reverend Edwin Woodward,
" E. Stanley Edwards,
" W. Hubert Thorp,

to grant certificates of marriage within the territories included in the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, between Native Christians, one of whom is a Native Christian subject of Mysore, and neither of whom is a Christian subject of Her Majesty.

By Order,

K. D. ERSKINE *Captain,*

First Assistant Resident.

DIRECTOR GENERAL OF RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 9th September, 1897.

No. 72.—Mr. W. K. Stent, Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, is granted, by Her Majesty's

Secretary of State for India, six months' furlough in extension of that sanctioned in Public Works Department Notification No. 128, dated the 6th March, 1896.

T. GRACEY, *Colonel, R.E.,*

Director General.

The 11th September, 1897.

No. 73.—2nd Lieutenant C. J. Heath, R.E., Assistant Engineer, 3rd grade, is granted leave out of India (Medical Certificate) for one year, under the leave rules applicable to regimental officers of the British Army serving in India.

No. 74.—Lieutenant W. A. S. Kincaid, R.E., Assistant Traffic Superintendent, in class II, grade 4, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways (on probation), is, on return from leave, transferred from the East Coast Railway to the North Western Railway.

F. R. UPCOTT,

Offg. Director-General.

REPORTS OF DESERTIONS.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 2nd Battalion, Derbyshire Regiment of Infantry, dated at Bareilly, this 9th day of September, 1897.

Number, Rank, and Name, —D.-1913, Private Daniel Williamson.	Parish and County in which born,—St. Mary's, Cardiff, Glamorgan, Wales.
Age,—40 years.	Date of Desertion or Absence,—3rd September, 1897.
Height,—5 feet 6 inches.	Place of Desertion or Absence,—Bareilly, N.-W. Provinces.
Colour of— Complexion, fresh (florid); hair, light brown (grey); eyes, blue.	Marks,—Scar from an ulcer (recent) under left ear.
Trade,—Musician.	Under 11 years' service.
Date of Enlistment,—23rd April, 1887.	
Place of Enlistment,— Dum-Dum.	

E. C. DOWSE, *Lieut.-Col.,*

Comdg. 2nd Battn., Derbyshire Regiment.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the Detachment, 26th Company, Eastern Division, Royal Artillery, dated at Colaba, Bombay, this 11th day of September, 1897.

Number, Rank, and Name, —90457, Gr. Donald Ellingham.	Place of Enlistment,— Woolwich.
Age,—23 years 4 months.	Parish and County in which born,—Chislehurst, Kent.
Height,—5 feet 9 inches.	Date of Desertion or Ab- sence,—8th September, 1897.
Colour of— Complexion, fresh; hair, brown; eyes, hazel.	Place of Desertion or Ab- sence,—Colaba, Bombay, India.
Trade,—Groom.	Marks,—None.
Date of Enlistment,—26th May, 1897.	Under 6 years' service.

—, *Capt., R.A.*

Comg. Det. 26 E. D., R.A.

POST OFFICE,

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simpla, the 9th September, 1897.

No. 3093-C.—Mr. A. Lumsden, Postmaster, Delhi, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 21st August, 1897.

The 11th September, 1897.

No. 3150-C.—Mr. R. N. C. Kelly, Superintendent of Post Offices, 3rd grade, is granted privilege leave for two months, with effect from the 1st September, 1897, or from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

The following acting appointments are made during his absence on privilege leave, or until further orders :—

Mr. C. S. Digges, Superintendent of Post Offices, 4th grade, to act in the 3rd grade.

Lala Hira Lal to act as Superintendent of Post Offices, 4th grade.

No. 3157-C.—Babu Kshetra Pada Banerji is appointed, with effect from the date on which he assumed charge, to act as Superintendent of Post Offices, 4th grade, during the absence on deputation of Mr. A. H. Sparling, or until further orders.

A. U. FANSHAWE,

Dir. Genl. of the Post Office of India.

Unclaimed Letters held in the Calcutta General Post Office on the 13th September, 1897.

Amicable Insurance Office, Limited (in Liquidation).	Donaldson & Co.	Landerth, D., & Son (Seeds Men).
Agents, The Orient Line of Steamers.	Fraser, F. H.	Miller & Co., Fred. (Engineers).
Burn & Co., Charles.	Greaves & Co., H. R.	Nicol, J.
Dalton, J. S.	Harrison & Son.	Nicol Robert, P.
Dapkhetty, Samuel.	Horrockses Miller & Co., Cloth Manufacturers and Importers.	Platts, S., care of Mr. Cassim.
Demaricar Bella Mills & Co., Limited.	Indian Gold and Silver Jewellery Manufacturing Co.	Sperry & Co.
Dixon, A. C., care of Wellard Cobbold & Co.	Kirkbridge & Co.	Stevens & Co.
	Kugelmann, Esq.	

Letters marked "Care of Post Office."

Albrute, C. B.	Gardanstein Lazer.	Radmore, F.
Andres, R. M.	George, E., Mrs.	Raines, Mrs.
Atkins, F. T.	Gibson, Miss.	Rhode, Capt. J. H.
Atkinson, E. C.	Goldgleek, Mrs. L.	Ridsdale, H.
Ayres, W. R.	Grosholz, A. E.	Robertson, G.
Barrett, J.	Guise, Miss Dollie.	Rogers, G. S.
Bauer, Fritz.	Gutpay, B. L.	Koussac, J.
Baxter, Mrs.	Harper, Alex.	Setters & Co.
Bishop, S. O., Dr.	Harvey, G. P.	Shuhan, G. M. R.
Bitastah, Solomon.	Heinesfeir, F.	Smyth, S. G.
Bloom, Annette, Miss.	Hemming, Wm. P.	Soul, C.
Braham, A.	Hill, B.	Soul, Charles, F.
Brothers & Co., R.	Hoyle, J. O.	Spillane, T. B.
Burlington, F.	Inman, Thos.	Stavridi, A.
Caine, H.	James, Herbert.	Stephens, Mrs. A.
Campbell, L. DaCosta.	Jelovitz, Dr. M. L.	Stokes, Miss E.
Cobbett, Miss E.	Joakim, W. L.	Story, Mrs.
Cook, Percy.	Jones, Alfred.	Street, H. A.
Crisp, W.	Jones, K. C.	Sutherland, N. D.
Cross, J.	Jordan, Mrs. H.	Swarics, A. M.
Currie, J.	Keep, Chas. J.	Swiniorde, Mrs. W.
Dale, Miss S.	Kelall, Miss L.	Target, C. A. B.
Daly, H.	Kemp, Charles.	Temple, G. F.
Davies, D. Picton.	Kidd, J. A.	Tetley, A. E.
Davis, Miss L.	Klopsch, Dr.	Tripe, J. T.
Davis, Mrs.	Langer, A.	Valentin, H.
Deas David, care of E. Camond.	Litchfield, E.	Vartan, Altonnian.
Delafaye, R.	Lopez, Eva, Miss.	Warren, F. S.
Detmar, Henry.	Maund, F. E.	Wobbekind, C.
Devonshire, E. T.	McCallum, E.	Walker, J.
Dufot, Miss A.	Miller, W.	Watson, E., Mrs.
Eaton, F. C.	Morris, J. R., Dr.	Watson, J. D.
Eisenstark, Leon.	Murphy, Mrs. E., care of E. Murphy, Esq.	Weiss, A.
Ferrao Joas.	Norah, Miss.	Williams, Esq.
Ferrao Joas.	O'Grady, W.	Williams, F. F.
Ferrao Joas.	O'Mally, A.	Willis, Mrs. M. H.
Ferrao Joas.	Priestley, Mrs. A. E.	Winter, Mrs. E. C.

Registered Letters and Parcels.

Atkinson, E. C.	Katz, Gusta.	Noble, H. J.
Chester, D.	Madam.	Romac, J.
Christian, C. W.	Kilchmann, Alf.	Target, C., Mrs.
Galbraith, J. M.	Langer, A.	
Richardson.	McMaster, Thos.	

Unclaimed Letters held in the Bombay General Post Office.

Ashuk, H. Mirza,	Dracott, C. H.	Lyon, Madam.
Capt.	Elliott, C. F.	Martin, J. R.
Browne, D. L.	Kmpy, Dr.	Martin, R. R.
Bell, H. E.	Fremarsdorf, E. J.	Manrow, M. J.
Brown, Ella,	Freeman, J. A.	Mansani, S. P.
Madam.	Fernandez, A.	Muller, P. H., Miss.
Binley, H.	Goodson, M., Dr.	Moses, James.
Brown, G. C.	Hutchinson, S. St.	Nesbitt, B., Mrs.
Bellingham, G.,	Irvine.	Oldham, R. D.
Miss.	Jackson, H. C.,	Payne, C. H.
Bellasis, H.	Mrs.	Pringle, A.
Bennett, H. H.	Jones, A.	Riley, G. R.
Corry, C. H.	Jennings, E.	Roodoor, James.
Calthrope, E. R.	Kenny, C.	Rhester.
Cardoza, A. H.	Kinscruner,	Rohand, L., Mon-
Cooke, E., Miss.	Majorki.	sieur.
Cook, P.	King, H.	Ritter, T.
Corlie, H. M.	Lyon, V.	Simpson, B. G.
Chandler, M. H.,	Langley, F.	Taselle, Miss.
Mrs.	Lemm.	Wilkinson, C. W.C.

Unclaimed Letters held in the Barrackpore Post Office on the 13th September, 1897.

Nil.

The 18th September, 1897.

CALCUTTA POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Mails for	Date of closing at the General Post Office, Calcutta.	Route by which despatched.
Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, Zanzibar, Mozambique, Delagoa Bay, Mauritius, Madagascar, Reunion, etc., Natal, and Cape Colony, and in general all countries served through the United Kingdom.	1897. 23rd Sept.	Per P. & O. Str. from Bombay.
Parcels for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	22nd "	Ditto.
*Australasian Colonies	18th "	Via Tuticorin and Colombo.
Ditto ditto	25th "	Ditto.
Straits Settlements, China, and Japan.	21st "	Per Steamer Kutsang.
Rangoon and Moulmein	18th "	Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s Steamer.
Rangoon, Moulmein, Tavoy, Mergui, Penang, and Singapore.	20th "	Ditto.
Rangoon and Moulmein	23rd "	Ditto.
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PART III.

Advertisements and Notices by Private Individuals and Corporations.

PROMISSORY NOTES.

Lost.

The Government Promissory Note, No. 026431 of 1896-97, of the 3 per cent. of loan, for Rs200, originally standing in the name of Mahomed Israil, the Tahsildar of the South Sylhet Sub-Divisional Office, and last endorsed to Mahomed Israil, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor.

MAHOMED ISRAIL,
*Tahsildar, Moulvi Bazar
Sub-Divisional Office.*

NOTICE.

The public are hereby warned against dealing with any Government securities, shares or other documents standing in the name of late Baboo Kristo Gobindo Mukerjee, of No. 7, Badur Bagan Lane, Calcutta, some of which have been missing since his death.

SURES CHANDRA MUKERJEE,
No. 7, Badur Bagan Lane.

NOTICE.

The Government Promissory Note, No. 003971 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1893-94 for Rs1,000, originally standing in the name of Surianarayanappier, lessee of the Tanjore Palace Estate, and last endorsed to the District Judge, Tanjore, and another No. 862641 of the 4 per cent. loan of 1st May, 1865, originally standing in the name of Subbaraya Davaji, counter-petitioner in M. P. No. 133

of 1883 on the file of the District Court, Tanjore, and last endorsed to the District Judge, Tanjore, having been stolen from this Court, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Notes and the interests thereon have been stopped at the Public Debt Offices, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta and Madras, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the Proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned securities.

F. H. HAMNETT,
Acting District Judge.

DISTRICT COURT;
TANJORE,
The 17th July, 1897.

NOTICE.

I, James George Stevenson, heretofore called and known by the name of James George Bellairs, of Chowkooree, Almora, in the North-West Provinces of India, Esquire, do hereby give public notice that on the 12th day of August, 1897, I did wholly and absolutely renounce and relinquish the use of my said Surname of "Bellairs" and then assumed and adopted and determined in all records, deeds, documents, actions, suits, proceedings and dealings, and upon all occasions whatsoever to use and subscribe the name of "James George Stevenson," instead of the name of "James George Bellairs," and so that I might at all times thereafter be called, known and distinguished by the said name of "James George Stevenson" and by such name only.

Dated the 31st day of August 1897.

JAMES GEORGE STEVENSON,
late JAMES GEORGE BELLAIRS

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that any partnership which may have existed since the 31st day of December, 1896, between us, the undersigned Henry Berners of 5B, Mount Street, Grosvenor Square, in the County of London, Esquire, Nanny Doyne, of 8, Stratton Street, Piccadilly, in the same County, widow ; and James Buckingham, of Amgoorie in the District of Sibsagar and province of Assam, India, Tea-planter, in connection with the planting and cultivation of certain tea estates or tea gardens situate in the District of Sibsagar aforesaid, and known generally as the Hulwating Tea Estate, has been by mutual consent dissolved, and the said Nanny Doyne has no longer any interest in the tea-planting business which was previously to the 1st day of January, 1897, carried on by the said Henry Berners and James Buckingham, in partnership with the late Richard Vigors Doyne, deceased. All debts due to or owing by such partnership will be received and paid by the said Henry Berners and James Buckingham, who will continue the business.

Dated this twentieth day of July, 1897.

Signed by the abovenamed Henry Berners in the presence of me, the undersigned Notary, this twenty-third day of July, 1897. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal of Office.

(Sd.) HENRY BERNERS.

J. WATTS,

Notary Public,

5, Nicholas Lane, Lombard Street, London, E. C.

Signed by Nanny Doyne in the presence of me, the undersigned Notary, this twentieth day of July, 1897. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal of Office.

(Sd.) NANNY DOYNE.

ALFRED DONNISON,

Notary Public,

147, Leadenhall Street, London, E. C.

Signed by James Buckingham in the presence of

(Sd.) JAMES BUCKINGHAM.

BERNARD V. NICHOLL, C.S., J.P.,

*Officiating Deputy Commissioner,
Sibsagar, Assam.*

Dated 28th August, 1897.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that any partnership which may have existed since the 31st day of December, 1896, between us, the undersigned Henry Berners, of 5B, Mount Street, Grosvenor Square, in the County of London, Esquire, and Nanny Doyne, of 8, Stratton Street, Piccadilly, in the said County, widow, in connection with the planting and cultivation of certain Tea Estates or Tea Gardens situate in the District of Sibsagar in the province of Assam, India, known generally as the Amgoorie Tea Estate, has been by mutual consent dissolved, and the said Nanny Doyne has no longer any interest in the tea-planting business which was previously to the 1st day of January, 1897, carried on by the said Henry Berners in partnership with Richard Vigors Doyne, deceased.

All debts due to or owing by such partnership will be received and paid by the said Henry Berners who will continue the business.

Dated this twentieth day of July, 1897.

Signed by Henry Berners in the presence of me, the undersigned Notary, this twenty-third day of July, 1897. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal of Office.

(Sd.) HENRY BERNERS.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 11th September 1897.	1st November 1896 to 11th September 1897.
PRINCIPAL PORTS—			
CALCUTTA	Imports . .	97,253	11,347,041
	Exports . .	58,921	4,802,477
		+ 38,332	+ 6,544,564
RANGOON	Imports . .	6,192	359,597
	Exports . .	284,866	28,414,961
		—278,674	—28,055,364
MADRAS	Imports . .	35,600	1,317,800
	Exports . .	10,700	370,400
		+ 24,900	+ 947,400
BOMBAY	Imports . .	325,000	10,091,200
	Exports . .	103,000	4,491,800
		+ 222,000	+ 5,599,400
KARACHI	Imports . .	80,800	1,587,571
	Exports . .	130,400	4,331,776
		—49,600	—2,744,205
PROVINCES AND DISTRICTS—			
BENGAL—			
Patna Division—			30th January to 11th September 1897.
PATNA	Imports . .	32,100	1,162,400
	Exports . .	16,600	794,100
		+ 15,500	+ 368,300
GAYA (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports . .	18,000	272,400
	Exports . .	100	95,500
		+ 17,900	+ 176,900
SHAHABAD	Imports . .	21,400	321,700
	Exports . .	1,400	344,400
		+ 20,000	—22,700
SARAN	Imports . .	38,400	1,332,500
	Exports . .	200	171,300
		+ 38,200	+ 1,161,200
CHAMPARAN	Imports . .	100	476,400
	Exports . .	1,000	52,600
		—900	+ 423,800
MUZAFFARPUR (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports . .	4,800	957,274
	Exports . .	1,300	70,351
		+ 3,500	+ 886,923
DARBHANGA	Imports . .	9,300	1,303,800
	Exports . .	4,900	117,300
		+ 4,400	+ 1,186,500
Bhagalpur Division—			
MONGHYR (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports . .	8,300	289,400
	Exports . .	12,800	1,107,900
		—4,500	—818,500

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE —continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 11th September 1897.	30th January to 11th September 1897.
BENGAL—contd.			
Bhágálpur Division—contd.			
BHÁGALPUR (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports Exports	2,713 28,377 —25,664	324,488 1,000,609 —676,121
PURNEA	Imports Exports	600 5,000 —4,400	116,223 166,839 —50,616
MALDA	Imports Exports	300 100 + 200	2,100 2,000 + 100
SANTHAL PARAGANAS (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports Exports	2,000 8,800 —6,800	244,394 448,285 —203,891
Rajshahi Division—			
RAJSHAHI (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports Exports	2,500 700 + 1,800	377,500 57,298 + 320,202
DINAJPUR (")	Imports Exports	1,400 1,700 —300	61,800 409,784 —347,984
JALPAIGURI	Imports Exports	10,500 1,054 + 9,446	333,103 14,043 + 319,060
DARJEELING (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports Exports	900 700 + 200	157,700 5,300 + 152,400
RANGPUR	Imports Exports	4,700 2,500 + 2,200	49,700 77,300 —27,600
BOGRA	Imports Exports	4,100 200 + 3,900	57,300 297,700 —240,400
PABNA (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports Exports	3,500 100 + 3,400	275,700 22,300 + 253,400
Dacca Division—			
DACCA	Imports Exports	4,500 2,100 + 2,400	21,600 23,500 —1,900
NARAINGANJ	Imports Exports	... ... ...	33,800 162,600 —128,800
MAIMENSINGH (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports Exports	1,404 13 + 1,391	81,303 9,715 + 71,588
FARIDPUR	Imports Exports	3,600 ... + 3,600	192,100 126,500 + 65,600
BACKERGANJ	Imports Exports	400 4,700 —4,300	1,600 47,400 —45,800

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 11th September 1897.	30th January to 11th September 1897.
BENGAL—contd. *			
Chittagong Division—			
TIPPERA	Imports . . . . .	...	47,404
	Exports	300	39,663
		-300	+7,741
• NOAKHALI	Imports . . . . .	...	500
	Exports . . . . .	...	6,900
		...	-6,400
CHITTAGONG	Imports	2,975	599,042
	Exports	1,600	135,020
		+1,375	+464,022
Burdwan Division—			
BURDWAN	Imports	4,800	176,200
	Exports	34,300	1,761,700
		-29,500	-1,585,500
BIRBHUM	Imports	600	35,600
	Exports	14,000	1,620,400
		-13,400	-1,584,800
HOOGHLY (incomplete)	Imports	9,400	103,000
	Exports	3,100	80,900
		+6,300	+22,100
MIDNAPUR *	Imports . . . . .	...	361,054
	Exports . . . . .	...	1,436,408
		...	-1,075,354
Presidency Division—			
24-PARGANAS	Imports	1,100	32,800
	Exports	100	25,800
		+1,000	+7,000
NADIA	Imports	6,300	806,800
	Exports	10,600	850,700
		-4,300	-43,900
MURSHIDABAD (preceding week)	Imports	1,500	64,500
	Exports	6,600	291,000
		-5,100	-226,500
JESSORE	Imports	500	270,700
	Exports	1,100	69,300
		-600	+201,400
KHULNA	Imports . . . . .	...	16,000
	Exports . . . . .	...	34,200
		...	-18,200
Chota Nagpur Division—			
HAZARIBAGH (preceding week)	Imports	3,300	198,700
	Exports . . . . .	...	2,100
		+3,300	+196,600
LOHARDAGA	Imports . . . . .	...	4,200
	Exports . . . . .	...	3,700
		...	+500
MANBHUM	Imports	2,400	208,700
	Exports	100	7,900
		+2,300	+200,800
SINGHBHUM (incomplete)	Imports	100	8,633
	Exports	100	48,400
		...	-39,767
RANCHI (preceding week)	Imports	113	3,004
	Exports	30	5,978
		+83	-2,974

* From March to June 1897.

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 11th September 1897.	30th January to 11th September 1897.
BENGAL—concl'd.			
Orissa Division—			
CUTTACK	Imports . . . . .	...	2,130
	Exports	1,000	333,906
		—1,000	—331,776
BALASORE	Imports	1,000	21,500
	Exports	27,700	1,142,700
		—26,700	—1,121,200
PURI	Imports	279	2,308
	Exports	773	50,618
		—494	—48,310
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES—			
Meerut Division—			
SAHARANPUR	Imports	4,271	267,661
	Exports	4,711	209,913
		—440	+ 57,748
MUZAFFARNAGAR	Imports	3,500	216,500
	Exports	13,900	461,500
		—10,400	—245,000
MEERUT	Imports	5,700	319,140
	Exports	30,800	600,959
		—25,100	—281,819
BULANDSHAHR	Imports	800	44,700
	Exports	29,300	775,200
		—28,500	—730,500
ALIGARH	Imports	1,400	155,400
	Exports	20,300	817,900
		—18,900	—662,500
Agra Division—			
MUTTRA	Imports	877	83,207
	Exports	3,997	151,904
		—3,120	—68,697
AGRA	Imports	5,000	536,800
	Exports	12,400	504,700
		—7,400	+ 32,100
FARUKHABAD (preceding week)	Imports	700	114,100
	Exports	1,200	24,900
		—500	+ 89,200
MAINPURI	Imports	100	17,600
	Exports	1,800	29,100
		—1,700	—11,500
ETAWAH	Imports	100	66,700
	Exports	2,700	45,400
		—2,600	+ 21,300
ETAH (incomplete)	Imports	200	19,300
	Exports	2,600	205,900
		—2,400	—186,600

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—*continued*.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports —].

		Week ending 11th September 1897.	30th January to 11th September 1897.
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES			
— <i>contd.</i>			
Rohilkhand Division—			
Bijnor (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	800	227,400
	Exports	400	11,000
		+ 400	+ 216,400
Moradabad	Imports	6,100	205,500
	Exports	8,700	417,400
		+ 2,600	— 211,900
Shahjahanpur	Imports	1,000	92,964
	Exports	4,500	310,342
		— 3,500	— 217,378
Budaun	Imports	100	4,400
	Exports	200	22,000
		— 100	— 17,600
Pilibit	Imports	700	53,375
	Exports	1,900	79,050
		— 1,200	— 25,675
Bareilly	Imports	300	175,000
	Exports	1,500	208,200
		— 1,200	— 33,200
Allahabad Division—			
Cawnpore	Imports	7,800	1,896,900
	Exports	19,600	663,500
		— 11,800	+ 1,233,400
Fatehpur	Imports	1,300	218,100
	Exports	500	3,437
		+ 800	+ 214,663
Banda	Imports	8,400	642,900
	Exports	800	4,600
		+ 7,600	+ 638,300
Hamirpur	Imports	2,700	150,100
	Exports . . . . .	...	4,500
		+ 2,700	+ 145,600
Allahabad (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	8,600	1,238,700
	Exports	500	16,100
		+ 8,100	+ 1,222,600
Jhansi	Imports	2,900	466,800
	Exports	400	18,500
		+ 2,500	+ 448,300
Jalaun	Imports	6,700	268,100
	Exports . . . . .	...	15,200
		+ 6,700	+ 252,900
Benares Division—			
Benares	Imports	8,700	625,200
	Exports	300	46,400
		+ 8,400	+ 578,800
Mirzapur	Imports	3,400	236,715
	Exports	600	13,063
		+ 2,800	+ 223,652
Jaunpur	Imports	2,000	218,100
	Exports	400	43,300
		+ 1,600	+ 174,800
Ghazipur	Imports	6,000	140,000
	Exports . . . . .	...	84,600
		+ 6,000	+ 55,400

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports —].

		Week ending 11th September 1897.	30th January to 11th September 1897.
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES			
—concl'd.			
Gorakhpur Division—			
BASTI	Imports . . . Exports . . .	... 9,400 —9,400	26,700 350,900 —324,200
BALLIA	Imports . . . Exports . . .	297 251 +46	80,701 63,682 +17,019
GORAKHPUR	Imports . . . Exports . . .	2,700 7,800 +5,100	130,100 526,500 —396,400
Kumaun Division—			
GARHWAL	Imports . . . Exports . . .	... ... ...	6,700 ... +6,700
NAINI TAL	Imports . . . Exports . . .	... 400 —400	26,500 84,100 —57,600
ODDH—			
Lucknow Division—			
LUCKNOW	Imports . . . Exports . . .	10,400 1,200 +9,200	491,400 86,600 +404,800
UNAO (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports . . . Exports . . .	400 ... +400	62,200 600 +61,600
RAJ-BARELI	Imports . . . Exports . . .	3,200 200 +3,000	269,000 9,400 +259,600
SITAPUR	Imports . . . Exports . . .	... 16,500 —16,500	22,595 401,500 —378,905
KHERI (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports . . . Exports . . .	... 3,000 —3,000	12,700 161,200 —148,500
HARDOI	Imports . . . Exports . . .	800 1,200 —400	165,800 49,200 +116,600
Fyzabad Division—			
FYZABAD	Imports . . . Exports . . .	600 2,000 —1,400	243,200 337,700 —94,500
GONDA	Imports . . . Exports . . .	1,600 2,700 —1,100	199,932 199,100 +832
BAHRAICH	Imports . . . Exports . . .	... 900 —900	8,810 206,800 —197,990
BARABANKI	Imports . . . Exports . . .	... 11,600 —11,600	70,200 305,100 —234,900
RAJPUTANA—			
JODHPUR	Imports . . . Exports . . .	398 9,081 —8,683	31,668 130,541 —98,873
BIKANER	Imports . . . Exports . . .	17,563 ... +17,563	194,089 5 +194,084

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 11th September 1897.	30th January to 11th September 1897.
AJMERE-MERWARA	Imports	14,200	297,100
	Exports	5,400 + 8,800	93,555 + 203,545
PANJAB—			
Delhi Division—			
Hissar	Imports	5,700	1,070,400
	Exports	8,300 — 2,600	93,600 + 976,800
Rohtak	Imports	100	6,000
	Exports	100 ...	4,100 + 1,900
Gurgaon	Imports	1,100	107,000
	Exports	11,500 — 10,400	203,400 — 96,400
Delhi	Imports	13,800	848,300
	Exports	13,400 + 400	424,400 + 423,900
Karnal	Imports	22	53,922
	Exports	400 — 378	53,600 + 322
Ambala	Imports	9,300	411,700
	Exports	1,900 + 7,400	66,500 + 345,200
Simla	Imports	3,800	71,800
	Exports . . . . .	... + 3,800	200 + 71,600
Jalandhar Division—			
Jalandhar	Imports	1,200	98,700
	Exports	17,500 — 16,300	869,600 — 770,900
Ludhiana	Imports	2,300	121,500
	Exports	23,400 — 21,100	739,200 — 617,700
Ferozpur	Imports	2,800	343,700
	Exports	26,600 — 23,800	784,400 — 440,700
Lahore Division—			
Multan	Imports	200	188,700
	Exports	6,100 — 5,900	202,000 — 13,300
Jhang	Imports	500	28,200
	Exports	1,500 — 1,000	172,500 — 144,300
Montgomery	Imports	1,900	108,000
	Exports	600 + 1,300	24,800 + 83,200
Lahore	Imports	18,500	476,002
	Exports	6,400 + 12,100	411,401 + 64,601
Amritsar	Imports	9,300	295,700
	Exports	13,700 — 4,400	573,500 — 277,800
Gurdaspur	Imports	4,800	60,700
	Exports	1,400 + 3,400	417,318 — 356,618

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 11th September 1897.	30th January to 11th September 1897
PANJAB—contd.			
Ráwalpindi Division—			
SIÁLKOT	Imports	3,400	136,500
	Exports	600	61,500
		+ 2,800	+ 75,000
GUJRÁT	Imports	900	148,200
	Exports	2,000	33,200
		— 1,100	+ 115,000
GUJRÁNWÁLA	Imports	2,000	120,900
	Exports	3,600	532,400
		— 1,600	— 411,500
SHAHPUR	Imports . . . . .	...	74,700
	Exports . . . . .	...	74,200
		...	+ 500
JHELAM	Imports	2,042	213,692
	Exports	114	28,580
		+ 1,928	+ 185,112
RÁWALPINDI	Imports	69,000	1,014,751
	Exports	2,300	107,500
		+ 66,700	+ 907,251
Pesháwar Division—			
PESHÁWAR	Imports	10,000	287,300
	Exports	19,800	327,300
		— 9,800	— 40,000
Derajat Division—			
BANNU	Imports	200	6,970
	Exports	5,400	117,757
		— 5,200	— 110,787
DERA ISMAIL KHAN (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	200	20,400
	Exports	3,800	220,600
		— 3,600	— 200,200
MUZAFFARGARH	Imports	—	7,901
	Exports	1,500	158,300
		— 1,500	— 150,399
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY—			
Guzerat Division—			
ARMADABAD	Imports	41,800	571,600
	Exports	5,900	344,600
		+ 35,900	+ 227,000
KAIRA	Imports	5,000	212,100
	Exports	1,400	199,500
		+ 3,600	+ 12,600
PANCH MAHÁLS	Imports . . . . .	...	17,553
	Exports	4,597	650,741
		— 4,597	— 633,188

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports —].

		Week ending 10th September 1897.	30th January to 11th September 1897.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY—contd.			
Guzerat Division—contd.			
BROACH	Imports	5,200	375,031
	Exports	2,900	273,266
		+ 2,300	+ 101,765
SURAT	Imports	23,000	649,800
	Exports	4,600	213,800
		+ 18,400	+ 436,000
BHAVNAGAR	Imports . . . . .	...	70,874
	Exports . . . . .	...	761
		...	+ 70,113
KÁTHIAWÁR (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	420	189,713
	Exports	730	4,397
		— 310	+ 185,316
Deccan—			
KHANDESH (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	23,300	993,900
	Exports	300	14,100
		+ 23,000	+ 979,800
NÁSÍK	Imports	34,500	661,100
	Exports	400	86,300
		+ 34,100	+ 574,800
AHMADNAGAR	Imports	30,400	311,500
	Exports	500	71,800
		+ 29,900	+ 239,700
PCCNA	Imports	42,200	1,073,921
	Exports	400	24,300
		+ 41,800	+ 1,049,621
SHOLAPUR	Imports	31,100	459,800
	Exports	3,300	202,800
		+ 27,800	+ 257,000
SATARA (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	29,661	586,837
	Exports	4,582	17,638
		+ 25,079	+ 569,199
Karnatak—			
BELGAUM (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	30,600	508,800
	Exports	800	178,300
		+ 29,800	+ 330,500
BIJAPUR	Imports	43,300	653,100
	Exports	200	14,200
		+ 43,100	+ 638,900
DHARWAR	Imports	11,000	229,233
	Exports	24,200	572,221
		— 13,200	— 342,988
TANNA	Imports	2,500	202,100
	Exports	2,300	325,900
		+ 200	— 123,800
KOLÁBA (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	2,900	124,267
	Exports	1,200	135,520
		+ 1,700	— 11,253
KOLHAPUR	Imports	17,116	810,154
	Exports	1,776	77,852
		+ 15,340	+ 732,302
KANARA	Imports . . . . .	...	26,500
	Exports . . . . .	...	125,700
		...	— 99,200
RATNAGIRI (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	11,800	682,500
	Exports	700	22,200
		+ 11,100	+ 660,300

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSES—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 11th September 1897.	30th January to 11th September 1897.
SIND AND BALUCHISTAN—			
SHIKARPUR	Imports . . .	3,781	143,435
	Exports . . .	57,134	2,090,224
		—53,353	—1,946,789
THAR-PARKAR	Imports . . .	9,900	368,000
	Exports . . .	3,500	356,400
		+6,400	+11,600
UPPER SIND FRONTIER	Imports . . .	400	26,000
	Exports . . .	4,800	311,100
		—4,400	—285,100
HYDERABAD (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports . . .	2,700	166,600
	Exports . . .	13,000	250,500
		—10,300	—83,900
CENTRAL PROVINCES—			
Jubbulpore Division—			
SAUGOR	Imports . . .	5,400	331,800
	Exports . . .	400	21,760
		+5,000	+310,040
JUBBULPORE	Imports . . .	4,000	443,200
	Exports . . .	1,300	265,600
		+2,700	+177,600
Nerbudda Division—			
NARSINGHPUR	Imports . . .	1,200	201,100
	Exports . . .	800	92,400
		+400	+108,700
HOSHANGABAD (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports . . .	3,500	252,700
	Exports . . .	200	44,700
		+3,300	+208,000
NIMAR	Imports . . .	6,100	263,600
	Exports . . .	100	32,200
		+6,000	+231,400
Nágpur Division—			
WARDHA	Imports . . .	3,900	107,600
	Exports . . .	600	20,500
		+3,300	+87,100
NÁGPUR	Imports . . .	12,500	584,100
	Exports . . .	3,800	122,500
		+8,700	+461,600
CHÁNDA	Imports . . .	1,200	16,400
	Exports . . .	200	71,600
		+1,000	—55,200
BHANDÁRA	Imports . . .	5,600	388,800
	Exports . . .	2,200	95,000
		+3,400	+293,800
Chhattisgarh Division—			
RAIPUR	Imports . . .	2,900	117,700
	Exports . . .	2,200	507,200
		+700	—389,500
BILÁSPUR (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports . . .	5,900	201,359
	Exports . . .	500	58,698
		+5,400	+142,661
SAMBALPUR	Imports . . .	...	13,500
	Exports . . .	14,200	605,800
		—14,200	—592,300

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian rupees).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 11th September 1897.	30th January to 11th September 1897.
BERAR—			
East—			
ANRAOTI	Imports	19,400	332,400
	Exports	600	23,700
		+ 18,800	+ 308,700
West—			
AKOLA	Imports	10,500	254,900
	Exports	2,800	130,000
		+ 7,700	+ 124,900
BULDANA	Imports	900	49,500
	Exports . . . . .	...	5,000
		+ 900	+ 44,500
MADRAS—			
GANJAM	Imports	15,200	169,600
	Exports	1,100	135,100
		+ 14,100	+ 34,500
VIZAGAPATAM	Imports	19,500	571,500
	Exports	600	40,200
		+ 18,900	+ 531,300
GODAVARI	Imports	3,000	212,200
	Exports	61,700	1,568,900
		—58,700	—1,356,700
KISTNA	Imports	700	49,074
	Exports	44,500	1,198,307
		—43,800	—1,149,233
NELLORE	Imports	300	26,558
	Exports	2,400	88,104
		—2,100	—61,546
KARNUL (incomplete)	Imports	2,600	132,200
	Exports	1,400	37,400
		+ 1,200	+ 94,800
BELLARY (")	Imports	33,200	599,900
	Exports	5,800	152,100
		+ 27,400	+ 447,800
ANANTAPUR (")	Imports	3,700	134,400
	Exports	4,400	178,200
		—700	—43,800
CUDDAPAH	Imports	2,000	138,400
	Exports	3,900	113,900
		—1,900	+ 24,500
NORTH ARCOT	Imports	5,100	308,200
	Exports	37,200	668,500
		—32,100	—360,300
CHINGLEPUT	Imports	400	29,400
	Exports	13,400	290,400
		—13,000	—261,000
SOUTH ARCOT	Imports	800	98,700
	Exports	31,900	1,002,400
		—31,100	—903,700

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—concluded.

(Indian maunds).

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		Week ending 11th September 1897.	30th January to 11th September 1897.
MADRAS—contd.			
SALEM	Imports . . .	2,100	40,800
	Exports . . .	20,700 —18,600	476,100 —435,300
COIMBATORE	Imports . . .	13,000	356,100
	Exports . . .	10,900 + 2,100	948,500 —592,400
TRICHINOPOLY	Imports . . .	935	48,725
	Exports . . .	13,986 —13,051	296,802 —248,077
TANJORE (incomplete)	Imports . . .	4,200	154,700
	Exports . . .	113,900 —109,700	3,856,200 —3,701,500
MADURA	Imports . . .	1,300	95,100
	Exports . . .	24,400 —23,100	627,500 —532,400
TINNEVELLY	Imports . . .	22,100	862,300
	Exports . . .	31,000 —8,900	769,700 + 92,600
MALABAR	Imports . . .	19,200	1,797,400
	Exports . . .	4,500 + 14,700	403,500 + 1,393,800
SOUTH CANARA	Imports . . .	800	111,820
	Exports . . .	2,200 —1,400	626,790 —514,970

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

MILITARY SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 23rd September, 1897.

No. 12851-M.—HIS EXCELLENCY THE VICEROY AND GOVERNOR GENERAL will hold a Levée at Government House, Rangoon, on Monday, the 15th November 1897, at 9-30 P.M., and at Government House, Mandalay, on Friday, the 19th November, at 9-30 P.M.

All Civil and Military Officers and the Native Officers of the Native Regiments at Rangoon and Mandalay, respectively, are invited to attend.

His Excellency will also be glad to receive other Gentlemen, who should submit their names to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Burma, who will issue cards of admission, which should be shown to the Aide-de-Camp in Waiting before the Levée, if required.

All Officers and Gentlemen attending the Levée are requested to bring with them two cards, with their names legibly written upon them.

Gentlemen who have not already been presented at the Court of St. James or at Government House will be good enough to add the names of Gentlemen who will present them.

Gentlemen who present others must themselves attend the Levée.

Officers and Gentlemen wearing uniform will appear in Full Dress; Gentlemen not wearing uniform in Evening Dress.

By Command,

A. DURAND, *Colonel,*
Military Secretary to the Viceroy.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

PUBLIC.

Simla, the 22nd September, 1897.

No. 1962.—His Excellency the Governor General is pleased to add the following Consular Officer to the list of those declared by Home Department Notification No. 672, dated the 30th April 1897, whether permanently or temporarily in office, to have, as such, the privilege of private entrée to the Government House at Calcutta:

The Vice-Consul for Peru.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 20th September, 1897.

No. 689.—The services of Mr. E. Maconochie, of the Indian Civil Service, Bombay Establishment, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bombay, with effect from the 20th September 1897.

The 22nd September, 1897.

No. 694.—The services of Captain G. O. Ross-Keppel, Commandant, Kurram Militia, are permanently placed at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab for employment in the Punjab Commission, with effect from the date on which he joins his Civil appointment.

The 23rd September, 1897.

No. 699.—Mr. D. F. Addis is permitted to resign Her Majesty's Indian Civil Service, with effect from the 2nd October 1897, or the subsequent date on which he may sail from India or relinquish charge of office in the event of his not taking subsidiary leave.

No. 703.—Mr. F. W. R. Cowley is permitted to resign Her Majesty's Indian Civil Service, with effect from the 1st October 1897, or the subsequent date on which he may sail from India or relinquish charge of office in the event of his not taking subsidiary leave.

MEDICAL.

The 22nd September, 1897.

No. 1123.—The services of the undermentioned officers are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the dates noted against their names:

Surgeon-Lieutenant A. Hooton, I.M.S. (Bombay),—23rd August 1897.

Surgeon-Lieutenant R. F. Standage, I.M.S. (Bombay),—29th August 1897.

No. 1126.—Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel C. L. Swaine, M.D., I.M.S. (Madras), Medical Officer, 6th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, is appointed to officiate as Sanitary Commissioner, Hyderabad Assigned Districts, during the absence on deputation of Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel C. Little, M.D.

The 24th September, 1897.

No. 1134.—The services of Surgeon-Captain V. B. Bennett, M.B., B.S., I.M.S. (Bombay), are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the 26th August 1897.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 22nd September, 1897.

No. 383.—The services of the Reverend C. J. Palmer, a Chaplain on the Bengal (Calcutta) Ecclesiastical Establishment, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Military Department for employment with the Mohmund Field Force.

The 24th September, 1897.

No. 386.—The services of the Reverend R. M. Kirwan, a Chaplain on the Bengal (Lucknow) Ecclesiastical Establishment, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Military Department for employment with the Tirah Field Force.

No. 388.—The services of the Reverend J. F. Smith, Chaplain of Nowgong, Central India, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the 27th September 1897, or the subsequent date on which he may be relieved of his duties at Nowgong.

J. P. HEWETT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

FAMINE.

Simla, the 24th September, 1897.

No. 3060—195-15-F.—With reference to Notification No. 2238—130-16-F., dated 8th June 1897, the services of Lieutenant N. G. B. Strong, 1st Regiment of Madras Lancers, employed on famine duty in Bengal, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the date on which he made over charge of his duties.

No. 3076—195-16-F.—With reference to Notification No. 2143—130-14-F., dated the 27th May 1897, the services of Lieutenant J. A. Bliss, 21st Regiment of Madras Infantry (Pioneers), employed on famine duty in Bengal, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the date on which he made over charge of his duties.

No. 3081—105-68-F.—The services of Lieutenant W. J. P. Preston, 4th Regiment of Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, are placed at

the disposal of the Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces, for employment on famine duty.

GENERAL.

The 24th September, 1897.

No. 2803—171-4.—Mr. G. S. Hart, Deputy Conservator of Forests, 4th (officiating 3rd) Grade, Punjab, is appointed to officiate as Assistant Inspector General of Forests and Superintendent of Working-Plans, with effect from the 16th September 1897, *vice* Mr. F. B. Bryant, granted privilege leave.

FORESTS.

The 24th September, 1897.

No. 911—217-6-F.—On return from the privilege leave granted him in Notification No. 808-F., dated the 20th ultimo, Mr. G. F. Prevost, officiating Conservator, 3rd grade, resumed charge of the Pegu Forest Circle, Lower Burma, from Lieutenant-Colonel C. T. Bingham, I.S.C., Conservator in charge of the Tenasserim Forest Circle, with effect from the forenoon of the 20th instant.

DENZIL IBBETSON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 21st September, 1897.

No. 3582-I. A.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 2, sub-section (1) of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897 (III of 1897), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that in the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 1234-I. A., dated the 3rd April, 1897, for the words "the territories administered by the Governor of Bombay in Council, including Sind" the words "the territories (other than Sind) administered by the Governor of Bombay in Council" shall be substituted.

The 22nd September, 1897.

No. 3602-I. A.—The services of Lieutenant E. E. Bousfield, Indian Staff Corps, 26th Madras Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Fort St. George for employment in the Travancore State, as Commandant of the Second Battalion of the Nayar Brigade, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of his present appointment.

The 24th September, 1897.

No. 1434-G.—The following substantive *pro tempore* appointments are made to the graded list of the Political Department with effect from the 18th September, 1897, and during such time as Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. Sadler, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Agent of the 2nd class, may hold the appointment of First Assistant to the Political Resident at Aden and Political Agent for the Somali Coast, or until further orders:

Mr. A. F. Pinhey, of the Indian Civil Service, an officiating Political Agent of the 2nd class, to be a Political Agent of the 2nd class.

Mr. J. Lang, of the Indian Civil Service, an officiating Political Agent of the 3rd class, to be a Political Agent of the 3rd class.

Captain F. G. Beville, Indian Staff Corps, a Political Assistant of the 3rd (officiating 1st) class, to be a Political Assistant of the 1st class.

Lieutenant S. G. Knox, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd class, to be a Political Assistant of the 2nd class.

Lieutenant A. B. Drummond, Indian Staff Corps, an officiating Political Assistant of the 3rd class, to be a Political Assistant of the 3rd class.

No. 3631-I. A.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 4 and 5 of the Foreign Jurisdiction and Extradition Act, 1879 (XXI of 1879), and of all other powers enabling him in

this behalf, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that, in the list of courts annexed to the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 2183-I., dated the 2nd July, 1890, for the words "Judicial Assistant Political Superintendent, Savantvadi," the words "Chief Judge of Savantvadi" shall be substituted, and after the entry relating to the Court of the Munsiff of Kudal the following shall be added, namely:

"Court of Small Causes of Vadi."

No. 3632-I. A.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 650-A of the Code of Civil Procedure, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that in the list of Civil Courts referred to in the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 868-I., dated the 13th March, 1885, for the words "Judicial Assistant Political Superintendent" under the heading "*Savantvadi*" the words "Chief Judge" shall be substituted, and after the entry relating to the Court of the Munsiff of Kudal the following shall be added, namely:

"4a. Court of Small Causes of Vadi."

No. 3633-I. A.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 229-B of the Code of Civil Procedure, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that in the list of Civil Courts referred in the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 867-I., dated the 13th March, 1885, for the words "Judicial Assistant Political Superintendent" under the heading "*Savantvadi*" the words "Chief Judge" shall be substituted, and after the entry relating to the Court of the Munsiff of Kudal the following shall be added, namely:

"4a. Court of Small Causes of Vadi."

No. 3635-I. A.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6 and 9 respectively of the Indian Christian Marriage Act, 1872 (XV of 1872, as modified by Act II of 1891), the Governor-General in Council is pleased—

(a) to grant licenses to the Revd. Edwin Woodward, the Revd. E. Stanley Edwards, and the Revd. W. Hubert Thorp, of the Wesleyan Mission, to solemnize marriages within the territories of Mysore, including the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore; and

(b) to grant licenses to the said Revd. Edwin Woodward, Revd. E. Stanley Edwards, and Revd. W. Hubert Thorp, authorising them to grant certificates of marriage between Native Christians within the said territories.

No. 3642-I. B.—Upon the recommendation of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of the North-Western Provinces, the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to restore to Ram Singh of Bansi, in the Basti district of the North-Western Provinces, the title of Raja of which he was deprived in 1886, in consequence of misconduct.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

ESTIMATES AND ACCOUNTS.

Simla, the 23rd September, 1897.

No. 4284-A.—Monthly Preliminary Statement of Receipts and Payments at Civil Treasuries in India.
August 1897.

(Lakhs of Rupees.)

	IN AUGUST.		TO END OF AUGUST.		WHOLE YEAR.	
	1897-98.	1896-97.	1897-98.	1896-97.	Budget, 1897-98.	Actuals, Preliminary, 1896-97.
[For the explanation of these heads, see <i>Gazette of India</i> , dated 22nd December 1883, Part I, page 497.]						
Civil Revenue.						
Land Revenue (including Land Revenue due to Irrigation)	80	82	7,64	8,12	26,59	24,84
Opium	44	62	2,32	2,81	5,82	6,41
Salt	48	48	3,40	3,59	8,73	8,42
Stamps	42	41	2,11	2,11	4,84	4,78
Excise	40	44	2,10	2,36	5,67	5,61
Provincial Rates	11	7	1,26	1,30	3,62	3,56
Customs	29	33	1,59	1,76	4,49	4,49
Assessed Taxes	17	18	64	60	1,72	1,73
Forest (Madras and Bombay only)	5	5	16	18	57	50
Registration	4	4	23	21	44	46
Tributes from Native States	5	4	10	21	90	88
Other Civil Revenue	40	42	1,46	1,54	3,84	3,67
TOTAL CIVIL REVENUE DIRECTLY BROUGHT TO ACCOUNT : GROSS	3,74	3,90	23,28	24,88	67,23	65,35
Civil Expenditure.						
Interest on Ordinary Debt and that on Railways and Irrigation Works	— 56	— 53	— 1,83	— 1,75	— 3,79	— 3,73
Opium	— 42	— 41	— 1,84	— 1,86	— 2,65	— 2,48
Famine Relief	— 33	—	— 1,63	— 3	— 1,49	— 60
Other Civil Expenditure	— 1,95	— 1,91	— 10,21	— 10,00	— 26,77	— 25,86
TOTAL CIVIL EXPENDITURE DIRECTLY BROUGHT TO ACCOUNT : GROSS	— 3,26	— 2,85	— 15,51	— 13,64	— 34,70	— 32,67
Receipts into Civil Treasuries from, and issues from those Treasuries to, the following Non-Civil Departments :						
[The figures comprise Revenue, Expenditure, and Debt and Remittance Transactions.]						
Post Office (Net : + Receipts more, — Receipts less, than Issues)	— 4	+ 22	+ 4	+ 1,14	+ 56	+ 59
Forest, Marine (Net as above)	+ 1	+ 5	+ 1	+ 3	+ 31	+ 25
Guaranteed and Subsidized Railways (Net as above)	+ 17	+ 13	+ 1,26	+ 1,41	+ 2,94	+ 2,91
Repayment of Surplus Profits, etc.	—	—	—	— 1	— 16	— 45
Military Receipts	+ 2	+ 5	+ 31	+ 30	+ 71	+ 84
Issues	— 1,48	— 1,27	— 6,83	— 6,61	— 16,41	— 16,91
Telegraph Receipts	+ 6	+ 6	+ 20	+ 20	—	+ 76
Issues	— 5	— 5	— 26	— 28	— 1	— 71
Public Works Department—						
State Railways—Receipts	+ 86	+ 87	+ 5,45	+ 4,98	—	+ 13,12
Issues	— 84	— 91	— 4,73	— 4,44	—	— 11,67
East Indian Railway—Receipts	+ 42	+ 59	+ 2,23	+ 2,13	— 2,68	+ 5,03
Issues	— 17	— 15	— 99	— 74	—	— 2,15
Ordinary Branches—Receipts	+ 44	+ 37	+ 1,43	+ 1,18	—	+ 2,83
Issues	— 97	— 53	— 5,34	— 2,81	—	— 8,92
TOTAL NON-CIVIL DEPARTMENTS	— 1,57	— 57	— 7,23	— 3,43	— 14,74	— 14,48
Civil Debt and Remittance Transactions.						
Permanent Debt and Special Loans (Net : + Receipts more, — Receipts less, than Payments)	+ 2,03	+ 1,04	+ 1,91	+ 3,75	+ 3,42	+ 5,33
Mint Certificates and Bullion Advances (Net as above)	—	—	+ 1	— 3	—	— 12
Exchange on Remittance Accounts	— 34	— 97	— 2,43	— 5,78	— 8,62	— 9,44
Council Bills paid (including Telegraphic) at Rs. 10 per £	— 1,11	— 1,66	— 4,57	— 7,12	— 13,00	— 14,97
Other Debt Heads (Net as above)	— 24	— 32	— 83	— 92	+ 27	— 1,63
TOTAL DEBT AND REMITTANCE TRANSACTIONS	+ 34	— 1,91	— 5,91	— 10,10	— 17,93	— 20,83
GRAND TOTAL RECEIPTS AND ISSUES	— 75	— 4,43	— 5,37	— 2,29	— 14	— 2,63
Opening Cash Balance in Treasuries and Presidency Banks	9,25	15,64	13,87	16,50	13,46	16,50
Closing Cash Balance in Treasuries and Presidency Banks	8,50	14,21	8,50	14,21	13,32	13,87

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE. MINT.

The 24th September, 1897.

No. 4294-A.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 16 of the Indian Coinage Act (XXIII of 1870), and in continuation of paragraph 1 of the Notification in the Finance Department, No. 664, dated the 13th February 1891, the Governor General in Council is pleased to authorise the Manager or other principal officer of the several offices and agencies in India of the Mercantile Bank of India, Limited, to cut or break silver coin under that section.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

The 23rd September, 1897.

No. 4286-G1—The following reversions and promotions of officers of the Account Department during the month of August 1897 are notified:

With effect from the 16th August 1897,—

Mr. W. H. Dobbie to revert to class II,
Mr. H. J. Brereton to revert to class III,
Mr. R. T. Howe to revert to class IV,
Mr. A. Newmarch to revert to class V, and
Mr. W. H. E. Mellor to revert to class VI,
of the Enrolled List.

With effect from the 16th August 1897, in consequence of the grant of privilege leave to Mr. T. H. S. Biddulph,—

Mr. W. H. Dobbie to officiate in class I,
Mr. H. J. Brereton to officiate in class II,
Mr. R. T. Howe to officiate in class III,
Mr. A. Newmarch to officiate in class IV, and
Mr. W. H. E. Mellor to officiate in class V,
of the Enrolled List.

With effect from the 17th August 1897, in consequence of the grant of privilege leave to Mr. L. Marshall,—

Mr. M. N. Bhattacharya to officiate in class III,
Mr. W. J. F. Williamson to officiate in class IV, and
Mr. M. K. Ghatak to officiate in class V, of the Enrolled List.

With effect from the 18th August 1897, in consequence of the grant of privilege leave to Mr. A. Kensington,—

Mr. F. C. Harrison to officiate in class I, and
Mr. R. A. Gamble to officiate in class II, of Accountants General.

SEPARATE REVENUE. STAMPS.

The 23rd September, 1897.

No. 4276-S. R.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 35 of the Court Fees Act, 1870 (VII of 1870), the Governor General in

Council is pleased to direct that the following shall be inserted in Part A, after clause (19) of the Notification of the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department, No. 4650, dated the 10th September 1889, namely:

“(19-A) to remit the fee chargeable on an application for the grant of a license for the vend of stamps.”

J. F. FINLAY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 24th September, 1897.

APPOINTMENTS.

ARMY STAFF.

No. 1055.—Captain E. L. Guilding, 2nd Battalion, Essex Regiment, officiating Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Nagpore District, to be a Station Staff Officer, 1st class, in the Bengal Command, *vice* Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel F. J. Aylmer, V.C., appointed an Assistant Adjutant-General. Dated 8th July 1897.

DISTRICT STAFF.

No. 1056.—Colonel W. C. Black, Indian Staff Corps, Assistant Adjutant-General, Head Quarters, Bombay Command, and officiating Colonel on the Staff, Nusseerabad, to officiate in command of a second class district in India, with the temporary rank of Brigadier-General while so employed, *vice* Brigadier-General R. Westmacott, C.B., D.S.O., appointed to command the 2nd Reserve Brigade and Jamrud Moveable Column. Dated 11th September 1897.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1057.—Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel R. Blood, Army Medical Staff, to officiate on the Administrative Medical Staff of the Army, with the temporary rank of Surgeon-Colonel, *vice* Surgeon-Colonel E. Townsend, Army Medical Staff, appointed Principal Medical Officer, Mohmand Field Force. Dated 10th September 1897.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 1058.—The undermentioned officer is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps, with effect from the date specified, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India:

Lieutenant Arthur Prescott Trevor, Royal Artillery, wing officer, 20th Regiment of Bombay Infantry,—22nd August 1896.

No. 1059.—Lieutenant Charles Aitchison Smith, Essex Regiment, officiating squadron officer, 9th Regiment of Bengal Lancers, having completed eighteen months' probationary service, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 18th January 1896, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

PROMOTIONS.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

No. 1060.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :

To be Major.

Captain and Brevet-Major George Borlase Stevens,—19th September 1897.

BARRACK DEPARTMENT.

Bombay.

No. 1061.—Honorary Lieutenant and Assistant Commissary John Mason to be Deputy Commissary, and to have the honorary rank of Captain, subject to Her Majesty's approval ;

Honorary Lieutenant and Deputy Assistant Commissary William Hobbs to be Assistant Commissary ;

Conductor Thomas Hency to be Deputy Assistant Commissary, and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval,—

with effect from the 11th August 1897, *vice* Honorary Captain and Deputy Commissary Patrick O'Donnell, retired.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Bengal.

No. 1062.—The undermentioned Military pupils having passed their final examination, are admitted into the service as third class Assistant Surgeons, with effect from the 1st of April 1897 :

Joseph Longman Wreddeu.

George Harold King.

Augustus Wilhelm Dyer.

Bombay.

No. 1063.—The undermentioned Military pupils having passed their final examination, are admitted into the service as third class Assistant Surgeons, with effect from the 1st April 1897 :

Joseph Alfred Colkers.

Ernest Ebenezer Thipthorp.

Bernard Nadel.

Henry Duckworth.

NATIVE ARMY.

No. 1064.—*14th (The Ferozepore Sikh) Regiment of Bengal Infantry—*

Jemadar Atr Singh to be Subadar and Havildar Kehar Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Gurmukh Singh, deceased, with effect from the 15th August 1897.

No. 1065.—*20th (The Duke of Cambridge's Own Punjab) Regiment of Bengal Infantry—*

Jemadar Arjun Singh to be Subadar and Havildar Dayal Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Magar

Singh, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 1st August 1897.

No. 1066.—*39th (The Garhwal Rifles) Regiment of Bengal Infantry—*

Subadar Girdhari Kathait to be Subadar-Major. Jemadar Sobhan Sing Jagi to be Subadar, and Havildar Kishan Sing Bisht to be Jemadar, *vice* Moti Negi, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 1st August 1897.

No. 1067.—*42nd Gurkha (Rifle) Regiment of Bengal Infantry—*

Subadar Chamu Kavar to be Subadar-Major, Jemadar Kalu Gurung to be Subadar, and Havildar Partap Sing Thapa to be Jemadar, *vice* Mahes Thapa, deceased, with effect from the 6th August 1897.

No. 1068.—*5th Regiment of Bombay (Light) Infantry—*

Jemadar Mahadav Rao Dalvi to be Subadar and Havildar-Major Raoji Powar to be Jemadar, *vice* Hanumantrao Chauhan, transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 8th August 1897.

No. 1069.—*20th Regiment of Bombay Infantry—*

Havildar-Major Ganga Ram Misir to be Jemadar, *vice* Motiram Pema, promoted, with effect from the 1st January 1897.

No. 1070.—*29th (The Duke of Connaught's Own) Regiment of Bombay Infantry (2nd Baluch Battalion)—*

Havildar Mihrab Shah to be Jemadar, *vice* Madat Khan, promoted, with effect from the 20th July 1897.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 1071.—Colonel William James Alexander Birch, Indian Staff Corps, Commandant, 5th Regiment of Bengal (Light) Infantry, has been permitted by the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, with effect from the 1st December 1897, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 1072.—Lieutenant Edward Frank Harding, Indian Staff Corps, wing officer, 23rd (or Wallajahbad) Regiment of Madras (Light) Infantry, is permitted to resign the service, with effect from the 5th October 1897, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

No. 1073.—*Calcutta Naval Volunteers—*

Edward James Wright, Gentleman, to be Sub-Lieutenant, to complete the establishment.

Robert Graves MacIver, Gentleman, to be Sub-Lieutenant, *vice* Blaker, promoted.

Reginald Somerset Mead Curran, Gentleman, to be Sub-Lieutenant, *vice* Ainsley, resigned.

No. 1074.—Behar Light Horse—

Angus Ogilvy, Gentleman, to be Second-Lieutenant, *vice* Edwards, promoted.

No. 1075.—1st Punjab Volunteer Rifles—

Albert Ernest Fox, Gentleman, to be Second-Lieutenant, *vice* Evill, resigned.

No. 1076.—East Indian Railway Volunteer Rifles—

Lieutenant James Cumming to be Captain, *vice* Pont, promoted.

Second-Lieutenant Samuel Jessop Duffill to be Lieutenant, *vice* Cumming, promoted.

No. 1077.—Mussoorie Volunteer Rifles—

Captain S. H. Berkeley, Unattached List, resigns his commission, with effect from the 13th September 1897.

No. 1078.—Eastern Bengal State Railway Volunteer Rifles—

James Patch, Gentleman, to be Second-Lieutenant, *vice* Mills, promoted.

No. 1079.—Bombay Volunteer Rifles—

Lieutenant Neil Devlin, Unattached List, resigns his commission, and is permitted, on retirement, to retain his rank and wear the uniform of the corps.

No. 1080.—Chittagong Volunteer Rifles—

Lieutenant B. P. Milsom resigns his commission.

No. 1081.—Madras Railway Volunteers—

John Frederick Dinwoodie, Gentleman, to be Second-Lieutenant, *vice* Smith, resigned.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 64.—Commander T. G. R. Finny, Royal Indian Marine, Port Officer, Karachi, sub. *pro tem.*, to officiate as Port Officer, Bombay, with effect from 2nd October 1897, *vice* Commander G. Wilson, on furlough.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 65.—The undermentioned officer is permitted to proceed on leave out of India on private affairs under the leave rules contained in paragraph 131, Marine Regulations, India, Volume I, Part II; the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty:

Sub-Lieutenant A. E. Harold, Royal Indian Marine, for one year.

P. J. MAITLAND, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 24th September, 1897.

Statement of Deposits on account of Estates between the 31st July and the 24th September 1897.

On whose account.	Rank.	Corps.	Date of decease.	Testate or intestate.	Total unclaimed amount deposited.	Amount paid in India.	Date to which claims will be received.
					Rs. a. p.		
Robert Henry Michaelson Yeates. (a)	Lieutenant.	Royal Engineers.	29th October 1896.	No will found	4,812 12 9	...	...

(a) Administrator-General, Bombay, administering.

P. J. MAITLAND, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India,

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.**NOTIFICATIONS.**

Simla, the 20th September, 1897.

No. 381.—The services of Lieutenant-Colonel J. W. Thurburn, R.F., Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, and officiating Superintending Engineer, Punjab, are temporarily replaced at the disposal of the Military Department for employment on Field Service.

The 21st September, 1897.

No. 382.—Mr. J. M. Montague, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, State Railways, has been granted by the Agent, Bengal and North-Western Railway Company, Limited, furlough for twenty-four months under Article 340, Civil Service Regulations.

No. 383.—Mr. R. G. Macdonald, Accountant General and Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, has been granted by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, furlough for six months, in further extension of that notified in Public Works Department Notification No. 465, dated 3rd November 1896.

The 22nd September, 1897.

No. 384.—Mr. G. Hales, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, (on probation) is confirmed in his appointment in Class III, Grade 4 of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, with effect from the 7th August 1897.

The 23rd September, 1897.

No. 386.—The services of Mr. C. E. Cardew, in Class I, Grade 2 of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, Locomotive Department, are placed at the disposal of the Burma Railways Company, Limited, with effect from the afternoon of the 15th July 1897.

No. 387.—The services of the undermentioned State Railway Officers were placed at the disposal of the Burma Railways Company, Limited, for the periods specified :

Mr. J. M. Harman, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, from the 1st September 1896 to the 7th May 1897.

Mr. H. M. Cardew, officiating in Class I of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, Locomotive Department, from the 1st September 1896 to the afternoon of the 15th July 1897.

The 24th September, 1897.

No. 388.—Babu Bhola Nath Banerjee, passed student of the Sibpur Civil Engineering College, is appointed to the Provincial Service of the Engineering Branch of the Public Works Department, as an Apprentice, and is posted to Bengal.

No. 389.—Mr. W. H. Cole in Class I, Grade 3 of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, Management Department, is, on return from leave, posted as Deputy Manager of the North Western Railway.

No. 390.—It is hereby notified for general information that His Excellency the Governor General in Council, having sanctioned a survey from Rewari Station on the Rewari-Ferozepore Railway to Kuchaman Road and Phalera Stations on the Rajpūtana-Malwa Railway, is pleased to place the same under the control of the Director General of Railways.

The survey will be known as the Rewari-Kuchaman Chord Survey.

No. 391.—Notification No. 364, dated 9th September 1897, appointing Mr. H. Millér, Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade, Military Works Department, to the Provincial Service of the Engineer Branch of the Public Works Department, as an Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, and posting him to Bengal, is hereby cancelled.

No. 392.—Mr. B. G. Wallis, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, and Superintending Engineer, 2nd Class, temporary rank, Punjab, is permanently promoted to Superintending Engineer, 3rd Class, and temporarily to Superintending Engineer, 2nd Class, with effect from the 12th July 1897.

TELEGRAPH.

The 23rd September, 1897.

No. 385.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to order the following permanent promotions in the Superior Establishment of the Indian Telegraph Department, with effect from the dates specified :

Name.	From	To	Date.
Mr. F. G. Maclean . . .	Director, Class III, and officiating Deputy Director General, Class II.	Deputy Director General, Class II.	25th May 1897.
Mr. A. B. Larkins . . .	Chief Superintendent, Class IV, and temporary Director, Class III.	Director, Class III . . .	25th May 1897.
Mr. W. C. N. Jones . . .	Superintendent, Class V, 1st Grade.	Chief Superintendent, Class IV.	25th May 1897.
Mr. T. D. Berrington . . .	Superintendent, Class V, 2nd Grade.	Superintendent, Class V, 1st Grade.	1st May 1897.
Mr. F. E. Dempster, C.I.E. . .	Superintendent, Class V, 2nd Grade.	Superintendent, Class V, 1st Grade.	25th May 1897.
Mr. A. L. H. Palmer . . .	Superintendent, Class V, 2nd Grade.	Superintendent, Class V, 1st Grade.	11th July 1897.
Mr. I. C. Thomas . . .	Assistant Superintendent, Class VI, 1st Grade, and temporary Class V, 2nd Grade.	Superintendent, Class V, 2nd Grade.	1st May 1897.
Mr. H. S. Styan . . .	Assistant Superintendent, Class VI, 1st Grade, and temporary Class V, 2nd Grade.	Superintendent, Class V, 2nd Grade.	25th May 1897.
Mr. H. E. Chappel . . .	Assistant Superintendent, Class VI, 1st Grade, and temporary Class V, 2nd Grade.	Superintendent, Class V, 2nd Grade.	11th July 1897.

T. GRACEY, *Colonel, R.E.*,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Weather Review of India for the Week ending at 8 a.m. on Saturday, September 18th, 1897.

The general weather over India has been somewhat disturbed during the week under review but there has been very little actual monsoon weather experienced. The log of the mail steamer which traversed the Arabian Sea during this period shows that in the centre of the sea a moderate to gentle monsoon was blowing, but that on approaching the Bombay coast light variable winds and fine weather were encountered. As a result the weather over India was largely influenced by local causes, and was showery and unsettled in places and fine in others. During the first four days of the week the weather over North Bombay and the north-west of India was largely influenced by the storm which was passing through Berar on the closing day of last week and which hung about the north of the Arabian Sea from Sunday to Wednesday of the present week. During this time, not only were cyclonic winds and rains reported from North Bombay, but a flow of air from the north of the Arabian Sea into North-West India took place which gave heavyish rain to Rajputana, the North-West Provinces and the Kumaun Himalayas. During the same four days the weather was steadily showery over Burma, Assam and Bengal and fine over Madras and the Punjab. By the morning of Thursday the 16th the Arabian Sea storm had disappeared, and the weather became very quiet throughout the whole country. From this date to the close of the week there were occasional showers, but, except over Burma, Assam and Bengal, where the showers were frequent and heavy, the weather was generally fine with a few passing showers of rain. The weather during the week was generally warmer than usual, but on Wednesday the 15th, when the influence of the storm in the north of the Arabian Sea and the flow of air from the sea into North-West India were both at their maximum and the rainfall consequently both heavy and extensive, the mean temperature of the whole country was below the normal, but with this exception the heat throughout the week was greater than usual.

Daily Summary.—*Sunday, September 12th.*—The barometer had fallen slightly over Bengal and Arakan and slightly to briskly over Sind and Kathiawar, but had risen elsewhere. The cyclonic storm which had been passing through Berar on Saturday the 11th was shown over the Kathiawar Coast near Veraval. The storm was deeper than on the preceding day. The winds over Western and Central India were largely influenced by the storm, while westerly winds were reported from Madras and south-easterly winds over Northern India. The mean temperature was lower than usual over the greater part of the Peninsula and the Indus Valley. The weather had been generally fine with a few passing showers, but in Burma, across the head of the Peninsula and in Gujarat the rainfall was heavier and more general.

Monday, September 13th.—Pressure had increased briskly over the Konkan, the Central Provinces and Gujarat, but had changed only slightly elsewhere. The depression had moved westward into the north of the Arabian Sea and was apparently lying immediately to the west of Veraval. The winds were southerly along the Bombay coast and across Gujarat, while elsewhere there was not much change. The mean temperature was low over the greater part of the Peninsula as well as over Upper Burma and Deltaic Bengal, but generally the heat was excessive. The distribution of rain had been the same as on the preceding day, and the fall was only general over Burma, across the head of the Peninsula and in North Bombay.

Tuesday, September 14th.—The barometric changes had been slight or small, and the general conditions of pressure were generally similar to those reported on the 13th. The cyclonic storm still lay off the Kathiawar Coast. The southerly current along the Bombay Coast and across Gujarat into Rajputana, etc., still held steadily, but the south-easterly current over Northern India was less steady, and elsewhere the wind directions were very variable. The heat was above the normal over the Gangetic Plain and Lower Sind, below the normal over Lower Bengal and Rajputana and about the average elsewhere. The weather had been fine to showery. In Lower Bengal and parts of the east of the Punjab and the west of the North-West Provinces the falls of rain had been heavy.

Wednesday, September 15th.—The barometer had fallen practically everywhere. The fall had been brisk to rapid over Northern and North-Eastern India and brisk at Bhuj. The depression from the Arabian Sea was moving northward and crossing the Kathiawar Coast, while very shallow depressions were shown—one over Bengal, a second over the Delhi district and a third over the North Punjab. The southerly winds over Bombay, Gujarat, etc., noticed on the preceding days held steadily, but in all other places the winds were very variable. The mean temperature was defective over North-West and North-East India and excessive over the Peninsula, the Central Provinces, West Bengal and the east of the North-West Provinces. The abnormal deficiency was over 12° at Sirsa. The weather was generally showery, and in parts of Burma and of East Bengal the falls had been heavy.

Thursday, September 16th.—Pressure had continued to decrease almost everywhere. Readings were highest in the extreme south-west and lowest in the extreme north-west, and the pressure difference was about normal. Westerly to southerly winds prevailed throughout the whole country and the force was about normal. The heat was greater than usual over the Peninsula and the central parts of the country and less than usual over North-West and North-East India. Showery weather had prevailed, except over the Punjab, the Bombay Deccan, the central parts of the country and Madras, where the weather had been fine. The heaviest falls of rain continued to be reported from Burma and East Bengal.

Friday, September 17th.—Pressure had generally risen. The increase had been greater in the north than in the south, so that the pressure difference had decreased, but otherwise the general conditions of pressure were unaltered. The winds were practically unchanged and were largely below the normal force. The mean temperature remained low in the north-west and north-east and high elsewhere. The weather remained showery over a large part of the country, and the amounts were heavy in North-East India and locally at Mount Abu and at Trichinopoly.

Saturday, September 18th.—The barometer had fallen over the south of the Peninsula and risen elsewhere. The rise had been rapid in the north. Pressure was becoming uniform, but readings were low over the Punjab and Sind and relatively low over the west of the Bay, while they were high over the west of the Peninsula and over Tenasserim. The winds exhibited an indraught towards the centre of the Bay, but were variable elsewhere. The mean temperature was low over North-East India and North Bombay, but was excessive elsewhere. The weather remained showery—more particularly in the north-east.

Temperature.—The mean temperature has changed a good deal during the week under review. Compared with the normal the heat was excessive in the north and low in the south on the 12th and 13th, then on the 14th a rapid fall in the north-east and north-west reduced temperature to below the normal in those two localities, while over the Peninsula the heat rose to the normal. On the 15th, 16th and 17th the heat was steadily excessive over the Peninsula and the Central Provinces and steadily in defect in the north, so that conditions were the opposite of those prevailing at the commencement of the week.

The following table gives the temperature data for the week :

PROVINCE.	SEPTEMBER 1897.							Mean variation of week.
	12th	13th	14th	15th	16th	17th	18th	
	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	
Burma	+0.8	+0.6	+1.7	—0.4	+0.6	+1.2	+1.0	+0.8
Bengal and Assam	+1.7	+1.4	—0.8	—0.5	—0.8	—0.8	+0.2	+0.1
North-Western Provinces and Oudh	+2.4	+2.8	+2.1	—2.4	—1.0	+0.9	+3.0	+1.1
Punjab	+1.9	+2.9	+1.2	—3.5	—1.1	+1.4	+2.0	+0.7
Bombay	+0.3	+0.6	+1.5	+1.9	+1.7	+2.2	+2.1	+1.5
Central Provinces and Berar	+0.8	+1.0	+1.0	+1.4	+1.6	+2.3	+2.3	+1.5
Central India and Gujarat	+3.6	+2.1	+1.3	+0.3	—0.2	—0.2	—0.1	+1.0
Sind and Rajputana	+3.7	+3.8	—1.1	—1.1	—0.9	+1.1	+2.0	+1.1
Madras	—1.0	—0.8	+0.9	+1.2	+1.8	+2.4	+1.2	+0.8
Mean for whole of India	+1.6	+1.6	+0.9	—0.3	+0.2	+1.2	+1.5	+1.0

The daily variations for the whole country exhibit a slight excess of temperature on each day of the week, except the 15th when there was a trifling deficiency. At the commencement and again at the close of the week the general excess was about $1\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$. The provincial variations also show a general excess of temperature, the amount ranging from only $0^{\circ}1$ in Bengal and Assam to $1^{\circ}5$ in Bombay and the Central Provinces.

The following are the highest maximum temperatures recorded on each day :

September 12th	106°9	at Jacobabad.
„ 13th	107°4	„ „
„ 14th	102°8	„ Khushab.
„ 15th	102°5	„ Jacobabad.
„ 16th	101°5	„ „
„ 17th	104°4	„ „
„ 18th	104°9	„ „

The above shows that the area of greatest heat held steadily throughout the week over North-West India, but maxima exceeding 100° were on several days recorded over the extreme south of the Peninsula.

Rain.—The rainfall during the week under review has been somewhat more extensive than was the case last week, there being only one of the rainfall divisions reporting no rain. In Burma rain fell on each day of the week ; in Bengal and Assam the first two days of the week were fairly fine, but the remaining days very showery ; in the North-West Provinces the 14th, 15th and 16th were showery and the other days fine ; in the Punjab the 14th and 15th were showery, except in the north and west, where the weather was generally fine throughout ; there was very little rain reported from the Peninsula, except in the Konkan, where there was a daily fall ; in the central parts of the country the weather was showery throughout ; in the northern parts of Madras the weather was showery in the first half and in the southern parts in the second half of the week. The table at the close of the summary shows that there was no rain during the week in Baluchistan, but that in all other divisions, except the Central Punjab, effective rainfall was received. The amount of this rainfall ranged from 9.11 inches in the Assam (Hills), 7.59 inches in Assam (Surma), 7.34 inches in Arakan and 6.54 inches in East Bengal, to 0.23 inch in the North Punjab, 0.22 inch in the West Punjab and 0.13 inch in Madras (Central). The third column of the table shows that this distribution of the average actual rainfall differs considerably

from the normal distribution, the difference consisting roughly in an excess in the extreme north-west and north-east of India and a deficiency elsewhere. In the case of twenty-three of the rainfall divisions the week's rainfall was in excess of the normal, and in the case of thirty-four it was in defect of the normal, so that the rainfall as a whole was somewhat deficient. The principal instances of excess were 3·92 inches in East Bengal, 2·55 inches in Assam (Surma) and 3·19 inches in the Assam Hills, and the principal instances of deficiency were 4·42 inches in Tenasserim, 2·27 inches in Coorg, 2·25 inches in the Konkan and 1·75 inches in Orissa. In the Bombay Deccan the rainfall was generally very light and scattered, and except in Kolhapur the average of each district was largely below the normal. In Madras the returns show an excess of rain in the Vizagapatam, Godaveri, South Arcot, Tanjore, Trichinopoly and Madura districts and a deficiency elsewhere.

The three concluding columns of the table giving the average actual and average normal rainfall for the period May 30th to September the 18th show that the monsoon rainfall up to date has been in excess of the normal by 20 per cent. or more in fourteen divisions, *viz.*—South Bihar, the North-West Provinces (East), South Oudh, the North-West Provinces (West), the North-West Provinces (Hills), the North Punjab, the West Punjab, Malabar, Mysore, the Bombay Deccan, Sind, West Rajputana, the East Coast (North) and the East Coast (Central), in defect of the normal by 20 per cent. or more in five divisions, *viz.*—Upper Burma, the Assam Hills, the Submontane Punjab, Gujarat and Baluchistan, and about normal in the remaining thirty-eight divisions. Last week the numbers were sixteen divisions with excessive rain, eight divisions with deficient rain and thirty-three divisions with normal rainfall, so that during the past week the number of divisions with excessive rain and of those with deficient rain have both decreased, while the number with a normal fall has proportionately increased.

There were no very large amounts during the week under review, but the following were the principal falls in the different provinces :

Burma	.	.	Maungdaw (Akyab)	.	.	8·94 inches.
Bengal	.	.	Kishoreganj (Mymensingh)	.	.	9·82 „
Assam	.	.	Cherra Poonjee	.	.	32·82 „
Bihar	.	.	Ramnagar (Champaran)	.	.	7·01 „
North-West Provinces	.	.	Najibabad (Bijnor)	.	.	5·18 „
Punjab	.	.	Karnal	.	.	5·90 „
West Coast districts	.	.	Bavda (Kolhapur)	.	.	12·63 „
Central districts	.	.	Ramtek (Nagpur)	.	.	4·00 „
North Bombay	.	.	One station in Broach	.	.	5·05 „
Madras	.	.	Bhimavaram (Godaveri)	.	.	7·47 „

PROVINCE.	DIVISION.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 18TH, 1897.			RAINFALL DATA FROM MAY 30TH TO SEPTEMBER 18TH, 1897.		
		Average actual rainfall of division.	Average normal rainfall of division.	Excess or defect in inches.	Average actual rainfall of season to date.	Average normal rainfall, May 30th to September 18th.	Excess or de- fect of (seasonal) rain- fall expressed as a per- centage.
		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Per cent.
BURMA	1. Tenasserim	2'66	7'08	— 4'42	132'00	146'72	— 10
	2. Lower Burma Deltaic	2'76	2'84	— 0'08	75'15	73'52	+ 2
	3. Central do.	1'36	2'03	— 0'67	39'72	45'99	— 14
	4. Upper do.	1'89	1'90	— 0'01	23'63	35'52	— 33
	5. Arakan	7'34	6'60	+ 0'74	145'26	153'33	— 5
BENGAL AND ASSAM	6. Eastern Bengal	6'54	2'62	+ 3'92	67'14	65'87	+ 2
	7. Assam Surma	7'59	5'04	+ 2'55	77'48	86'87	— 11
	8. Do. Hills	9'11	5'92	+ 3'19	70'16	107'25	— 35
	9. Do. Brahmaputra	2'97	2'18	+ 0'79	48'29	52'24	— 8
	10. Deltaic Bengal	3'83	1'95	+ 1'88	43'60	41'29	+ 6
	11. Central do.	2'73	2'43	+ 0'30	35'63	41'56	— 14
	12. North do.	3'24	3'88	— 0'64	63'74	71'26	— 11
	13. Bengal Hills	3'90	3'80	+ 0'10	80'68	103'34	— 16
	14. Orissa	0'83	2'58	— 1'75	36'38	38'90	— 6
	15. Chota Nagpur	0'98	2'44	— 1'46	35'25	40'82	— 14
	16. South Bihar	0'68	1'91	— 1'23	40'92	33'89	+ 21
	17. North do.	1'83	2'40	— 0'57	37'29	38'58	— 3
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES AND OUDEH.	18. N.-W. P. East	0'54	2'10	— 1'56	38'67	31'40	+ 23
	19. South Oudh	1'25	1'70	— 0'45	35'61	29'47	+ 21
	20. North do.	0'48	1'91	— 1'43	36'17	31'79	+ 14
	21. N.-W. P. Central	1'25	1'61	— 0'36	29'77	28'48	+ 4
	22. Do. West	0'96	1'09	— 0'13	27'42	21'82	+ 26
	23. Do. East Submontane.	1'25	2'09	— 0'84	37'65	33'21	+ 13
	24. Do. West do.	1'91	1'45	+ 0'46	41'59	35'64	+ 17
	25. Do. Hills	2'43	1'25	+ 1'18	47'31	36'15	+ 31
PUNJAB	26. South-East Punjab	2'03	1'27	+ 0'76	19'43	19'07	+ 2
	27. South do.	1'31	0'76	+ 0'55	10'85	12'61	— 14
	28. Central do.	0'08	0'73	— 0'65	11'25	13'29	— 15
	29. Punjab Submontane	0'63	1'00	— 0'37	16'69	22'04	— 24
	30. Do. Hills	1'88	1'94	— 0'06	45'31	53'52	— 16
	31. North Punjab	0'23	0'69	— 0'46	14'66	11'22	+ 31
	32. West do.	0'22	0'20	+ 0'02	7'30	5'73	+ 27
BOMBAY AND MALABAR COAST DISTRICTS (MADRAS).	33. Malabar	0'90	2'45	— 1'55	111'39	91'42	+ 22
	34. Madras South-Central	0'47	1'57	— 1'10	23'38	20'31	+ 15
	35. Coorg	0'67	2'94	— 2'27	117'45	102'46	+ 15
	36. Mysore	0'76	1'03	— 0'27	22'20	17'81	+ 25
	37. Konkan	1'71	3'96	— 2'25	111'52	104'06	+ 7
	38. Bombay Deccan	0'41	1'13	— 0'72	25'60	21'16	+ 21
	39. Hyderabad North	...	...	...	...	...	...
	40. Khandesh	0'68	1'82	— 1'14	18'31	20'05	— 9
CENTRAL PROVINCES AND BERAR.	41. Berar	1'30	1'28	+ 0'02	25'68	28'92	— 11
	42. Central Provinces West	1'71	2'26	— 0'55	32'77	34'56	— 5
	43. Do. do. Central	1'34	2'24	— 0'90	39'28	45'09	— 13
	44. Do. do. East	1'61	2'01	— 0'40	46'13	41'82	+ 10
BOMBAY (NORTH)	45. Gujarat	1'98	1'81	+ 0'17	29'31	39'58	— 26
	46. Kathiawar	1'30	0'77	+ 0'53	17'66	18'08	— 2
	47. Sind	0'20	0'11	+ 0'09	7'91	4'79	+ 65
	48. Baluchistan Hills	0	0'12	— 0'12	0'36	2'16	— 83
RAJPUTANA AND CENTRAL INDIA.	49. Central India East	1'34	1'12	+ 0'22	31'23	32'39	— 4
	50. Rajputana East, Central India West.	1'53	0'72	+ 0'81	20'62	25'22	— 18
	51. West Rajputana	0'77	0'44	+ 0'33	14'32	11'02	+ 30
MADRAS	52. East Coast North	1'84	1'66	+ 0'18	26'10	21'60	+ 21
	52-A. Do. do. (n)	3'30	2'29	+ 1'21	40'85	44'96	— 9
	53. Hyderabad South	0'37	1'15	— 0'78	19'48	18'40	+ 6
	54. Madras Central	0'13	0'99	— 0'86	15'33	13'88	+ 10
	55. East Coast Central	0'43	1'01	— 0'58	16'92	13'73	+ 23
	56. Do. South	0'94	1'01	— 0'07	15'71	13'24	+ 19
	57. Madras South	0'85	0'52	+ 0'33	6'64	5'81	+ 15

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Weekly Report on the state of the Season and Prospects of the Crops.

Madras.—*For week ending 18th September.*—Rainfall is in considerable deficit in the Deccan, but elsewhere on the whole fairly normal. Water-supply for drinking purposes is ample; for irrigation it is generally sufficient. Agricultural operations are general; harvests are still limited to small areas, outturns middling to fair. Pasture is generally available; fodder is scarce in the Deccan; elsewhere it is generally available, but is dear. Condition of cattle is improving in the Deccan; elsewhere generally normal. Prices are generally somewhat easier. Prospects are generally encouraging. The numbers on relief were:—ordinary relief workers—61,989 men, 124,939 women, 37,631 children; total 224,559 in the Deccan and Circars. Intermediate workers—50 men, 28 women, 6 children; total 84 in Godavari. Weavers—25,320 men, 23,584 women, 1,653 children; total 50,557 relieved at their own trade in the Deccan and Circars. Total relief workers 275,200. Kitchen inmates in the Deccan and Circars: (dependants)—264 men, 493 women, 12,154 children; total 12,911. Others—1,396 men, 2,790 women, 11,422 children; total 15,608. Otherwise gratuitously relieved—8,814 men, 22,855 women, 19,056 children; total 50,725. Total on gratuitous relief 79,244. Grand total on Government relief 354,444. Figures for Anantapur incomplete. Prices on which wages are calculated were:—Ganjam 9, Kurnool $11\frac{1}{2}$, Bellary 12, Vizagapatam, Anantapur and Cuddapah $13\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee. Loans disbursed during the week in affected districts Rs. 56,764.

Bombay.—*For week ending 20th September.*—Rain slight in Sind; beneficial in Gujrat, Konkan, Deccan and Karnatak; more wanted in Panch Mahals, Poona, Belgaum, and parts of Khandesh, Nasik and Sholapur. Standing crops thriving. Locusts have caused damage in three talukas of Hyderabad; slight in two of Karachi and three of Thar and Parkar. Preparations for late crops commenced in Hyderabad, Upper Sind frontier, Khandesh and Nasik, and sowings in Poona, Ahmednagar, Sholapur and Bijapur. Fodder is sufficient except in parts of Nasik, Poona, Sholapur and Belgaum. Condition of agricultural stock is deteriorating in two talukas of Satara; improving in Khandesh, Ahmednagar, Sholapur, Bijapur and Belgaum. Prices continue high in Karachi, Shikarpur, Surat, Nasik and Thana; falling in Broach, Khandesh and Belgaum; stationary in Kolaba and Sholapur. Prices in affected districts were:—Belgaum $8\frac{7}{8}$, Bijapur $7\frac{3}{4}$, Sholapur $7\frac{5}{8}$, Ahmednagar $7\frac{1}{8}$, Poona $7\frac{3}{8}$, Nasik $7\frac{3}{8}$, Satara $7\frac{5}{8}$, Khandesh $7\frac{1}{4}$, and Dharwar 10 seers per rupee. The average number on relief works, including dependants, was:—Bijapur 114,268, Sholapur 102,272, Ahmednagar 94,361, Poona 18,827, Nasik 3,967, Satara 14,857, Khandesh 1,852, Belgaum 19,211, Dharwar 4,277. On test works—Ratnagiri 185; total 374,077, of whom 306,608 were relief workers and 67,469 dependants. Of relief workers—99,773 are men, 131,721 women, and 75,114 children. Of dependants—562 are men, 4,014 women, and 62,893 children. On gratuitous relief—Bijapur 17,469, including 1,897 in poor-houses; Sholapur 15,705, including 132 in poor-houses; Ahmednagar 23,495, including 1,392 in poor-houses; Poona 24,285; Nasik 1,122, including 349 in poor-houses; Satara 5,571, including 278 in poor-houses; Khandesh 654; Belgaum 1,092; Dharwar 1,111; total 90,504, of whom 35,105 are men, 30,079 women, and 25,320 children. Total number on relief 464,581.

Bengal.—*For week ending 20th September.*—There was general rain during the week. The fall was heavy over a considerable part of Bengal proper and in the Champaran District. The general agricultural prospects are favourable throughout the Province. The transplantation of winter rice is almost over and the young plants are doing well. Early rice is still being harvested; jute is being cut, steeped, and washed. The harvesting of early autumn crops in Bihar and Chota Nagpur is in progress. Sugarcane generally promises well. The ploughing of

lands for spring crops has commenced in places. Insects are still infesting the rice plants in Cuttack. The price of common rice remained practically unchanged since last week, but that of the early autumn food-grains in Bihar has fallen. In the distressed districts the prices of the staple food-grain on which the famine wage is based are—Bankura, common rice $8\frac{3}{4}$ to $11\frac{1}{2}$ seers; Saran, indian-corn $15\frac{3}{4}$ seers; Champaran, indian-corn $15\frac{3}{4}$ seers; Muzaffarpur, indian-corn 15 to 20 seers; Darbhanga, indian-corn 15 seers; Puri, common rice 9 to 10 seers; and Manbhum, common rice $8\frac{3}{4}$ seers per rupee. The numbers on Government relief on Saturday, the 18th September, were—Bankura 9,029, Nadia 23, Khulna 3,831, Patna 1,861, Shahabad 972, Saran 11,353, Champaran 12,198, Muzaffarpur 2,270, Darbhanga 31,474, Puri 582, Hazaribagh 211, Lohardaga 1,133, and Manbhum 17,353; total 92,287 against 148,792 in the preceding week. The numbers relieved from the Indian Famine Charitable Relief Fund were—Bankura 1,318, Khulna 1,859, Shahabad 4,809, Saran 2,827, Champaran 13,984, Muzaffarpur 1,068, Darbhanga 25,434, Bhagalpur 2,335, Sonthal Parganas 1,258, Cuttack 1,567, Hazaribagh 58, Lohardaga 1,115; total 57,632 against 76,945 in the preceding week. The above totals are distributed as follows:—relief workers—men 14,942, women 9,306, children 1,993; total 26,241. Dependants—men 12, women *nil*, children 26; total 38. In poor-houses and kitchens—men 2,568, women 5,181, children 19,287; total 27,036. Otherwise relieved—men 8,004, women 25,426, children 5,542; total 38,972. Indian Famine Charitable Relief Fund—men 8,763, women 34,860, children 13,885; total 57,508 *plus* 124 sex not shown. Private relief—relief works—Jamtara—men 65, women 93, children *nil*; total 158. Gratuitous relief—Muzaffarpur—men 15, women 72, children 42; total 129. Hatwa—men 126, women 241, children 478; total 845. Cuttack—men 72, women 310, children 160; total 542. Total 1,674 against 10,394 in the preceding week.

North-Western Provinces and Oudh.—*For week ending 18th September.*—Rain fell in all districts during the week; Bijnor and Garhwal recorded over 5 inches, and Mainpuri, Hardoi, and Gorakhpur over 3 inches; in most of the remaining districts the rainfall varied from half an inch to 3 inches. Standing crops are doing well. Harvesting of autumn crops in progress. Preparation of land for spring sowings continues extensively. The numbers in receipt of relief on Saturday, the 18th September, in seventeen districts officially recognised as distressed were as follows:—Agra 6,573, Etawah 2,338, Cawnpore 6,239, Fatehpur 6,473, Banda 43,422, Hamirpur 13,897, Allahabad 37,312, Jhansi 10,906, Jalaun 16,111, Mirzapur 2,774, Family Domains of Maharaja of Benares, 3,391, Jaunpur 12,314, Gorakhpur 15,715, Azamgarh 1,756, Lucknow 26,384, Unao 14,343, Rai Bareilly 5,853, Hardoi 40,999; total 266,800. This total is distributed as follows among the various methods of relief prescribed by the Famine Code which are in operation:—employed on relief works—153; relieved as dependants—*nil*; relieved in poor-houses—8,990; relieved under other provisions of the Famine Code, including 49,275 from the Charitable Relief Fund, 257,657; total 266,800. The numbers relieved in eighteen districts which are under observation and not officially recognised as distressed were on the same date as follows:—relieved on test works—*nil*; relieved in poor-houses—1,595; relieved under other provisions of the Famine Code, including 10,514 from the Charitable Relief Fund, 33,024; total 34,619. The grand total in receipt of relief on the last day of the week was therefore 301,419. Supplies and fodder are sufficient. Prices generally show a tendency to fall. The price of the staple grain on which the famine wage is based varied from $9\frac{3}{4}$ to $14\frac{3}{4}$ seers per rupee in the districts officially recognised as distressed. The Basti district has been removed from the list of districts under observation. The numbers shown as relieved from the Indian Famine Charitable Relief Fund represent the operations of the fund so far only as they are carried out through official agency.

Punjab.—*For week ending 20th September.*—Rain has fallen averaging about $2\frac{1}{4}$ inches in Hissar; $1\frac{3}{4}$ Rohtak and Karnal; 1 Multan; $1\frac{1}{2}$ Rawal Pindi; half of an inch in Amritsar and Gujranwala; $\frac{1}{4}$ Ferozepore and $\frac{1}{5}$ Sialkot; rain has also fallen at the Sadr Stations, Umballa one inch and Delhi $\frac{1}{3}$ of an inch; slight rainfall is also reported from Jullundur. No rain has fallen in Lahore, Shahpur and Peshawar. Sowings of gram and ploughings for other spring

crops in progress. Standing crops are generally reported in good condition and their prospects are reported to be excellent. Sowings of certain crops secured until winter rains. Locusts have been destroyed in Rawal Pindi, but not yet in Delhi where they are causing damage to the standing crops; they have also appeared in Jullundur and laid eggs but no damage is reported; in parts of Gujranwala great millet, maize and cotton have been attacked by a parasite (Tela). Cattle are generally said to be in good condition. Green fodder is obtainable everywhere. The average number of relief workers, dependants, etc., was as follows—Relief workers—1,329 men, 1,635 women, 379 children. Dependants—6 men, 8 women, 708 children. Otherwise relieved—10 men, 93 women, 107 children. Details not given for 654 persons relieved in poor-houses in Delhi. The total number of persons relieved this week was 4,929 against 6,082 last week; of this 4,000 were in Hissar alone. Prices are generally high; they are rising especially of wheat in Sialkot; falling in Lahore, Gujranwala, Rawal Pindi, and Peshawar; in others the figures are unchanged. Wheat is selling from $9\frac{1}{2}$ to $11\frac{1}{2}$, barley $12\frac{1}{2}$, gram $8\frac{1}{4}$ to $9\frac{3}{4}$, great millet 11 to $11\frac{1}{2}$, bulrush-millet $8\frac{1}{2}$ to 12, maize $10\frac{5}{8}$ to 13, and rice 6 to $6\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee. *Cheena* (*Panicum frumentaceum*) is sold at Umballa from 20 to 21 seers per rupee. Prices of staple food-grains on which the famine wage is reckoned were—Hissar—barley flour 10 seers and great millet flour 10 seers per rupee. Wages paid on piece work system in Karnal.

Central Provinces.—*For week ending 20th September.*—Weather generally bright and clear, but more cloudy towards close of week. Timely showers have fallen at intervals almost everywhere, but more rain is required in the Murwara Tahsil of Jubbulpore and Sohagpur Tahsil of Hoshangabad, where slight damage has been caused in light soils by the break. Prospects of autumn crops continue favourable, but grass-hoppers are reported to have caused some damage to rice in two tahsils of Bilaspur. Harvesting of early millets and maize is in progress with full outturns. Weeding operations and preparation of land for winter sowings are being prosecuted under favourable conditions, except in Betul where a longer break would be welcome. Transplanting and thinning of rice almost completed save in one tahsil of Chanda. Early rice is coming into ear in Bilaspur and Sambalpur and the earliest varieties have come to maturity in the Bilaspur Zamindaris. Prices have eased in most districts, the fall being most marked in Wardha and Bhandara. The number on relief works has decreased by 8,000 while the number receiving gratuitous relief has increased by 18,000 with the extension of the village relief system. The numbers on relief works were—Saugor 8,802, Damoh 11,583, Jubbulpore 21,208, Mandla 10,042, Seoni 2,401, Narsinghpur 13,035, Hoshangabad 25,911, Nimar 1,243, Betul 7,913, Chhindwara 8,235, Wardha 1,386, Nagpur 14,729, Bhandara 18,583, Balaghat 32,287, Raipur 32,569, Bilaspur 38,148, and Sambalpur 410; total 248,485. Test workers—Damoh 315. Numbers on gratuitous relief—Saugor 25,121, Damoh 21,581, Jubbulpore 36,314, Mandla 25,030, Seoni 16,537, Narsinghpur 17,805, Hoshangabad 14,928, Nimar 1,902, Betul 11,055, Chhindwara 9,594, Wardha 2,010, Nagpur 2,341, Mandla 6,593, Bhandara 15,231, Balaghat 16,228, Raipur 40,220, Bilaspur 102,363, and Sambalpur 183; total 365,036. Total number on relief 613,836. There were also 15,840 persons employed on railway and other private works. Details of relief workers—men 78,681, women 114,229, and children 55,575. Test workers—men 94 and women 221. Dependants—men 2,292, women 2,665, and children 28,567, with 1,555 unclassified. Poor-houses—men 6,017, women 6,753, and children 11,683. Otherwise relieved—men 39,516, women 81,784 and children 106,611, with 77,593 unclassified. Wage prices—Sambalpur 11; Wardha 10; Nagpur $9\frac{1}{2}$, Jubbulpur, Mandla, Narsinghpur 9; Chanda $8\frac{1}{2}$, Seoni, Nimar $8\frac{1}{2}$; Saugor, Balaghat, Raipur 8; Hoshangabad $7\frac{1}{2}$, Damoh, Chhindwara, Bhandara, and Bilaspur $7\frac{1}{2}$; and Betul 7 seers per rupee.

Burma.—*For week ending 18th September.*—In Lower Burma transplanting completed in Pegu and Tharrawaddy; prospects continue favourable. In Upper Burma good rain fell during the week in Mandalay, Shwebo, Lower Chindwin, Thayetmyo, Minbu, Magwe, Yamethin, and Myingyan; Sagaing received nearly $\frac{1}{2}$ inch and Pakokku and Meiktila nearly $\frac{1}{2}$ inch. The condition of the standing

crops is now generally fair, but far more rain is still wanted in Sagaing, parts of Thayetmyo, Meiktila, and Yamethin, and it would be of great benefit everywhere, particularly for the paddy crops on unirrigated lands. The price of paddy has risen slightly in Pegu; fallen considerably in Prome, Thaton and Mandalay and slightly in Tharrawaddy, Henzada, and Amherst; elsewhere stationary. The numbers on relief works were—Meiktila 317 and Myingyan 13,676. On gratuitous relief—Meiktila 63, Yamethin 176, Myingyan 3,795. Total number on relief 18,027. Price of rice—Meiktila 8 seers 12 chittaks and Myingyan 8 seers 6 chittacks per rupee.

Assam.—*For week ending 21st September.*—Weather seasonable. Heavy rain in Sylhet. Prospects of late rice are generally good but considerable damage has been done by floods to crops on low lands. Injury to rice crop by insects reported from Cachar and Sibsagar. State of tea in Surma Valley good and in Brahmaputra valley fair. Prices—common rice—Silchar and Gauhati $7\frac{1}{2}$, Sylhet and Sibsagar 8, Tezpur 7, and Dibrugarh $7\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee. Fodder is generally scarce.

Mysore and Coorg.—*For week ending 20th September.*—**MYSORE.**—Rainfall 53 cents in Civil and Military station; rainfall general and good in parts. Standing crops in good condition. Prices slightly fallen in five districts. *Ragi* (*Eleusine coracana*) harvested in parts of Hassan and Kadur; sown in Chitaldroog.

COORG.—Rainfall 2·82. Transplanting of rice completed in some parts. Coffee maturing. Picking of cardamoms commenced. Slight fall in price of food-grains. Water and fodder for cattle abundant.

Berar and Hyderabad.—*For week ending 20th September.*—**BERAR.**—Weather warm and cloudy with occasional showers of rain. Crops are thriving satisfactorily. Preparation of land for the ensuing crop continues. Sowings in progress in the Melghat taluka of Ellichpur District. Fodder and water-supply adequate to wants. Prices are stationary. Relief workers:—Amraoti 126, Buldana 336, Ellichpur 1,134. Occupants of poor-houses:—Akola 816, Amraoti 493, Basim 115, Buldana 691, Ellichpur 245. On gratuitous relief:—Akola 774, Amraoti 117, Basim 191, Buldana 310, Ellichpur 1,431. Total number on relief 6,779. Prices—*jowar*—Akola 8, Amraoti 9, Basim $9\frac{1}{2}$, Buldana 7, Ellichpur 9, Wun 10 seers per rupee. No attacks from cholera on relief works.

HYDERABAD.—Rainfall during week 59 cents. Prospects improved everywhere. Harvesting of autumn crops commenced in certain parts. Spring sowings commenced in a few places. The aggregate number of persons on relief works in Aurangabad, Bir, Gulburga, Raichur, Lingsagar, Naldrug, Mahbubnagar, Elgandal and Nalgonda was 18,777. Prices in affected districts—Aurangabad $5\frac{1}{2}$, Naldrug, Mahbubnagar 6, Gulburga $6\frac{1}{2}$, Lingsagar, Elgandal $6\frac{1}{2}$, Bir $6\frac{3}{4}$, Raichur $7\frac{1}{8}$, Nalgonda $7\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee. One hundred and sixty on gratuitous relief Bir, 308 Mahbubnagar, 333 Naldrug, 884 Elgandal, 1,016 Lingsagar, and 1,385 Aurangabad. Total number on relief 22,863. Prices—wheat $4\frac{1}{4}$, coarse rice $5\frac{3}{4}$, and *jowari* 8 seers per current sicca rupee.

Central India.—*For week ending 20th September.*—Rain fell in all agencies during week. More rain is still required in Bhopawar Agency. Agricultural operations are in progress everywhere. Crops have been slightly damaged by excessive rain in parts of Gwalior and Bundelkhand. Agricultural stock and pasturage are in good condition in all agencies. Prices are steady in Gwalior; high in Bundelkhand, Baghelkhand, and Malwa; falling slightly in two districts of Bhopawar Agency. The number of persons employed on famine relief works were—1,800 Gwalior, 5,214 Bundelkhand, 6,166 in Baghelkhand. On gratuitous relief—308 Gwalior, 8,778 in Bundelkhand, 4,390 Baghelkhand. Total number on relief 26,656. Prices—Gwalior not reported; Bundelkhand 9 to 12, Baghelkhand 9 seers per rupee. Report from Bhopal not received.

Rajputana.—*For week ending 22nd September.*—Rainfall during the week—Abu 7·34 cents; Meywar 3·11 cents; Shahpura 3·24 cents; Deoli 2·42 cents; Kotah 2·11 cents; varying from 1 to 2 inches in Jaisalmere, Kishengarh,

Pertabgarh, Marwar, Ajmere, Serohi, Tonk; under one inch elsewhere. Ploughing for spring crops in Marwar, Jhallawar; sowing of *jowar* (*Sorghum vulgare*) in Jaisalmer; harvesting of maize in Jhallawar and Kotah; weeding of crops continue. Generally standing crops are thriving; prospects are favourable on the whole. Slight damage has been done by locusts to crops in places in Serohi, Marwar, Ajmere, Kerowli, Jaisalmer. Agricultural stock is generally healthy. Pasturage is sufficient everywhere. Prices are falling in Marwar, Jhallawar, Ajmere, Jeypore, Bikanir; rising in Pertabgarh, Kotah, Kishengarh; fluctuating in Meywar; steady elsewhere. The number of persons on relief works were—Tonk 95, Sironj 493, Dholepore 180. On ordinary works—Tonk 450, Dholepore 316, Bikanir 783. On gratuitous relief—Marwar 732, Tonk 2,598, Sironj 100, Pirawa 800, Chabra 62, Bundi 257, Deoli 8, Dholepore 306, Bhurtpore 61, Bikanir 49. Total number on relief 5,741. Prices—Tonk $9\frac{1}{8}$ and Dholepore $13\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee.

Kashmir.—For week ending 21st September.—Weather fine. Wheat and barley crop threshings almost finished in all places. Standing autumn crops generally in good condition. Prices continue normal.

JAMMU PROVINCE.—For week ending 21st September.—No rain. Prices are stationary. Fodder is sufficient. Condition of standing crops generally good.

Nepal.—For week ending 18th September.—Rainfall 0.79 inch. Good crops of rice are reported from the Terai. More rain is required in the Katmandu Valley, but still there is a fair prospect of a 12-anna crop all round. Price— $6\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee.

The total numbers in receipt of relief during the preceding and present weeks are as follows:

NAME OF PROVINCE.	PRECEDING WEEK.			PRESENT WEEK.			Increase or decrease.
	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	
Madras . .	286,523	139,941	426,464	237,554	116,890	354,444	—72,020
Bombay . .	387,290	85,433	472,723	374,077	90,504	464,581	— 8,142
Bengal . .	19,508	129,284	148,792	26,279	66,008	92,287	—56,505
North-Western Provinces and Oudh . .	15,097	288,917	304,014	153	241,477	241,630	—62,384
Punjab . .	5,415	667	6,082	4,065	864	4,929	— 1,153
Central Provinces	256,697	347,492	604,189	248,800	365,036	613,836	+ 9,647
Burma . .	14,895	3,145	18,040	13,993	4,034	18,027	— 13
Berar . .	2,220	7,334	9,554	1,596	5,183	6,779	— 2,775
Hyderabad .	15,709	2,086	17,795	18,777	4,086	22,863	+ 5,068
Central India .	19,244	17,323	36,567	13,180	13,476	26,656	— 9,911
Rajputana .	747	5,222	5,969	768	4,973	5,741	— 228
TOTAL .	1,023,345	1,026,844	2,050,189	939,242	912,531	1,851,773	— 198,416

(a) Exclusive of 57,632 relieved from the Indian Charitable Relief Fund.

(b) Exclusive of 59,789 relieved from the Indian Charitable Relief Fund.

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Deputy Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

No. $\frac{13}{123-2}$.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture (Land-Surveys),—dated Simla, the 20th September, 1897.

Read—

The General Report on the operations of the Survey of India Department during the year 1895-96.

RESOLUTION.

The field operations of the Survey of India Department during the year ending 30th September 1896 were carried on by twenty-one parties (one of which was a double party) and two small detachments.

The various classes of work on which these parties and detachments were engaged were as follows :

						No. of parties employed.	No. of detachments employed.
1. Trigonometrical	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
2. Topographical	...	...	...	...	...	6	...
3. Forests (excluding the Forest Survey Branch)			...	...	...	4	...
4. Cadastral	...	...	...	...	...	4	...
5. Traverse	...	...	...	...	...	3	2
6. Scientific	...	...	...	...	...	3	...
Total						21	2

Eleven parties and two detachments were thus employed on remunerative operations, that is to say on Forest and Cadastral Survey and Traverse work, as compared with eleven parties and one detachment similarly employed in 1894-95.

2. The aggregate area surveyed in detail during the year under review was 63,653 square miles against 125,381 square miles in the previous year, the decrease being almost entirely due to the smaller amount of geographical reconnaissance that was undertaken, as will be seen from the following comparative statement :

Class of work.					Area surveyed in square miles.		
					1894-95.	1895-96.	
Topographical	...	...	...	...	21,588	19,798
Imperial Forest Surveys		...	...	...	2,612	3,202
Forest Survey Branch	...	...	...	...	1,616	1,712
Cadastral	...	...	...	...	6,934	8,609
Geographical	...	...	...	...	92,631	30,279
					125,381	63,600	
Exceptional work not entered under special heads					...	3	53
TOTAL					...	125,384	63,653

3. As in the previous year, one party was employed on Trigonometrical operations and carried on the work of principal triangulation in Upper Burma and Baluchistan. The Mandalay Meridional series covered a direct distance of 18 miles, and an area of 360 square miles ; and observations were extended into the valley of the Chindwin. In Baluchistan a beginning was made with the principal longitudinal series which, starting from the Great Indus series, is to be pushed westwards through Baluchistan. This series will afford a sound and accurate foundation for the work already executed in Baluchistan and Mekran and will, eventually, it is hoped, form the basis of a triangulation which will link up the trigonometrical systems of Asia and Europe.

4. Topographical operations were carried on in the Bombay Presidency, Sindh, Baluchistan, the Himalayas and Upper Burma. The 2-inch survey of the Southern Mahratta country, which has been in progress during the past nine seasons, was completed. The total area surveyed topographically was 19,798 square miles as compared with 21,588 in the year 1894-95.

5. The four parties of the Imperial Survey engaged on Forest Surveys were employed in the Central Provinces, the Bombay and Madras Presidencies and in

Lower Burma. The Forest Survey Branch continued their operations in the Central Provinces, the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, the Chamba State and Upper and Lower Burma. The Himalaya party also surveyed an area of 200 square miles of forest in Kulu and Kangra and the Native States of Patiala and Sirmur. The total outturn of forest survey work amounted to 4,914 square miles, of which 3,202 square miles were completed by Imperial parties and 1,712 square miles by the Forest Survey Branch, against 2,612 and 1,616 square miles respectively during the previous year. The cost rates in the Bombay and Madras Presidencies and in Lower Burma have generally been reduced; while in the Central Provinces they were somewhat higher than in the previous year.

6. Cadastral Survey operations by Imperial parties were carried on in Bihar by one double party, in Burma by two parties and in Assam by one party. Cadastral survey by local agency under the professional control of the Deputy Surveyor General, Revenue Branch, was also carried on in various districts of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh. The aggregate area surveyed in all Provinces amounted to 8,609 square miles, of which 3,269 square miles were executed by local agency in the North-Western Provinces and Oudh.

7. Traverse Survey operations were carried on by two parties in the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, by one party in the Central Provinces, and by two small detachments in Government Estates in Chota Nagpur, the total area traversed being 9,089 square miles.

8. From a scientific point of view, the most interesting and important feature of the year's work was the completion of the telegraphic determination of the difference of longitude between Greenwich and Karachi, which was begun last year by two parties working under Captains Burrard and Lenox-Conyngham. This determination is of the greatest importance, as providing a final datum for Indian longitudes. Arcs were measured from Karachi to Bushire, from Bushire to Teheran, from Teheran to Potsdam, and from Potsdam to Greenwich. Check arcs were also measured between Karachi and Jask, and Jask and Bushire. The final result was to increase the error which had already been suspected in the accepted longitude of Madras by 0.308 seconds, or about 150 yards linear. The work was carried through under considerable difficulties; a comparison between the Karachi-Bushire and Karachi-Jask-Bushire arcs shows that very high accuracy was attained; and the results reflect great credit upon the officers to whom they are due. In the course of their operations they received the most ready and valuable assistance from the German Government and its officials, from various officials in England, and from the officers of the Indo-European Telegraph Company, to all of whom the cordial acknowledgments of the Governor-General in Council are due.

9. Tidal observations with self-registering tide gauges were continued by one party at 13 stations in India, Burma, the Persian Gulf, Ceylon, the Andaman Islands and Minicoy; the series of observations at Minicoy and Trincomalee were terminated during the year; and a new tidal observatory was erected at Suez. Here again the acknowledgments of Government are due for much ready help rendered by officers not belonging to the Department. The line of double levels which is being run between Vizagapatam and Allahabad was continued over a length of 278 miles.

10. Geographical surveys and reconnaissances were carried on in Upper Burma and covered an area of 5,079 square miles of new country. The aggregate area geographically surveyed on the Eastern and Western Frontiers together amounted to 30,279 square miles.

11. The progress of work at the Head Quarters Offices continued to be satisfactory. In the drawing section, good progress was made with the maps of Burma. The Provincial maps on the 16-mile scale and 66 sheets of the Atlas of India have been revised, and much miscellaneous work was in progress, while 4,900 cadastral sheets were issued during the year.

In the Engraving Section, good progress was made with the quarter sheets of the Atlas of India, and 18 district maps, a 16-inch map of Calcutta, the 128-mile map of India, a 16-mile map of Gujarat and the 80-mile Railway map of India were published. Progress was also made with new maps of Bengal, the Bombay and Madras Presidencies and the Punjab.

The Photo-Lithographic Section showed an increase of outturn, the value of the extra-departmental work amounting to Rs. 86,364 as compared with Rs. 76,534 in the previous year. The work maintained the high standard of excellence which it has attained under the supervision of Colonel Waterhouse, the loss of whose services by retirement is regretted by the Government of India.

In the Mathematical Instrument Office the number of instruments issued largely increased, exceeding in value the issues of the previous year by over a lakh of rupees. Steps have been taken to utilise more fully than hitherto, by repair or conversion, the large stock of defective instruments that has accumulated, and have resulted in a considerable saving to Government.

12. The Survey of India Department continued throughout the year under the administration of Major-General C. Strahan, R.E., and the Government of India desire to acknowledge the efficient manner in which he has controlled its operations, and the value of the work done in all its Branches.

ORDER.—Ordered that the above Resolution be forwarded to the Surveyor-

* Madras.
Bombay.
Bengal.
North-Western Provinces and Oudh.
Punjab.
Central Provinces.
Burma.
Assam.
Coorg.

General of India, the Inspector-General of Forests, the Local Governments and Administrations noted on the margin,* and to the Foreign, Military and Public Works Departments.

Ordered also that the Resolution be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*.

(True Extract.)

DENZIL IBBETSON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.
(FAMINE.)

Return of the number of persons in receipt of relief in districts affected by scarcity.

NOTE.—The figures are compiled from the Local Gazettes, and give the District details of the Provincial totals published weekly in the Crop & Weather Summary in the *Gazette of India*.

Non-labouring children and other dependants of relief workers are classed as on relief works when distinguished in the local returns from persons gratuitously relieved in poor-houses or at their homes.

No.	Name of Province and District.	FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 28TH AUGUST 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 4TH SEPTEMBER 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 11TH SEPTEMBER 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 18TH AUGUST 1897.		
		Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.
Madras.													
1	Cuddapah	70,449	27,803	98,252*	46,701	26,696	73,397*	43,037	24,771	67,808*	37,043	24,214	61,257
2	Kurnool	138,270	52,760	191,030	132,041	49,658	181,699	114,369	46,049	160,418	86,681	41,238	127,919
3	Bellary	154,594	29,197	183,791	156,321	28,966	185,287	134,568	28,293	162,861	102,535	27,764	130,299
4	Anantapur	67,022	11,814	78,836	65,089	10,986	76,075	54,490	27,256	81,746	47,928	8,268*	56,196
5	Ganjam	14,638	49,456	64,094	9,370	32,744	42,114	9,072	26,219	35,291	8,378	22,867	31,245
6	Vizagapatam	15,200	17,722	32,922	12,905	14,892	27,797	8,052	14,575	22,627	3,890	12,913	16,803
7	Godavari	468	3,735	4,203	150	6,901	7,051	96	3,743	3,839	68	2,677	2,745
8	Kistna	1,342	...	1,342	649	...	649	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL MADRAS		461,983	(1) 192,487	654,470	423,217	(2) 160,813	593,160	363,684	(3) 170,906	534,590	286,523	(4) 139,041	426,564
Bombay.													
1	Bijapur	125,075	14,600	139,675	137,234	15,564	152,798	145,668	16,601	162,269	129,838	16,230	146,068
2	Sholapur	102,339	12,414	114,753	105,973	13,432	119,405	118,729	15,396	134,125	109,875	15,929	125,804
3	Ahmednagar	64,535	17,232	81,767	64,664	21,349	86,013	68,909	22,036	90,945	85,583	24,982	110,565
4	Poona	16,566	13,981	30,547	16,626	14,849	31,475	16,969	19,259	36,228	18,445	18,030	36,475
5	Nasik	5,356	1,718	7,074	5,986	1,409	7,395	4,803	1,134	5,937	4,514	1,348	5,862
6	Satara	6,806	3,567	10,373	7,487	4,519	12,006	11,718	4,937	16,655	12,382	5,434	17,816
7	Khandesh	3,014	...	3,014	2,909	625	3,534	1,961	381	2,342	1,921	581	2,502
8	Belgaum	17,902	837	18,739	19,667	921	20,588	19,501	1,011	20,512	20,899	990	21,889
9	Dharwar	2,248	1,011	3,259	3,441	1,066	4,507	2,808	1,057	3,865	4,030	1,009	5,039
10	Ratnagiri	74	...	74	155	...	155	221	...	221	109	...	109
TOTAL BOMBAY		343,915	65,390	409,305	363,142	72,634	435,776	391,287	81,812	473,099	387,296	85,433	472,729
Bengal.													
1	Champanan	12,079	32,500	44,579	12,622	28,340	40,962	5,942	16,616	22,558	4,472	13,737	18,214
2	Shahabad . . . . .	...	18,586	18,586	...	17,518	17,518	...	13,359	13,359	...	4,394	4,394
3	Nadia	1,231	10,662	11,893	331	7,339	7,670	403	6,299	6,702	25	3,467	3,492
4	Patna . . . . .	...	307	307	...	1,588	1,588	...	1,548	1,548	...	1,816	1,816
5	Khulna	134	9,299	9,433	...	6,086	6,086	41	5,313	5,354	...	4,374	4,374
6	Saran	20,403	54,020	74,423	11,462	40,349	51,811	10,188	29,066	40,254	1,977	19,972	21,949
7	Darbhanga	16,407	86,980	103,387	14,527	76,797	91,324	6,196	62,727	68,923	3,986	49,665	53,651
8	Muzaffarpur	25,687	50,927	76,614	20,426	47,094	67,520	2,317	35,032	37,349	44	19,453	19,497
9	Palamau	774	2,488	3,262	1,064	2,369	3,433	...	...	...	...	...	...
10	Manbhum	7,944	8,507	16,451	15,501	8,904	24,405	2,878	10,159	13,037	1,353	5,344	6,697
11	Pabna	101	44	145	37	16	53	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	Murshidabad	1,391	...	1,391	406	...	406	...	...	...	...	...	...
13	Hazaribagh	1,274	2,539	3,813	514	1,401	1,915	260	396	656	...	229	229
14	Puri	2,129	633	2,762	2,052	1,197	3,249	237	1,386	1,623	2,082	1,354	3,436
15	Sonthal Parganas . . . . .	...	6,277	6,277	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	Bankura	2,353	12,044	14,397	3,334	10,195	13,529	3,915	6,582	10,497	5,567	3,786	9,353
17	Lohardaga	882	2,990	3,872	1,008	3,207	4,215	...	2,412	2,412	...	1,695	1,695
18	Jessore	54	...	54	38	...	38	41	...	41	...	...	...
19	Dinajpur	45	...	45	54	...	54	84	...	84	...	...	...
TOTAL BENGAL		92,878	298,803	391,681	83,376	252,400	335,776	32,502	191,795	224,297	19,508	129,284	148,792
North-Western Provinces and Oudh.													
1	Agra	6,266	7,005	13,271	3,386	6,916	10,302	3,741	6,812	10,553	3,446	6,676	10,229
2	Etawah . . . . .	...	888	888	...	878	878	...	765	765	...	190	190
3	Banda	12,529	77,843	90,372	7,566	73,226	80,792	5,262	65,923	71,188	5,491	49,489	54,980
4	Cawnpur . . . . .	...	4,894	4,894	...	4,073	4,073	...	3,302	3,302	...	2,727	2,727
5	Hamirpur	4	15,450	15,454	...	14,500	14,500	...	12,760	12,760	...	10,521	10,521
6	Allahabad	5,716	42,546	48,262	7,342	37,133	44,475	5,410	28,413	33,823	5,267	28,282	33,549
7	Jhansi	896	18,663	19,559	762	19,716	20,478	...	15,067	15,067	...	11,154	11,154
8	Jalaun . . . . .	...	19,787	19,787	...	19,808	19,808	...	19,636	19,636	...	16,679	16,679
9	Jaunpur . . . . .	...	24,168	24,168	...	23,392	23,392	...	20,971	20,971	...	19,971	19,971
10	Gorakhpur . . . . .	...	9,932	9,932	...	9,545	9,545	...	9,567	9,567	...	6,987	6,987
11	Lucknow	1,378	14,132	15,510	1,122	15,158	16,280	1,294	15,660	16,954	901	14,776	15,677
12	Unao . . . . .	...	18,636	18,636	...	17,812	17,812	...	16,889	16,889	...	15,887	15,887
13	Rai Bareilly	1,291	14,007	15,298	1,054	13,303	14,357	37	13,375	13,412	60	11,300	11,360
14	Sitapur . . . . .	...	4,061	4,061	...	3,374	3,374	...	532	532	...	2,940	2,940
15	Hardoi	2,557	44,636	47,193	2,265	43,357	45,622	...	42,878	42,878	...	41,159	41,159

(1) Includes 52,919 weavers relieved at their own trade.

(2) " 84,044 " " " " " " "

(3) " 86,617 " " " " " " "

(4) Including 54,701 weavers relieved at their own trade.

* Incomplete.

† Exclusive of 76,945 relieved from the Indian Charitable Relief Fund.

Return of the number of persons in receipt of relief in districts affected by scarcity—continued.

No.	Name of Province and District.	FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 28TH AUGUST 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 4TH SEPTEMBER 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 11TH SEPTEMBER 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 18TH AUGUST 1897.		
		Relief works.	Gratui- tous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratui- tous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratui- tous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratui- tous relief.	
North-Western Provinces and Oudh—contd.													
16	Bara Banki . . . . .	...	997	997	...	1,459	1,459	...	1,852	1,852	...	1,992
17	Mirzapur	25	12,388	12,413	793	11,327	12,120	31	8,403	8,434	32	6,370	
18	Bijnor . . . . .	...	1,606	1,606	...	1,391	1,391	...	1,031	1,031	...	1,192
19	Moradabad . . . . .	...	1,669	1,669	...	1,221	1,221	...	1,224	1,224	...	1,212
20	Barilly . . . . .	...	832	832	...	851	851	...	811	811	...	701
21	Muttra . . . . .	...	2,047	2,047	...	1,689	1,689	...	1,689	1,689	...	1,655
22	Etah . . . . .	...	695	695	...	775	775	...	856	856	...	814
23	Mainpuri . . . . .	...	1,797	1,797	...	2,414	2,414	...	20	20	...	1,059
24	Farrukhabad . . . . .	...	1,397	1,397	...	1,366	1,366	...	1,259	1,259	...	788
25	Budaun . . . . .	...	295	295	...	284	284	...	261	261	...	265
26	Shahjahanpur . . . . .	...	3,383	3,383	...	2,749	2,749	...	2,565	2,565	...	1,862
27	Pilibhit . . . . .	...	2,084	2,084	...	2,072	2,072	...	1,986	1,986	...	1,984
28	Kheri . . . . .	...	359	359	...	385	385	...	150	150	...	339
29	Sultanpur . . . . .	...	1,776	1,776	...	1,488	1,488	...	1,111	1,111	...	921
30	Pertabgarh . . . . .	...	3,272	3,272	...	2,468	2,468	...	2,139	2,139	...	1,704
31	Fyzabad . . . . .	...	759	759	...	501	501	...	363	363	...	289
32	Fatehpur . . . . .	...	8,954	8,954	...	8,190	8,190	...	7,386	7,386	...	6,326
33	Azamgarh . . . . .	...	11,606	11,606	...	10,409	10,409	...	7,683	7,683	...	4,044
34	Benares . . . . .	...	17,248	17,248	...	17,163	17,163	...	16,482	16,482	...	16,095
35	Gonda . . . . .	...	2,356	2,356	...	2,456	2,456	...	1,993	1,993	...	1,287
36	Basti . . . . .	...	670	670	...	568	568	...	393	393	...	280
TOTAL FOR N.-W. P. & O.		30,662	392,838	423,500	24,290	373,417	397,707	15,775	331,710	347,485	15,097	*288,917	
Punjab.													
1	Hissar	9,228	7,405	16,633	8,353	7,010	15,363	5,971	7,231	13,202	5,415	17	
2	Rohtak . . . . .	...	569	569	...	61	61	...	...	...	...	...
3	Delhi . . . . .	...	642	642	...	651	651	...	633	633	...	650
4	Karnal	1,286	866	2,152	1,116	249	1,325	902	210	1,112	1,206	210	
5	Umballa . . . . .	...	261	261	...	147	147	...	...	...	...	...
6	Ferozpur	266	...	266	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL PUNJAB		10,780	9,743	20,523	9,469	8,078	17,547	6,873	8,074	14,947	6,621	877	
Central Provinces.													
1	Saugor	18,835	14,568	33,403	11,841	16,308	28,149	10,136	24,446	34,582	9,572	21,913	
2	Damoh	16,768	15,595	32,363	12,783	15,562	28,345	57,746	19,060	76,806	13,780	19,699	
3	Jabalpur	26,080	44,657	70,737	23,119	45,070	68,189	24,158	41,319	65,477	23,248	30,447	
4	Mandla	14,864	11,576	26,440	15,495	16,527	32,022	14,569	18,453	33,022	12,880	21,077	
5	Seoni	6,274	11,528	17,802	4,198	12,999	17,197	5,098	13,282	18,380	3,711	14,418	
6	Narsinghpur	26,174	13,529	39,703	22,515	14,400	36,915	20,449	14,707	35,156	18,924	13,943	
7	Hoshangabad	43,545	7,430	51,035	35,053	7,787	42,840	32,652	7,557	40,209	34,453	8,081	
8	Nimar	1,136	1,150	2,286	1,069	1,401	2,470	1,182	1,548	2,730	1,240	1,605	
9	Betul	9,661	3,967	13,628	8,499	4,983	13,482	9,737	7,429	17,166	8,517	10,407	
10	Chindwara	14,944	3,952	18,896	14,613	4,109	18,722	12,270	3,717	15,987	10,037	7,070	
11	Nagpur	9,551	7,238	16,789	7,756	8,522	16,278	8,941	8,656	17,597	8,354	9,355	
12	Chanda . . . . .	...	1,937	1,937	...	1,530	1,530	...	1,828	1,828	...	4,405
13	Bhandara	17,168	8,756	25,924	15,897	8,837	24,734	20,534	10,148	30,682	21,163	11,976	
14	Balaghat	37,894	11,911	49,805	28,744	12,362	41,106	36,308	13,472	49,780	35,179	14,847	
15	Raipur	44,833	21,364	66,197	40,909	22,955	63,864	43,069	25,694	68,763	40,335	*31,319	
16	Bilaspur	47,400	75,693	123,093	44,957	80,856	125,813	41,813	87,226	129,039	41,332	97,112	
17	Sambalpur	871	...	871	800	71	871	992	...	992	992	...	
18	Wardha	2,029	431	2,460	851	505	1,356	1,636	674	2,310	1,763	1,045	
TOTAL CENTRAL PROV- INCES		338,027	255,342	593,369	289,099	274,784	563,883	341,290	299,216	640,506	285,470	318,719	
Burma.													
1	Meiktila	1,824	261	2,085	792	122	* 914	891	134	1,025	696	122	
2	Myingyan	19,819	5,174	24,993	15,998	4,004	20,002	14,799	4,215	19,014	14,199	2,835	
3	Yamethin . . . . .	...	274	274	...	259	259	...	235	235	...	188
TOTAL BURMA		21,643	5,709	27,352	16,790	4,385	21,175	15,690	4,584	20,274	14,895	3,145	

* Exclusive of 61,143 relieved from the Indian Charitable Relief Fund.

† Includes 3,743 gratuitously relieved on family domains of the Maharaja of Benares.

‡ There were also 16,080 persons employed on railway and other private works.

Return of the number of persons in receipt of relief in districts affected by scarcity—concluded.

No.	Name of Province and District.	FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 28TH AUGUST 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 4TH SEPTEMBER 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 11TH SEPTEMBER 1897.			FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 18TH AUGUST 1897.		
		Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous relief.	Total.
Berar.													
1	Akola	2,768	4,887	7,655	345	4,323	4,668	340	4,326	4,666	422	3,377	3,799
2	Basim . . . . .	...	508	508	...	372	372	...	318	318	...	291	291
3	Ellichpur	1,910	3,023	4,933	2,384	2,894	5,278	1,576	2,784	4,360	1,343	2,587	3,930
4	Amraoti	461	445	906	8	347	355	(Not reported.)	...	...	134	484	618
5	Buldana . . . . .	...	...	...	...	179	179	...	1,040	1,040	321	595	916
6	Wun	163	...	163	103	...	103	66	...	66	...	...	...
TOTAL BERAR		5,302	8,863	14,165	2,840	8,115	10,955	1,982	8,468	10,450	2,220	7,334	9,554
Hyderabad.													
1	Raichur . . . . .	...	...	...	15,531	5,744	21,275	...	302	302	...	176	176
2	Naldrug	17,427*	1,592	19,019				21,298†	216	21,514	15,709‡	277	15,986
3	Gulbarga . . . . .	...	...	...				...	...	...	...	...
4	Lingsagar . . . . .	...	773	773				...	1,041	1,041	...	388	388
5	Bir . . . . .	...	...	...				...	...	...	...	...
6	Mahbubnagar . . . . .	...	15	15				...	254	254	...	...
7	Hyderabad . . . . .	...	...	...				...	...	...	...	...
8	Elgandal . . . . .	...	1,248	1,248	...	...	397	397	...	1,245	1,245		
9	Aurangabad . . . . .	...	1,083	1,083	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
0	Nalgonda . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL HYDERABAD		17,427	4,711	22,138	15,531	5,744	21,275†	21,298	2,210	23,508	15,709	2,086	17,795
Central India.													
1	Bundelkhand	15,558	7,057	22,615	16,216	8,138	24,354	14,950	8,089	23,039	6,362	10,545	16,904
2	Baghelkhand	11,072	5,010	16,082	10,072	5,081	15,153	10,143	4,817	14,960	6,300	4,424	10,724
3	Gwalior	6,832	3,788	10,620	5,157	3,011	8,168	5,436	1,638	6,984	5,817	1,665	7,482
4	Bhopal . . . . .	...	...	...	750	678	1,428	766	704	1,470	767	689	1,456
TOTAL CENTRAL INDIA		33,462	15,855	49,317	32,195	16,908	49,103	31,205	15,248	46,453	19,244	17,323	36,567
Rajputana.													
1	Marwar . . . . .	...	1,098	1,098	...	...	...	...	1,034	1,034	...	832	832
2	Dholpur	344	417	761	453	407	860	158	369	527	139	308	447
3	Bikanir . . . . .	...	79	79	...	79	79	...	74	74	...	...	...
4	Jaisalmir . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	63	63
5	Bhurtpur . . . . .	...	374	374	...	251	251	...	196	196	...	111	111
6	Tonk	782	3,789	4,571	792	3,755	4,547	748	3,610	4,358	608	3,584	4,192
7	Deoli . . . . .	...	8	8	...	8	8	...	8	8	...	9	9
8	Bundi . . . . .	...	280	280	...	297	297	...	305	305	...	315	315
TOTAL RAJPUTANA		1,126	6,045	7,171	1,245	4,797	6,042	906	5,596	6,502	74	5,222	5,996
GRAND TOTAL FOR ALL PROVINCES		1,357,205	1,255,786	2,612,991	1,261,194	1,191,205	2,452,399	1,222,492	1,119,619	2,342,111	1,053,330	998,281	2,051,611

* Includes Gulbarga, Raichur, Naldrug, Lingsagar, Bir, Mahbubnagar, Hyderabad, Elgandal and Aurangabad.

† No details reported.

‡ Includes Gulbarga, Raichur, Naldrug, Lingsagar, Bir, Mahbubnagar, Hyderabad, Elgandal, Aurangabad and Nalgonda.

§ Besides 1,636 on ordinary works.

The dates at the head of the table are the dates of the *Gazette of India* in which the Provincial totals were published. The figures however usually show the numbers on relief on each preceding Saturday. All previous returns should be read subject to a similar correction.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
RAILWAY STATISTICS.

STATEMENT OF APPROXIMATE GROSS EARNINGS OF INDIAN RAILWAYS FROM 1ST JULY TO
SEPTEMBER 1896, AND FROM 1ST JULY TO 11TH SEPTEMBER 1897.

N.B.—As regards the figures in column Total Earnings from 1st July 1897, audited figures have been used as far as possible.

RAILWAY.	Average earnings per mile per week during the 2nd-half of 1896.	WEEK ENDING 12TH SEPTEMBER 1896.				WEEK ENDING 11TH SEPTEMBER 1897.				Earnings from 1st July to 12th September 1896.	Earnings from 1st July to 11th September 1897.	Increase.	De
		Mean mileage worked.	Earnings.		Mean mileage worked.	Earnings.							
			Total.	Per mile open per week.		Total.	Per mile open per week.						
State Lines worked by companies.	Rs.	Miles.	Rs.	Rs.	Miles.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Standard gauge—													
East Indian	583	1,735	8,64,988	499	1,737	10,35,000	596	88,11,091	1,04,50,000	16,38,909			
Bengal Central (a)	158	125	23,365	187	125	20,700	238	1,89,098	2,16,000	26,902			
Bengal-Nagpur	118	862	87,139	101	862	77,000	89	7,78,334	8,50,000	71,666			
Indian Midland (b)	133	752	92,923	124	752	93,300	124	8,73,301	11,39,000	2,65,699			
Bezwada extn. (East Coast state)	116	21	3,215	153	21	3,400	162	22,851	32,900	10,049			
Mad.-Ennūr sec. (Bezwada-Mad.)	167	9	2,426	270	9	1,600	178	20,005	13,200	...			
Metre gauge—													
Rajputana-Malwa (c)	191	1,815	3,37,999	186	1,815	3,51,000	193	29,82,471	32,83,000	3,00,529			
Pālanpur-Deesa	45	17	531	31	17	500	29	5,338	4,800	...			
South Indian	161	1,042	1,81,070	173	1,042	1,82,000	175	17,30,783	17,93,000	62,217			
Máyavaram-Mutpet	89	54	4,930	91	54	5,700	106	51,047	53,700	2,653			
Southern Mahratta (d)	109	1,165	1,09,152	94	1,165	1,53,000	131	11,23,964	16,75,000	5,51,036			
Mysore sec. (Southern Mahratta)	102	296	28,509	96	296	30,500	123	2,70,562	4,17,000	1,46,438			
Bengal and North-Western (e)	128	756	75,001	99	815	85,000	104	9,17,870	10,57,000	1,39,130			
Lucknow-Bareilly	64	200	10,302	52	200	10,600	53	1,06,209	1,12,000	5,791			
Assam-Bengal	57	159	7,815	49	238	15,700	66	91,681	1,19,000	27,319			
Burma	145	886	1,10,967	125	888	1,31,000	148	11,12,804	12,13,000	1,00,196			
TOTAL	218	9,894	19,40,332	196	10,036	22,11,000	220	1,90,87,409	2,24,28,600	33,41,191			
State Lines worked by the State.													
Standard gauge—													
North Western (f)	198	2,656	4,90,266	185	2,883	7,50,000	260	49,99,574	63,98,000	13,98,426			
Oudh and Rohilkhand (including the metre gauge link)	181	797	1,32,381	166	875	1,35,000	154	13,28,940	13,88,000	59,060			
Eastern Bengal (including metre and 2' 6" gauges)	423	814	3,92,197	482	817	3,61,000	442	30,32,874	26,41,000	...			
East Coast	89	500	27,768	56	538	68,800	128	4,85,614	6,50,000	1,64,386			
Special gauges—													
Jorhāt	87	25	3,167	127	25	1,100	44	23,403	18,300	...			
Cherra-Companyganj	60	...	...	...	...	(£)	...	...	(£)	...
TOTAL	221	4,792	10,45,779	218	5,138	13,15,900	256	98,70,405	1,10,95,300	12,24,895			
Lines worked by guaranteed cos.													
Standard gauge—													
Great Indian Peninsula (h)	348	1,490	4,10,720	282	1,491	4,70,000	315	44,79,894	46,49,000	1,69,106			
Bombay, Baroda and Central India	542	461	2,30,947	479	461	2,18,000	475	20,92,427	22,44,000	1,61,573			
Madras	248	840	2,14,496	255	840	2,18,000	260	21,27,300	24,04,000	2,76,700			
TOTAL	350	2,791	8,55,163	306	2,792	9,07,000	325	86,99,621	93,07,000	6,07,379			
TOTAL (GUARANTEED AND STATE) Assisted companies.	240	17,477	38,41,274	220	17,966	44,33,900	247	3,76,57,435	4,28,30,900	51,73,465			
Standard gauge—													
Delhi-Umballa-Kalka	157	160	25,555	160	160	35,500	222	2,24,172	2,96,000	71,828			
Tarkessur	242	22	5,046	229	22	5,100	232	53,645	51,200	...			
Metre gauge—													
Rohilkhand and Kumaon (Coy.'s sec.)	120	66	6,124	93	66	9,200	139	75,757	91,600	15,843			
Bengal-Dooars	176	36	7,619	212	36	4,400	122	65,678	68,700	2,522			
Dibru-Sadiya	161	78	11,097	142	78	14,300	183	1,21,596	1,62,000	40,404			
Ahmedabad-Barāntij . . . . .	...	...	...	...	41	2,100	51	...	18,000	18,000		
Special gauge—													
Darjeeling-Himalayan	288	51	13,265	260	51	12,000	235	1,46,719	1,48,000	1,281			
TOTAL	174	413	68,706	166	454	82,600	182	5,87,567	8,35,000	1,47,433			
Lines owned by native states and worked by other agencies.													
Standard gauge—													
Bina-Goonā	27	74	1,656	22	74	2,700	36	17,235	13,500	...			
Bhopal-Ujjain	80	114	10,173	89	114	5,400	47	98,455	49,000	...			
Nāgdā-Ujjain	49	34	1,046	31	35	1,000	28	(i) 14,682	11,500	...			
The Nizam's guaranteed state	181	333	53,682	161	334	73,300	219	5,56,183	6,97,000	1,40,817			
The Gaekwar's Petlād	111	13	988	76	13	1,100	85	11,788	9,700	...			
Rājpura-Rhātinda	135	108	14,240	132	108	12,100	112	1,94,005	1,08,000	...			
Kolar Gold-fields	327	10	4,088	409	10	4,500	450	39,317	41,400	5,083			
Metre gauge—													
Yesvantpur-Mysore Fron. including Mysore-Nanjangūd	80	66	5,452	83	66	6,300	95	53,419	74,000	20,581			
The Gaekwar's Mehsāna	65	93	4,816	52	93	6,700	72	49,057	53,700	4,643			
Kolhāpur	74	29	2,001	69	29	2,300	79	20,175	24,000	3,825			
Special gauges—													
The Gaekwar's Dabhoi	49	72	3,504	49	79	3,800	48	27,645	34,700	7,055			
Anklesvar-Pārdi section (Rajpipla) . . . . .	...	...	...	...	19	100	5	...	2,200	2,200		
Cooch Behar	56	22	1,068	49	22	500	23	10,117	6,300	...			
TOTAL	115	968	1,02,714	106	996	1,19,800	120	10,89,078	11,25,000	35,922			
Lines owned & worked by n. states													
Metre gauge—													
Bhāvnagar-Gondal-Junāgarh-Porbdr.	84	334	23,680	71	334	25,700	77	2,28,539	2,31,000	2,461			
Jetalsar-Rājkot	76	46	3,457	76	46	4,900	107	29,638	30,100	6,462			
Jāmna . . . . .	...	...	...	...	51	3,100	61	...	23,000	23,000		
Jodhpur-Bikaner	61	364	15,230	42	364	18,200	50	1,71,086	1,89,000	17,914			
Oodeypore-Chitor	43	60	2,609	45	60	2,300	38	26,700	23,900	...			
Special gauge—Morvi	70	94	6,794	72	94	9,100	97	61,290	68,900	7,510			
TOTAL	70	898	51,860	58	949	63,300	67	5,17,253	5,71,800	54,547			
GRAND TOTAL	225	19,756	40,64,554	206	20,365	46,99,600	231	3,90,51,333	53,62,700	54,11,367			

- (a) Although for convenience classed amongst state railways, this line is the property of the Bengal Central Railway Company.
(b) Includes the Bhopal-Itāsi railway.
(c) Includes the Godhra-Rutlam-Nāgdā railway.
(d) Includes the Guntakal-Mysore frontier section.
(e) Includes the Tirhoot state railway. Although for convenience classed amongst state railways, the company's section of this line is the property of the Bengal and North-Western Railway Company.

- (f) Includes the Jammu and Kashmir and the Hyderabad-palli railways.
(g) Information not received.
(h) Includes the Wardha Coal, the Dhond-Manmād, the Khān and the Amrāoti railways.
(i) Total earnings from the 15th July to the 12th September 1896.

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
RAILWAY STATISTICS.**

No. XXII of 1897-98.

STATEMENT OF APPROXIMATE GROSS EARNINGS OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.N.B.—As regards the figures in column *Total earnings from 1st April 1897*, audited figures have been used as far as possible.

RAILWAY.	Average earnings per mile per week in 1896-97.	WEEK ENDING 12TH SEPTEMBER 1896.				WEEK ENDING 11TH SEPTEMBER 1897.				Earnings from 1st April to 12th September 1896.	Earnings from 1st April to 11th September 1897.	Increase.	Decrease.
		Mean mileage worked.	Earnings.		Mean mileage worked.	Earnings.							
			Total.	Per mile open per week.		Total.	Per mile open per week.						
State lines worked by companies.	Rs.	Miles.	Rs.	Rs.	Miles.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Standard gauge—													
East Indian	605	1,735	8,64,988	499	1,737	10,35,000	596	2,16,82,744	2,53,53,000	36,70,256	...	...
Bengal Central (a)	146	125	23,305	187	125	29,700	238	3,97,185	4,41,000	43,815	...	...
Bengal-Nagpur	137	862	87,139	101	862	77,000	89	23,46,310	25,16,000	1,69,690	...	...
Indian Midland (b)	139	752	92,923	124	752	93,300	124	22,36,069	27,75,000	5,38,931	...	...
Bezwada extn. (East Coast state)	134	21	3,215	153	21	3,400	162	59,894	67,500	7,606	...	...
Mad.-Ennur sec. (Bezwada-Mad.)	163	9	2,426	270	9	1,600	178	36,798	29,500	...	...	7,298
Metre gauge—													
Rajputana-Malwa (c)	211	1,815	3,37,999	186	1,815	3,51,000	193	87,76,666	83,56,000	...	...	4,20,666
Pālanpur-Deesa	58	17	531	31	17	500	29	26,329	18,700	...	...	7,629
South Indian	165	1,042	1,81,070	173	1,042	1,82,000	175	41,65,023	42,43,000	77,977	...	...
Māyavaram-Mutpet	91	54	4,930	91	54	5,700	100	1,20,516	1,25,000	4,484	...	...
Southern Mahratta (d)	116	1,165	1,09,152	94	1,165	1,53,000	131	31,79,843	37,40,000	5,60,157	...	...
Mysore sec. (Southern Mahratta)	103	296	28,509	96	296	36,500	123	6,74,489	9,13,000	2,38,511	...	...
Bengal and North-Western (e)	140	756	75,001	99	815	85,000	104	25,30,096	28,98,000	3,67,904	...	...
Lucknow-Barcilly	70	200	10,302	52	200	10,600	53	3,39,258	3,73,000	33,742	...	...
Assam-Bengal	61	159	7,815	49	238	15,700	66	2,45,557	3,60,000	1,14,443	...	...
Burma	176	886	1,10,967	125	888	1,31,000	148	29,74,253	34,57,000	4,82,747	...	...
TOTAL	231	9,894	19,40,332	196	10,036	22,11,000	220	4,97,91,060	5,56,65,700	58,74,640	...	...
State lines worked by the State.													
Standard gauge—													
North Western (f)	211	2,656	4,90,266	185	2,883	7,50,000	260	1,26,13,499	1,36,06,000	9,92,501	...	...
Oudh and Rohilkhand (including the metre gauge link)	193	797	1,32,381	166	875	1,35,000	154	36,71,920	38,13,000	1,41,080	...	...
Eastern Bengal (including metre and 2' 6" gauges)	354	814	3,92,197	482	817	3,61,000	442	59,39,413	55,24,000	...	...	4,15,413
East Coast	94	500	27,768	56	538	68,800	128	11,46,665	13,29,000	1,82,335	...	...
Special gauges—													
Jorhat	73	25	3,167	127	25	1,100	44	43,350	44,800	1,450	...	...
Cherra-Companyganj	61	...	...	...	...	(g)	...	(h) 5,058	(i) 4,200	...	...	858
TOTAL	219	4,792	10,45,779	218	5,138	13,15,900	256	2,34,19,905	2,43,21,000	9,01,095	...	...
Lines worked by guaranteed cos.													
Standard gauge—													
Great Indian Peninsula (j)	407	1,490	4,19,720	282	1,491	4,70,000	315	1,42,80,332	1,21,12,000	...	...	21,68,332
Bombay, Baroda and Central India	630	461	2,20,947	479	461	2,19,000	475	71,15,257	67,41,000	...	...	3,74,257
Madras	253	840	2,14,496	255	840	2,18,000	260	49,53,304	54,10,000	4,56,696	...	...
TOTAL	397	2,791	8,55,163	396	2,792	9,07,000	325	2,63,48,803	2,42,63,000	...	...	20,85,893
TOTAL (GUARANTEED AND STATE) ASSISTED COMPANIES.	254	17,477	38,41,274	230	17,966	44,33,900	247	9,95,59,858	10,42,49,700	46,89,842	...	...
Standard gauge—													
Delhi-Umballa-Kalka	157	160	25,555	160	160	35,500	222	5,54,515	6,45,000	90,485	...	...
Tarkessur	273	22	5,040	220	22	5,100	232	1,42,590	1,42,000	...	...	590
Metre gauge—													
Rohilkund and Kumaon (Coy.'s sec.)	131	66	5,124	93	66	9,200	139	2,20,272	1,99,000	...	...	21,272
Bengal-Doonars	140	36	7,611	212	36	4,400	122	1,22,232	1,27,000	4,768	...	...
Dibru-Sadiya	167	78	11,097	142	78	14,300	183	2,85,043	3,65,000	79,957	...	...
Ahmedabad-Parāntij	...	...	...	...	41	2,100	51	...	(k) 34,400	34,400	...	...
Special gauge—													
Darjeeling-Himalayan	287	51	13,265	260	51	12,000	235	3,78,680	3,56,000	...	...	22,680
TOTAL	176	413	68,706	166	454	82,600	182	17,03,332	18,68,400	1,65,068	...	...
Lines owned by native states and worked by other agencies.													
Standard gauge—													
Bina-Goonā	28	74	1,656	22	74	2,700	36	40,990	46,500	5,510	...	...
Bhopal-Ujjain	80	114	10,173	89	114	5,400	47	2,16,729	1,49,000	...	...	67,729
Nāgdā-Ujjain	53	34	1,040	31	35	1,000	28	(l) 14,683	48,000	33,318	...	...
The Nizam's guaranteed state	191	333	53,682	161	334	73,300	219	13,82,699	15,42,000	1,59,301	...	...
The Gaekwar's Potlād	159	13	988	76	13	1,100	85	70,837	31,700	...	...	39,137
Rājpurā-Bhātinda	159	108	14,240	132	108	12,100	112	5,29,457	3,21,000	...	...	2,08,457
Kolar Gold-fields	330	10	4,088	409	10	4,500	450	70,785	87,800	17,015	...	...
Metre gauge—													
Yesvantpur Mysore Fron. including Mysore-Nanjāgūd	77	66	5,452	83	66	6,300	95	1,14,937	1,47,000	32,063	...	...
The Gaekwar's Mehsāna	85	93	4,816	52	93	6,700	72	2,25,804	1,59,000	...	...	66,864
Kolhāpur	70	29	2,001	69	29	2,300	79	53,184	54,000	816	...	...
Special gauges—													
The Gaekwar's Dabhoi	63	72	3,504	49	79	3,800	48	1,10,122	1,03,000	...	...	7,122
Anklesvar-Pārdi section (Rajpipla)	...	...	...	...	19	100	5	...	(m) 2,200	2,200	...	...
Cooch Behar	63	22	1,068	49	22	500	23	28,632	23,700	...	...	4,932
TOTAL	125	968	1,02,714	106	996	1,19,800	120	28,58,918	27,14,900	...	...	1,44,018
Lines owned & worked by n. states													
Metre gauge—													
Bhāvnagar-Gondal-Junāgarh-Porbd.	108	334	23,680	71	334	25,700	77	8,34,015	7,86,000	...	...	48,015
Jetalsar-Rājkot	81	46	3,457	76	46	4,900	107	81,323	89,800	8,477	...	...
Jāmnagar	...	...	...	...	51	3,100	61	...	(n) 53,000	53,000	...	...
Jodhpur-Bickaneer	67	364	15,230	42	364	18,200	50	5,00,862	5,29,000	28,138	...	...
Goddeypore-Chitor	42	60	2,699	45	60	2,300	38	59,962	55,300	...	...	4,662
Special gauge—Morvi	78	94	6,794	72	94	9,100	97	1,80,323	1,78,000	...	...	2,323
TOTAL	82	898	51,860	58	940	63,300	67	16,56,485	16,91,100	34,615	...	...
GRAND TOTAL	239	19,756	40,64,554	206	20,365	46,99,600	231	10,57,78,593	11,05,24,100	47,45,507	...	...

(a) Although for convenience classed amongst state railways, this line is the property of the Bengal Central Railway Company.

(b) Includes the Bhopal-Itāsi railway.

(c) Includes the Godhra-Rutlam-Nāgdā railway.

(d) Includes the Guntakal-Mysore frontier section.

(e) Includes the Tirhoot state railway. Although for convenience classed amongst state railways, the company's section of this line is the property of the Bengal and North-Western Railway Company.

(f) Includes the Jammu and Kashmir and the Hyderabad-Shadipalli railways.

(g) Information not received.

(h) Total earnings from the 1st April to the 6th June 1896.

(i) Total earnings from the 1st April to the 5th June 1897.

(j) Includes the Wardha Coal, the Dhond-Manmād, the Khāmgaon, and the Amrāoti railways.

(k) Total earnings from the 1st May to the 11th September 1897.

(l) Total earnings from the 15th July to the 12th September 1896.

(m) Total earnings from the 1st July to the 11th September 1897.

(n) Total earnings from the 8th April to the 11th September 1897.

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COMPTROLLER-GENERAL'S OFFICE.

No. 1231.—Preliminary Account of Receipts and Disbursements of the Government of India for the first four months of the year 1897-98 as compared with the corresponding period of 1896-97.

ENGLAND.									
WHOLE YEAR.			APRIL TO JULY				INDIA.		
Preliminary Accounts, 1896-97.	Budget, 1897-98.		1896-97.	1897-98.	Increase.	Decrease.	Preliminary Accounts, 1896-97.	Budget, 1897-98.	
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	Rx.	Rx.	Rx.
RECEIPTS.									
PRINCIPAL HEADS OF REVENUE.									
Land Revenue (including that due to Irrigation)									
Opium . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	24,841,600	26,486,700	7,298,100
Salt . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,409,300	5,816,200	2,187,500
Stamps . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,777,600	4,836,500	3,103,400
Excise . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,609,900	5,679,100	1,793,500
Customs . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,488,100	4,491,900	1,915,600
Other Heads . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,475,500	8,570,700	1,363,100
TOTAL PRINCIPAL HEADS . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	63,023,400	64,715,100	2,536,800
Interest	100	...	...	...	...	...	909,400	833,000	302,700
Post Office, Telegraph and Mint	1,700	...	...	...	...	...	2,890,400	2,975,800	922,800
Receipts by Civil Departments	2,000	...	...	...	...	...	1,604,100	1,686,000	493,800
Miscellaneous . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	612,700	867,200	178,100
Railways . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	20,474,900	20,682,100	7,355,300
Irrigation (excluding Land Revenue due to Irrigation) . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,246,700	2,182,000	628,500
Buildings and Roads . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	633,100	653,800	186,600
Receipts by Military Department	6,700	...	...	...	...	...	798,200	814,600	261,400
TOTAL REVENUE	9,700	...	...	...	...	...	93,193,900	95,389,600	3,028,500
Debt, Deposits and Advances.									
Permanent Debt (net incurred) . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,386,200	3,494,900	2,711,700
Temporary do. (do. do.) . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Undertaken do. (do. do.) . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deposits and Advances (net) . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Loans and Advances by Imperial Government . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	211,200	107,600	73,200
Do. do. by Provincial Governments . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	444,900	411,700	137,000
Capital of Railway Companies (net Receipts)	923,800	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	106,900
Remittances (net)	107,400	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	385,400
Secretary of State's Bills drawn	3,582,300	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	3,417,800	...	...	...	...	...	5,962,300	5,160,100	3,784,400
TOTAL RECEIPTS	3,427,500	...	...	...	...	...	99,155,200	100,549,700	34,070,100
Opening Balance	561,500	...	...	...	...	...	16,500,600	13,465,800	16,500,600
TOTAL	2,814,700	...	...	...	...	...	115,655,800	114,015,500	114,015,500

ENGLAND.						INDIA.							
WHOLE YEAR.			APRIL TO JULY			WHOLE YEAR.			APRIL TO JULY				
Preliminary Accounts, 1896-97.	Budget, 1897-98.		1896-97.	1897-98.	Increase.	Decrease.	Preliminary Accounts, 1896-97.	Budget, 1897-98.		1896-97.	1897-98.	Increase.	Decrease.
EXPENDITURE.													
Direct Demands on the Revenues													
£ 50,500	£ 33,100	£ 12,400	£ 12,400	£ 10,500	£ 33,100	£ 1,900	£ 10,683,700	£ 11,174,400	£ 3,996,700	£ 3,996,700	£ 4,004,600	£ 7,900	£ 400
2,630,800	2,718,000	1,232,800	1,232,800	1,265,900	33,100	...	3,827,100	4,421,900	1,254,100	1,254,100	1,301,500	47,400	...
231,100	207,300	57,000	57,000	57,800	800	...	2,254,600	2,447,500	694,100	694,100	743,900	49,800	...
538,600	538,600	156,900	156,900	161,900	5,000	...	14,489,800	14,573,700	4,786,200	4,786,200	4,786,600	138,400	...
2,170,600	2,188,400	853,800	853,800	852,100	...	1,700	2,342,600	2,280,300	792,500	792,500	792,100	...	...
8,400	...	...	...	600	600	...	2,084,600	3,660,200	457,000	457,000	3,416,500	3,379,800	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,100	7,300	1,400	1,400	500	...	900
5,790,600	5,871,800	2,853,500	2,853,500	2,886,900	33,400	...	9,653,200	9,653,200	2,800,300	2,800,300	2,907,200	16,900	...
1,400	1,000	300	300	300	...	...	1,063,000	1,825,000	598,400	598,400	619,200	20,800	...
116,100	103,200	34,400	34,400	34,800	400	...	5,471,600	5,065,500	1,333,700	1,333,700	1,204,800	...	128,900
4,213,600	4,353,400	1,179,900	1,179,900	1,160,100	...	19,800	17,158,200	16,668,900	5,375,300	5,375,300	5,462,900	87,600	...
52,500	11,700	1,600	1,600	2,500	900	...	21,300	...	2,400	2,400	...	...	2,400
15,804,500	16,088,500	6,382,600	6,382,600	6,433,400	50,800	...	69,775,200	72,623,900	21,632,800	21,632,800	25,239,800	3,607,000	...
...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	259,200	1,190,000	...	...	...	...	...
15,804,500	16,088,500	6,382,600	6,382,600	6,433,400	50,800	...	69,316,000	71,433,900	21,632,800	21,632,800	25,239,800	3,607,000	...
1,150,100	1,083,100	366,300	366,300	316,100	...	50,200	2,894,700	4,790,600	1,031,100	1,031,100	1,214,500	183,400	...
...
1,000,000	...	2,000,000	2,000,000	...	...	2,000,000	...	...	...	...	120,100	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	654,600	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	1,200	1,000	...	1,168,300	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	688,200	16,100	125,800	125,800	8,900	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	171,300	748,600	169,400	169,400	759,800	590,400	116,900
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,208,300	956,300	1,498,600	1,498,600	608,800	585,300	...
...	317,700	...	...	292,100	292,100	...	923,100	...	...	...	3,496,600	...	...
...	728,500	...	...	...	...	...	308,300	...	...	...	2,182,300	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15,179,500	13,023,300	6,147,900	6,147,900	3,496,600	...	889,800
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,957,400	8,554,700	4,328,900	4,328,900	2,182,300	...	2,146,600
1,000,000	1,016,200	2,000,200	2,000,200	293,300	...	1,706,900	29,371,700	24,469,300	12,270,600	12,270,600	7,755,800	...	4,514,800
17,954,600	18,217,800	8,749,100	8,749,100	7,042,800	...	1,706,300	101,782,400	100,693,800	34,934,500	34,934,500	34,210,100	...	724,400
2,831,800	2,271,300	4,867,200	4,867,200	2,584,500	...	2,282,700	13,873,400	13,321,700	15,636,200	15,636,200	9,253,000	...	6,383,200
20,786,400	20,483,100	13,616,300	13,616,300	9,617,300	...	3,989,000	115,655,800	114,015,500	50,570,700	50,570,700	43,463,100	...	7,107,600
. GRAND TOTAL													

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

INVENTIONS and DESIGNS.

Calcutta, the 23rd September 1897.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2756 P.—APPLICATIONS in respect of the undermentioned inventions have been filed, under the provisions of the Inventions and Designs Act of 1888, in the office of the Secretary appointed under that Act, during the week ending 18th September 1897:—

- No. 357 of 1897.—Bruce Mitchell, engineer, of Mahaluxmi, Bombay, for improvements in fibre extracting machines.
- No. 358 of 1897.—Henry Allan Moss, executive engineer, Public Works department of India, and general superintendent of the Government workshop, Madras, of Peters road, Royapettah, Madras, for improvements in roller bearings.
- No. 359 of 1897.—Francis Gascoigne Lynde, civil engineer, of Ahmedabad, in the Bombay presidency, and Charles Ainslie Russall Crommelin, traffic manager, of Bombay, for an improved system of controlling the working of trains.
- No. 360 of 1897.—John Meiggs Ewen, mechanical engineer, of No. 1129, "The Rookery", Chicago, county of Cook, state of Illinois, U. S. A., for window lights, and prismatic glass for windows.
- No. 361 of 1897.—John Meiggs Ewen, mechanical engineer, of No. 1129, "The Rookery", Chicago, county of Cook, state of Illinois, U. S. A., for vault and canopy lights and prismatic glass for vaults and canopies.
- No. 362 of 1897.—John Meiggs Ewen, mechanical engineer, of No. 1129, "The Rookery", Chicago, county of Cook, state of Illinois, U. S. A., for basement lights, and methods and means for lighting basements.
- No. 363 of 1897.—John Meiggs Ewen, mechanical engineer, of No. 1129, "The Rookery", Chicago, county of Cook, state of Illinois, U. S. A., for electro-glazing for joining glass, tiles, and the like.
- No. 364 of 1897.—John Meiggs Ewen, mechanical engineer, of No. 1129, "The Rookery", Chicago, county of Cook, state of Illinois, U. S. A., for means and devices for joining prism lights together to form prism plates.
- No. 365 of 1897.—John Meiggs Ewen, mechanical engineer, of No. 1129, "The Rookery", Chicago, county of Cook, state of Illinois, U. S. A., for methods of mounting paving tiles and vault lights.
- No. 366 of 1897.—John Meiggs Ewen, mechanical engineer, of No. 1129, "The Rookery", Chicago, county of Cook, state of Illinois, U. S. A., for devices for mechanically framing window lights, tile sections, and the like.
- No. 367 of 1897.—John Meiggs Ewen, mechanical engineer, of No. 1129, "The Rookery", Chicago, county of Cook, state of Illinois, U. S. A., for prismatic window plates for increasing the illumination of an apartment by natural light.
- No. 368 of 1897.—John Meiggs Ewen, mechanical engineer, of No. 1129, "The Rookery", Chicago, county of Cook, state of Illinois, U. S. A., for combining mechanical and electro-glazing methods of mounting or framing prism lights and tiles together.
- No. 369 of 1897.—John Meiggs Ewen, mechanical engineer, of No. 1129, "The Rookery", Chicago, county of Cook, state of Illinois, U. S. A., for prismatic window lights and plates with irregular prisms for directing the light as required into the apartment.
- No. 370 of 1897.—John Meiggs Ewen, mechanical engineer, of No. 1129, "The Rookery", Chicago, county of Cook, state of Illinois, U. S. A., for prismatic canopies for windows.
- No. 371 of 1897.—John Meiggs Ewen, mechanical engineer, of No. 1129, "The Rookery", Chicago, county of Cook, state of Illinois, U. S. A., for combining ornamental and prism lights and plates for windows.

- No. 372 of 1897.—John Meiggs Ewen, mechanical engineer, of No. 1129, "The Rookery", Chicago, county of Cook, state of Illinois, U. S. A., for improvements in prisms for windows.
- No. 373 of 1897.—Carl Orthlieb and Bernhard Greiff, rice millers and engineers, of Kemendine, in the city of Rangoon, for producing coal or coke out of paddy husk.
- No. 374 of 1897.—Raphael Schwarzwald, merchant, of Grosse Bleichen 33, Hamburg, in the empire of Germany, for improved methods of, or process for, manufacturing leather articles plated with India rubber.
- No. 375 of 1897.—Juan Cravari, doctor in chemistry and pharmacy, of the city of Buenos-Aires, in the Argentine republic, for improvements in the manufacture of matches.
- No. 376 of 1897.—Joseph Desmaroux, engineer, of 135 rue d'Alesia, Paris, for an improved apparatus for sterilizing water.

No. 2757 P.—An application for an extension of the term of exclusive privilege in respect of the undermentioned invention has been filed under the provisions of the Inventions and Designs Act of 1888 in the office of the Secretary appointed under that Act :—

- No. 8 of 1884.—David Moneur Forbes, engineer, late of Calcutta and now resident in Bombay, and Robert Scott, engineer, of Calcutta, for manufacturing by machinery brass, copper, and *kassa* hollow-ware goods.

No. 2758 P.—SPECIFICATIONS of the undermentioned inventions have been filed, under the provisions of the Inventions and Designs Act of 1888, in the office of the Secretary appointed under that Act, and copies have been sent to the Governments of Fort-St. George, Bombay, and Burma, and the Director of the department of land records and agriculture, North-Western Provinces and Oudh. These and other specifications are open to public inspection, from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M., at the Secretary's office (Imperial Secretariat, Government Place, West, Calcutta), on payment of a fee of one rupee, and a certified copy of any one of them will be supplied on payment of the fixed expenses of copying :—

- No. 395 of 1896.—Charles Thomas Crowden, engineer, of Messrs. Humber & Co., Ltd., Beeston, in the county of Nottingham, for improvements in or relating to tubular joints. (Specification filed 13 September 1897.)
- No. 412 of 1896.—Kuvaraji Mancherji Mistri, superintendent and contractor of building works, etc., of 12 Khambatta lane, Khetwady, Bombay, for the improvement of the durability of "tower bolts" attached to doors, shutters, and window sashes of buildings, etc. (Specification filed 17 August 1897.)
- No. 4 of 1897.—Mark Worsnop Marsden, engineer, of 432 Chestnut street, in the city and county of Philadelphia and state of Pennsylvania, U. S. A., for an improved corn product, and process of and apparatus for making the same. (Specification filed 13 September 1897.)
- No. 34 of 1897.—George Alexander Davis, officiating superintendent, jail manufactures, Bengal, for a heat disseminator for preventing the breakage of lamp chimneys from excessive heat. (Specification filed 8 September 1897.)
- No. 65 of 1897.—William Thomas Page, engineer, of Lynthorpe, Bromyard road, Worcester, for improvements in railway signalling apparatus. (Specification filed 13 September 1897.)
- No. 91 of 1897.—Arthur Reginald Adams, chemist, of Guys hospital, London bridge, in the county of Surrey, for improvements in or relating to electric batteries. (Specification filed 13 September 1897.)
- No. 94 of 1897.—John Jones, foreman engineer, of Merthyr Tydfil, in the county of Glamorgan, for improvements in blast pipes or apparatus for inducing draft in boilers of locomotive, portable, traction, and other such engines. (Specification filed 13 September 1897.)
- No. 105 of 1897.—Douglas Gardner, publican, and Edward Bertrand Hartley, clerk, of 95 Dale end, Birmingham, for an adjustable handle-bar for cycles. (Specification filed 13 September 1897.)

No. 106 of 1897.—William Arthur Cameron Waller, gentleman, of 6 Kyverdale road, Stoke Newington, London, for improvements in the construction of tiles. (Specification filed 13 September 1897.)

No. 114 of 1897.—Solomon Bennett, gentleman, of 117 Richmond road, Dalston, in the county of Middlesex, for improvements in the treatment of wood, paper, fabrics, fibres, and like materials to render them impervious and unalterable by moisture and climate and other influences. (Specification filed 13 September 1897.)

No. 124 of 1897.—Edward Castildine Martin, journalist, of No. 6 Ruahon road, Toorak, near Melbourne, in the colony of Victoria, for a pneumatic seat-support principally applicable to bicycles. (Specification filed 13 September 1897.)

No. 2759 P.—THE fees prescribed in Schedule 4 of Act V of 1888 have been paid for the continuance of exclusive privilege in respect of the undermentioned inventions for the periods shown against each:—

No. 40 of 1891.—Clarence Noble Cline's invention for an improved tent, to be known as the "valise tent." (From 19 September 1897 to 19 September 1898.)

No. 82 of 1891.—Herbert Akroyd Stuart's invention for improvements in engines operated by the explosion of mixtures of combustible vapour or gas and air. (From 24 September 1897 to 24 September 1898.)

No. 6 of 1892.—John Bennett's invention for an improved roof tile and method of laying and fixing the same on roof framings, to be called "Bennett's patent storm-proof roof tiling." (From 16 September 1897 to 16 September 1898.)

No. 82 of 1892.—Samuel Cleland Davidson's invention for improvements in the means or apparatus for transmitting rotary motion from one shaft to another shaft revolving at right angles thereto. (From 11 October 1897 to 11 October 1898.)

No. 230 of 1893.—Leonard Roberts and Hedley George Roberts' invention for improvements in ice-cream freezers. (From 23 September 1897 to 23 September 1898.)

No. 2760 P.—WHEREAS the inventor of the undermentioned invention has failed to pay, within the time limited in that behalf by the fourth schedule to the Inventions and Designs Act (V of 1888), the fee hereinafter mentioned, it is hereby notified that under the provisions of section 8, sub-section (2) of the said Act, the exclusive privilege of making, selling, and using the said invention in British India and of authorizing others so to do has ceased:—

No. 273 of 1892.—Muncherji Byramji's invention for making barrel brass-sheet bolts of all sizes, shapes and dimensions by means of a brass barrel bolt machine and die. (Specification filed 15 June 1893.)

Fee in respect of the continuance of an exclusive privilege—

(4) (a) After the filing of the specification and before the expiration of the fourth year from the date of the filing thereof—

The sum of Rs 50 for the said invention.

NOTICES.

All communications relating to Act V (the Inventions and Designs Act) of 1888 should be addressed to the "Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Revenue and Agriculture (PATENTS BRANCH), CALCUTTA".

The office of the Secretary under the Act is open for the transaction of business from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M. on all days except Sundays and gazetted holidays.

The Government of India are advised that as trade marks are not "designs" within the meaning of the Act, they cannot be registered under Part II.

The fees payable under the fourth and sixth schedules are now collected in cash, and applicants are warned that they must be responsible for any delay in cashing cheques.

Copies of the weekly notifications, and of the quarterly lists, of applications and specifications filed in the Secretary's office are now on sale to the public at one anna and eight annas a copy respectively.

Attention is requested to the rules made by the Government on the 10th October, 1895, in regard to the preparation of applications, specifications and drawings.

All applications made under the Inventions and Designs Act, V of 1888, will from this date (December 19th, 1896) lie in the visitors' room of the Patents Office for ten days from the date of the *Gazette of India* in which their filing may have been notified; or, if the tenth day is a holiday, till the evening of the office day next following.

At the time of delivering or sending an application for leave to file a specification, the applicant shall cause a duplicate copy of the application to be delivered or sent therewith to the Secretary.

A. T. PRINGLE,

*Offg. Secy. under the Inventions and
Designs Act, 1888.*

MILITARY WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 16th September, 1897.

No. II-A.—The following temporary promotions and reversions are ordered in the Engineer Establishment of the Military Works Department, with effect from the dates specified :—

NAMES.	From	To	Nature of promotion.	With effect from
Lieutenant C. B. Farwell, R.E.	Assistant Engineer, I grade.	Executive Engineer, IV grade.	Temporary	4th July, 1897.
Lieutenant R. E. Greer, R.E.	Assistant Engineer, I grade.	Executive Engineer, IV grade.	Officiating	12th July, 1897.
Lieutenant A. B. R. Hildebrand, R.E.	Executive Engineer, IV grade, officiating.	Executive Engineer, IV grade.	Temporary	15th July, 1897.
Lieutenant G. Dick, R.E.	Executive Engineer, IV grade, officiating.	Assistant Engineer, II grade.	Reversion	12th August, 1897.

N. ARNOTT, *Major-Genl.,
Dir. Genl. of Military Works in India.*

DIRECTOR-GENERAL, INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 16th September, 1897.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT,
HOSPITAL ASSISTANT BRANCH,
MADRAS COMMAND.

No. 58.—The undermentioned Hospital Assistant qualified himself for promotion to the next higher grade in October, 1896, and is entitled to the pay of the same, with effect from the date specified against his name:—

No. 1225, third grade, M. I. Sivaraju Pillai,
1st July, 1897.

The 20th September, 1897.

No. 59.—The undermentioned Assistant Surgeons, of the Madras Military Establishment, were at the disposal of the Government of Bombay, during the periods mentioned against their names:—

2nd class, W. P. B. Hart, from 26th January, 1897, to 13th August, 1897.

2nd class, P. H. Taylor, from 24th January, 1897, to 11th August, 1897.

JAMES CLEGHORN, M.D.,

Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 20th September, 1897.

No. 18.—The following temporary promotion in the Superior Establishment of the Indian Telegraph Department is sanctioned for the periods specified below:—

Name.	From	To	Date.
W. S. Sharpe.	Assistant Superintendent, class VII, 1st grade.	Assistant Superintendent, Class VI, 2nd grade.	2nd June to 10th July, 1897, inclusive, and from 15th July, 1897, and until further orders.

C. H. REYNOLDS,

Director General of Telegraphs.

ORDERS BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

Under section 2 of Act I of 1884, the University of Calcutta has conferred the Honorary Degree of Doctor in the Faculty of Law on Babu Mahendra Lal Sircar, C.I.E., M.D.

J. H. GILLILAND,

Registrar.

SENATE HOUSE;

The 24th September, 1897.

AGENT TO THE GOVR.-GENERAL AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 17th September, 1897.

No. 560.—With reference to Punjab Government Notification No. 89, dated 28th July, 1897, Mr. S. E. Wallace assumed charge of the office of District Superintendent of Police, Quetta and Pishin, from Captain A. McConaghey, in the forenoon of the 9th August.

By Order,

F. MACDONALD, Capt.,

First Assistant.

AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENE- RAL, RAJPUTANA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Abu, the 15th September, 1897.

No. 4065-G.—Mr. A. L. P. Tucker, Indian Civil Service, Political Agent, Haraoti and Tonk, is granted one month's privilege leave, with effect from the 1st October, 1897, or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of the leave.

No. 4092-G.—In continuation of this office Notification No. 3600-G., dated 17th August, 1897, it is hereby notified that Kumar Shri Harbhamji Rawaji, Dewan of the Bhartpore State, returned to duty on the forenoon of the 6th September, 1897, from the privilege leave granted him in this office Notification No. 3270-G., dated the 24th July, 1897.

By Order,

A. F. BRUCE, Captain,

*First Assistant Agent to the Governor-General,
Rajputana.*

AGENT TO THE GOVR.-GENERAL IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Quetta, the 15th September, 1897.

No. 5781.—Under section 12 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1882, the Agent to the Governor-General in Baluchistan is pleased to appoint Mr. H. R. Smith, Treasury Officer at Quetta, to be a Magistrate of the first class within the local limits of the Municipality and Tahsil of Quetta.

No. 5782.—Under section 12 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1882, the Agent to the Governor-General in Baluchistan is pleased to appoint Khan Bahadur Burjorji Dorabji Patel to be a Magistrate of the second class within the local limits of the Quetta Municipality.

The 16th September, 1897.

No. 5842.—On return from the privilege leave for one month granted to him in this office Notification No. 1396-C., dated the 26th July, 1897, Surgeon-Captain Edwards, M.D., resumed charge of the office of Civil Surgeon, Quetta, from Surgeon-Major G. E. Fooks, A.M.S., in the forenoon of the 6th September, 1897.

By Order,

F. MACDONALD, *Captain,*
First Assistant.

NORTH WESTERN RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Lahore, the 20th September, 1897.

No. 4.—Mr. J. E. N. Boydell, Executive Engineer, 2nd grade, is granted, under Article 340 of the Civil Service Regulations, furlough on medical certificate for twelve months, with effect from the 18th September, 1897, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

M. C. BRACKENBURY, *Lieut.-Col.,*
R. E., & Col.,
Officiating Manager, North Western Railway.

TREASURE TROVE.

NOTICE.

NOTIFICATION UNDER SECTION 5 OF THE INDIAN TREASURE TROVE ACT, VI OF 1878.

On or about the 24th May, 1897, treasure, consisting of certain coins, valued at Rs 43-8-0 (Forty-three and annas eight only), was discovered in the house of Pernakonda Pedda Vemannu of Ratnapalli, hamlet of Allugunon Kadiri Taluk, by Vode Venkatigaon of Bom-mireddipalli, hamlet of Jogannapet, Kadiri Taluk.

All persons claiming the said Treasure, or any part thereof, are hereby required to appear personally, or by duly authorized agents, before the Collector of Cuddapah, on the 10th January, 1898, in order that the claim may be adjudicated upon in accordance with the provisions of the Act.

for Collector.

KUDDAPAH COLLECTOR'S OFFICE;
The 16th September, 1896.

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 17th September, 1897.

No. 3344-C.—Mr. Abdulla Khan is appointed to act as Postmaster, Quetta, from the

29th July, 1897, to the 10th August, 1897, and Mr. Andrades from the 17th August, 1897 until further orders.

The 20th September, 1897.

No. 3428-C.—Mr. R. H. Grainger, Superintendent of Post Offices, 2nd grade, is appointed to act in the 1st grade during the absence on deputation of Mr. I. G. J. Hamilton, or until further orders.

The appointment of Mr. H. Tulloch to act in the 1st grade, made in Notification No. 2795-C. dated the 30th August, 1897, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 4th September, 1897, is cancelled.

A. U. FANSHAWE,

Dir. Genl. of the Post Office of India.

Unclaimed Letters held in the Calcutta General Post Office on the 20th September, 1897.

Agents, The Orient	Horrockses Miller &	Nash, Fraser,
Line of Steamers.	Co., Cloth Manu-	Phillip & Son,
Burroughs,	facturers and Im-	Ironmongers,
Welcome & Co.	porters.	Platts, S., care of
Daphketty, Samuel.	Howard, Geo.	Mr. Cassim.
Demaricar Bella	(Forwarding	Robinson & Son,
Mills & Co.,	Agent).	Lt., Thos.
Limited.	Landerth, D. & Sons	Sarkies & Co.
Fraser, F. H.	(Seeds Men).	Warne & Co.,
Harrison & Son.	Leith & Co.	Frederic.
Henderson, C.	Miller & Co., Fred.	Wast & Co.
(Merchant).	(Engineers).	

Letters marked "Care of Post Office."

Albruto, C. B.	Gallagher, W.	Peters, Miss Maggie
Andree, R. M.	Gallway, C. H.	Philben, E.
Atkins, F. T.	Gardenstein, Lazar.	Priestley, Mrs. A. E.
Ayres, W. R.	George, E., Mrs.	Priestly, W.
Bauer, Fritz.	Gibson, Miss.	Raines, Mrs.
Baxter, Mrs.	Guise, Miss Dollic.	Renardt, M.
Bishop, S. O., Dr.	Gutpay, B. L.	Rhode, Capt. J. H.
Bitsatsh, Solomon.	Harper, Alex.	Ridsdale, H.
Blanchfield, H.	Heinesteir, F.	Robertson, G.
Bloom, Annette,	Hemming, Wm. P.	Rogers, G. S.
Miss.	Hill, B.	Roussac, J.
Braham, A.	Hoyle, J. O.	Setters & Co.
Brothers & Co., R.	Inman, Thos.	Shuhan, G. M. R.
Brown Billy (of	James, Herbert.	Smyth, S. G.
Glasgow).	Jelovitz, Dr. M. L.	Soul, C.
Brown, G. A.	Joakim, W. L.	Soul, Charles, F.
Burlington, F.	Jones, Alfred.	Stavridi, A.
Caine, H.	Jones, K. C.	Stebbing, Capt.
Campos, L. Da Costa.	Jordan, Mrs. H.	A. E.
Carleton, Mr.	Keep, Chas. J.	Stephens, Mrs. A.
Cook, Percy.	Kelsall, Miss L.	Story, Mrs.
Crisp, W.	Kemp, Charles.	Street, H. A.
Cross, J.	Kidd, J. A.	Swaries, A. M.
Dale, Miss S.	Klopsch, Dr.	Swinforde, Mrs. W.
Daly, H.	Knight, Mrs. C.	Temple, G. F.
Davies, D. Picton.	Lacon, P. H.	Tetley, A. E.
Davis, Miss L.	Langer, A.	Tyers, J. E.
Davis, Mrs.	Lopez, Eva, Miss.	Valentin, H.
Delafaye, R.	Litchfield, E.	Vartan, Altonnian.
Dettmer, Henry.	McCallum, E.	Wobbekind, C.
Devonshire, E. T.	Miller, W.	Walker, J.
Duhot, Miss A.	Mitchell, C. G.	Wall, T. D.
Eaton, F. C.	Morris, J. R., Dr.	Waller, F.
Eisenstark, Leon.	Murphy, Mrs. E.,	Waller, Miss M.
Ellison, E. M.	care of E. Murphy,	Weiss, A.
Ferrao Joas.	Esq.	Williams, Esq.
Antonio.	Norah, Miss.	Williams, F. F.
Fullwood, Pte. W.	O'Grady, W.	Willis, Mrs. M. H.
Furrell, James W.	Otto, Mrs.	

Registered Letters and Parcels.

Chester, D.	Kilchmann, Alf.	Schiller, M.
Christian, C. W.	Langer, A.	
Katz, Gusta, Madam	Rossac, J.	

Unclaimed Letters held in the Barrackpore Post Office on the 20th September, 1897.

Judah, Miss

Unclaimed Letters held in the Bombay General Post Office.

Ashak, H. Mirza, Capt.	Elsey, H. C.	Martin, J. R.
Browne, D. L.	Fiernarsdorf, E. J.	Martin, K. R.
Brown, Ella, Madam.	Freeman, J. A.	Maurow, M. J.
Binley, H.	Fernandes, A.	Massani, S. P.
Brown, G. C.	Fullton, W. G.	Muller, F. H., Miss.
Bellingham, G., Miss.	Hutchinson, S. St.	Moses, James.
Bellasis, H.	Hulbert, J. G., Surg.-Capt.	Nesbith, B., Mrs.
Bennett, H. H.	Irvine, W. H.	Newman, R. M.
Calthope, E. R.	Jackson, H. C., Mrs.	Payne, C. H.
Cardoza, A. H.	Jones, A.	Pringle, A.
Cook, E., Miss.	Jennings, E.	Riley, G. R.
Cordie, H. M.	Kenny, C.	Roodoor, James.
Chandler, M. H., Mrs.	Kinscruner, Majoriki.	Rhester,
Dracatt, C. H.	King, H.	Rohand, L., Mon- sieur.
Dearkin, H.	Lyon, W.	Rider, T.
Kmpy, Dr.	Langley, F.	Reardon, M. T. D.
	Leum, J.	Simpson, B. G.
	Lyon, Madam.	Tasselle, Miss.
		Wilkinson, C. W. C.

The 25th September, 1897.

CALCUTTA POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Mails for	Date of closing at the General Post Office, Calcutta.	Route by which despatched.
Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, Zanzibar, Mozambique, Delagoa Bay, Mauritius, Madagascar, Reunion, etc., Natal, and Cape Colony, and in general all countries served through the United Kingdom.	1897. 30th Sept.	Per P. & O. Str. from Bombay.
Parcels for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	29th "	Ditto.
Australasian Colonies . . .	25th "	Via Tuticorin and Colombo.
Ditto ditto . . .	2nd Oct.	Ditto.
Madras, Pondichery, Ceylon, Singapore, China, and Japan.	1st "	Per French Str. <i>Bridan</i> .
Colombo . . .	29th Sept.	Per P. & O. Str. <i>Bengal</i> .
Straits Settlements, China, and Japan.	29th "	Per Steamer <i>C. Apcar</i> .
Rangoon and Moulmein . . .	30th "	Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s Steamer.
Rangoon, Moulmein, Tavoy, Mergui, Penang, and Singapore.	29th "	Ditto.
Rangoon and Moulmein . . .	25th "	Ditto.
Ditto ditto . . .	2nd Oct.	Ditto.
Akyab, Kyaukpju, Sandoway, and Rangoon.	25th Sept.	Ditto.
Port Blair . . .	30th "	Per Steamer <i>Shahjehan</i> .

*Although the date entered in column 2 is, as far as can be calculated, the latest safe date of posting for the next Mail Steamer, full allowance being made for the steamer being in advance of her published timing, Mails for the places mentioned in column 1 are despatched daily to Colombo, so that they may proceed by any steamer that has been unusually accelerated or retarded, or by any special opportunity that may be afforded by a steamer not belonging to one of the regular lines.

The letter-box for inland articles will be cleared for the evening Mails without late fee at the following hours, *vis.*—

For Darjeeling and Assam at 3-25 P.M. without late fee, and 3-55 P.M. with late fee of $\frac{1}{4}$ anna.

For the Bombay Mail *via* Jubbulpore, carrying also mails for Ceylon, at 6 P.M.

For the Punjab at 7-30 P.M.

Late letters bearing a fee of $\frac{1}{4}$ anna will be received for the Bombay Mail *via* Jubbulpore up to 6-30 P.M. and for other mails from 7-30 to 8 P.M. and from 8-0 to 8-45 P.M. with a late fee of $\frac{1}{4}$ anna for the Punjab Mails only.

Articles for Burma, and for Port Blair by Sea, are received without late fee up to 7-30 P.M., after which hour they are received fully prepaid and bearing an extra stamp of $\frac{1}{4}$ anna up to 8 P.M.

On the latest safe day of despatch of the Mail for the Australasian Colonies *via* Tuticorin, the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time for articles without the late fee at 6 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 6-30 P.M.

On the day of despatch of the Mail for Europe (Thursday), the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time for articles without the late fee at 6-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 7 P.M. Late registered articles will be received from 5 to 6 P.M. On other days the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time without the late fee at 6 P.M., and late letters and papers will be received up to 6-30 P.M. for despatch by any Foreign Mails *via* Tuticorin, Madras, or Bombay the same night and up to 8-30 P.M., late letters and papers up to 9 P.M., for any Foreign Mails despatched by Sea. The late fee for Foreign articles is $\frac{1}{4}$ anna, which must be prepaid in stamps affixed to the articles.

JOHN OWENS,
President & Postmaster, Calcutta.

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6. An Introduction to the Chemical and Physical Study of Indian Minerals. By T. H. Holland, A.R.C.S., F.G.S. (1895). Price 8 annas per copy.

7. Report on the Geological Structure and Stability of the Hill slopes around Naini Tal. By T. H. Holland (1896). Price Rs. 3 per copy.

8. Map of the Geology of India (1893). Scale 1"=96 miles. Price Rs. 3 per copy.

9. Map of the Geology of India (1893). Scale 1"=32 miles. (1892) (in six sheets). Price Rs. 12 per copy.

Apply to the Registrar, Geological Survey of India, Calcutta.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 20th September, 1895.

A Registry Office for men of all grades out of employ is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Koorkee. Officers requiring men are requested to apply to Principal.

CLIBBORN, Major, S.E.,
Principal, Thomason College.

GOVERNMENT CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.

Cinchona Febrifuge can be purchased by all Government officers, and by any one taking *six pounds* at a time, from the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, Calcutta, at the following rates—per four-ounce tin, Rs. 8; per eight-ounce tin, Rs. 5; per pound tin, Rs. 10. The general public can be supplied by the Superintendent, Botanic Garden, *for cash only*, at the under-noted rates: per four-ounce tin, Rs. 3; per eight-ounce tin, Rs. 6; per pound tin, Rs. 12. This medicine is also sold by the principal European and Native druggists in Calcutta. Postage, four annas per four-ounce tin, eight annas per eight-ounce tin, and twelve annas per pound tin, in addition to the foregoing rates.

সকনো ফেরি ফিওজ ইয়েনো তপ বেকানে ৱালো সকনো *

সকনো ফেরি ফিওজ কলেক্টে ৬ ব্র্যান্ডল কার্গি ইয়েনো
কম্পনি বাগ ৬ স্প্রিংফিল্ড সলভ ৬ হারাইক মলার
সরকারি অর াইক মশত চেহ পুন্ড তক লিডে ৱালা হর অদমি
হসব নরখ ডিল খরিদ কرسকতা হী — ইয়েনো চার অরনস
ৱালা ঠিন বকিমত দর রুপিহে অঁহে অঁহে ; অঁহে অরনস ৱালা
ঠিন বকিমত পান্চ রুপিহে : াইক পুন্ড ৱালা ঠিন বকিমত
দস রুপিহে *

এম অদমি কুপে দর ব্র্যান্ডল কার্গি ইয়েনো কম্পনি
বাগ ৬ স্প্রিংফিল্ড সলভ ৬ বকিমত নকদ হসব নরখ
ডিল মল স্কতি হী — ইয়েনো চার অরনস ৱালা ঠিন বকিমত
তিন রুপিহে ; অঁহে অরনস ৱালা ঠিন বকিমত চেহ রুপিহে ;
াইক পুন্ড ৱালা ঠিন বকিমত বারে রুপিহে *

যেহ দর কলেক্টে ৬ ব্রো ব্রো ৱালা ঠিন অর দিসি
হরখানি মিন বেহি বকি হী — মাসো বকিমত
মদকর ৱালা ৬ মসবল ডাট চার অরনস ৱালা ঠিন
চার অঁহে ; অঁহে অরনস ৱালা ঠিন ক অঁহে অঁহে ; অর াইক
পুন্ড ৱালা ঠিন ক বারে অঁহে *

PURE SULPHATE OF QUININE.

*Manufactured at the Bengal Government
Cinchona Plantation.*

From 1st April, 1897, the price of this Quinine
will be as follows:—

1-pound tin, Rs 15, or, post free, Rs 15-12.

½ " " Rs 7-8, " Rs 8.

¼ " " Rs 3-12, " Rs 4-4.

Analysis shows this Quinine to be of the
purest manufacture; and it is guaranteed to be
free from wilful mixture with the inferior alka-
loids, Cinchonine and Cinchonidine. It is for
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The Government Promissory Note, No. 026431 of 1896-97, of the 3 per cent. of loan, for Rs 200, originally standing in the name of Mahomed Israil, the Tahsildar of the South Sylhet Sub-Divisional Office, and last endorsed to Mahomed Israil, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor.

MAHOMED ISRAIL,
Tahsildar, Moula Basar
Sub-Divisional Office.

NOTICE.

The Government Promissory Note, No. 003971 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1893-94 for Rs 1,000, originally standing in the name of Surianarayanappier, lessee of the Tanjore Palace Estate, and last endorsed to the District Judge, Tanjore, and another No. 303941 of the 4 per cent. loan of 1st May, 1865, originally standing in the name of Subbaraya Davaji, counter-petitioner in M. P. No. 133 of 1883 on the file of the District Court, Tanjore, and last endorsed to the District Judge, Tanjore, having been stolen from this Court, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Notes and the interests thereon have been stopped at the Public Debt Offices, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta and Madras, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the Proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or

otherwise dealing with the abovementioned securities.

F. H. HAMNETT,
Acting District Judge.

DISTRICT COURT;
TANJORE,
The 17th July, 1897.

DISTRICT 24-PARGANAS.

IN THE 1ST COURT OF THE SUBORDINATE
JUDGE AT ALIPORE.

Present:

Babu Bulloram Mullick, Rai Bahadur,
Subordinate Judge.

CIVIL SUIT No. 87 OF 1896 (Administration).
Prince Mirza Mahamed Asgar, . *Plaintiff,*

versus

Prince Mirza Kamar Kader
and others, *Defendants.*

Pursuant to a decree made in the above administration suit under the provisions of section 213, C. C. P., all persons having claims to the Estate of Prince Aktar Jah, deceased, one of the sons of the late *ex*-King of Oudh, residing at Garden Reach in the Suburbs of Calcutta, whether as creditor or next-of-kin or heir of the said deceased, are required to appear before me on or before the 28th October, 1897, and submit and prove their respective claims to the said Estate. In the event of their failure to do so, they will be debarred from the benefit of the said decree, and the Estate will be administered in their absence.

BULLORAM MULLICK,
Subordinate Judge.



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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 18th September 1897.	1st November 1896 to 18th September 1897.
PRINCIPAL PORTS—			
CALCUTTA	Imports	118,713	11,465,754
	Exports	23,415 + 95,298	4,825,892 + 6,639,862
RANGOON	Imports	5,564	365,161
	Exports	127,591 —122,027	28,542,552 —28,177,391
MADRAS	Imports	40,100	1,357,900
	Exports	10,700 + 29,400	381,100 + 976,800
BOMBAY	Imports	355,000	10,446,200
	Exports	104,800 + 250,200	4,596,600 + 5,849,600
KARACHI	Imports	50,600	1,638,171
	Exports	80,000 —29,400	4,411,776 —2,773,605
PROVINCES AND DISTRICTS—			
BENGAL—			
Patna Division—			30th January to 18th September 1897.
PATNA	Imports	14,700	1,177,100
	Exports	16,300 —1,600	810,400 + 366,700
GAYA	Imports . . . . .	...	272,400
	Exports . . . . .	...	95,500 + 176,900
SHAHABAD	Imports	18,300	340,000
	Exports	600 + 17,700	345,000 —5,000
SARAN	Imports	20,200	1,352,700
	Exports	900 + 19,300	172,200 + 1,180,500
CHAMPARAN	Imports . . . . .	...	476,400
	Exports	1,000 —1,000	53,600 + 422,800
MUZAFFARPUR (incomplete)	Imports	6,683	564,443
	Exports	3,565 + 3,118	74,151 + 890,292
DARBHANGA	Imports	22,100	1,325,900
	Exports	7,000 + 15,100	124,300 + 1,201,600
Bhagalpur Division—			
MONGHYR (preceding week)	Imports	5,200	294,600
	Exports	14,700 —9,500	1,122,600 —828,000

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE —continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

				Week ending 18th September 1897.	30th January to 18th September 1897.
BENGAL—contd.					
Bhágálpur Division—contd.					
BHÁGALPUR (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	.	.	1,421	325,909
	Exports	.	.	23,022	1,023,631
				-21,601	-697,722
PURNA	Imports	.	.	500	116,723
	Exports	.	.	4,700	171,539
				-4,200	-54,816
MALDA	Imports	.	.	100	2,200
	Exports	.	.	...	2,000
				+100	+200
SANTHAL PARGANAS (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	.	.	1,900	246,294
	Exports	.	.	8,200	456,485
				-6,300	-210,191
Rajshahi Division—					
RAJSHAHI (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	.	.	3,600	381,100
	Exports	.	.	600	57,898
				+3,000	+323,202
DINAJPUR (")	Imports	.	.	2,500	64,700
	Exports	.	.	1,500	411,284
				+1,400	-346,584
JALPAIGURI	Imports	.	.	15,400	348,503
	Exports	.	.	400	14,443
				+15,000	+334,060
DARJEELING	Imports	.	.	3,100	162,100
	Exports	.	.	600	6,000
				+2,500	+156,100
RANGPUR	Imports	.	.	4,000	53,700
	Exports	.	.	3,000	80,300
				+1,000	-26,600
BOGRA	Imports	.	.	3,900	61,200
	Exports	.	.	100	297,800
				+3,800	-236,600
PABNA (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	.	.	3,500	275,700
	Exports	.	.	100	22,300
				+3,400	+253,400
Dacca Division—					
DACCA	Imports	.	.	7,200	28,800
	Exports	.	.	1,500	25,000
				+5,700	-3,800
NARAINGANJ	Imports	.	.	...	33,800
	Exports	.	.	400	163,000
				-400	-129,200
MAIMENSINGH (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	.	.	2,199	83,502
	Exports	.	.	...	9,715
				+2,199	+73,287
FARIDPUR	Imports	.	.	10,100	202,200
	Exports	.	.	...	126,500
				+10,100	+75,700
BACKERGANJ	Imports	.	.	300	1,900
	Exports	.	.	...	47,400
				+300	-45,500

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

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[Net exports -].

		Week ending 18th September 1897.	30th January to 18th September 1897.
BENGAL—contd.			
Chittagong Division—			
TIPPERA	Imports	300	47,704
	Exports	300	39,963
		...	+ 7,741
NOAKHALI	Imports	200	700
	Exports . . . . .	...	6,900
		+ 200	- 6,200
CHITTAGONG	Imports	500	599,542
	Exports . . . . .	...	135,020
		+ 500	+ 464,522
Burdwan Division—			
BURDWAN	Imports	3,200	179,400
	Exports	24,600	1,786,300
		- 21,400	- 1,606,900
BIRBHUM	Imports	600	36,200
	Exports	13,100	1,633,500
		- 12,500	- 1,597,300
HOOGHLY (incomplete)	Imports	8,100	111,100
	Exports	1,500	82,400
		+ 6,600	+ 28,700
MIDNAPUR *	Imports . . . . .	...	361,054
	Exports . . . . .	...	1,436,408
		...	- 1,075,354
Presidency Division—			
24-PARGANAS	Imports	800	33,600
	Exports	100	25,900
		+ 700	+ 7,700
NADIA (incomplete)	Imports	6,500	813,300
	Exports	7,300	858,000
		- 800	- 44,700
MURSHIDABAD (preceding week)	Imports	900	65,400
	Exports	5,900	296,900
		- 5,000	- 231,500
JESSORE	Imports	1,000	271,700
	Exports	1,000	70,300
		...	+ 201,400
KHULNA	Imports	200	16,200
	Exports . . . . .	...	34,200
		+ 200	- 18,000
Chota Nagpur Division—			
HAZARIBAGH	Imports	400	203,500
	Exports	400	2,600
		...	+ 200,900
LOHARDAGA	Imports . . . . .	...	4,200
	Exports . . . . .	...	3,700
		...	+ 500
MANBHUM (preceding week)	Imports	2,400	208,700
	Exports	100	7,900
		+ 2,300	+ 200,800
SINGHBHUM (incomplete)	Imports	300	8,933
	Exports	200	48,600
		+ 100	- 39,667
RANCHI (preceding week)	Imports . . . . .	...	3,004
	Exports	5,976
		...	- 2,974

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

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		Week ending 18th September 1897.	30th January to 18th September 1897.
BENGAL—concl'd.			
Orissa Division—			
CUTTACK	Imports . . .	...	2,130
	Exports . . .	3,200	337,106
		—3,200	—334,976
BALASORE	Imports . . .	1,000	22,500
	Exports . . .	26,000	1,168,700
		—25,000	—1,146,200
PURI	Imports . . .	5	2,313
	Exports . . .	2,095	52,713
		—2,090	—50,400
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES—			
Meerut Division—			
SAHARANPUR	Imports . . .	1,374	269,035
	Exports . . .	885	210,798
		+489	+58,237
MUZAFFARNAGAR	Imports . . .	500	217,000
	Exports . . .	18,900	480,400
		—18,400	—263,400
MEERUT	Imports . . .	5,400	324,540
	Exports . . .	23,200	624,159
		—17,800	—299,619
BULANDSHAHR	Imports . . .	300	45,000
	Exports . . .	18,100	793,300
		—17,800	—748,300
ALIGARH	Imports . . .	2,100	157,500
	Exports . . .	32,100	850,000
		—30,000	—692,500
Agra Division—			
MUTTRA	Imports . . .	40	83,247
	Exports . . .	5,554	157,458
		—5,514	—74,211
AGRA	Imports . . .	6,700	543,500
	Exports . . .	11,200	515,900
		—4,500	+27,600
FARUKHABAD (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports . . .	1,800	115,900
	Exports . . .	1,200	26,100
		+600	+89,800
MAINPURI	Imports . . .	100	17,700
	Exports . . .	600	29,700
		—500	—12,000
ETAWAH	Imports . . .	...	66,700
	Exports . . .	600	46,000
		—600	+20,700
ETAH (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports . . .	100	19,400
	Exports . . .	4,100	210,000
		—4,000	—190,600

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—*continued*.

(Indian maunds).

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		Week ending 18th September 1897.	30th January to 18th September 1897.
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES			
<i>—contd.</i>			
Rohilkhand Division—			
Bijnor (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports Exports	5,900 ... + 5,900	233,300 11,000 + 222,300
MORADABAD	Imports Exports	3,900 4,300 —400	209,400 421,700 —212,300
SHAHJAHANPUR	Imports Exports	1,100 2,700 —1,600	94,064 313,042 —218,978
BUDAUN	Imports Exports	100 100 ...	4,500 22,100 —17,600
PILIBIT	Imports Exports	500 700 —200	53,875 79,750 —25,875
BAKELI	Imports Exports	6,300 2,100 + 4,200	181,300 210,300 —29,000
Allahabad Division—			
Cawnpore	Imports Exports	4,000 15,800 —11,800	1,900,900 679,300 + 1,221,600
FATEHPUR	Imports Exports	1,400 29 + 1,371	219,500 3,466 + 216,034
BANDA	Imports Exports	4,200 2,400 + 1,800	647,100 7,000 + 640,100
HAMIRPUR	Imports Exports	2,300 ... + 2,300	152,400 4,500 + 147,900
ALLAHABAD (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports Exports	9,400 1,200 + 8,200	1,248,100 17,300 + 1,230,800
JHANSI	Imports Exports	3,100 700 + 2,400	469,900 19,200 + 450,700
JALAUN	Imports Exports	4,200 100 + 4,100	272,300 15,300 + 257,000
Benares Division—			
BENARES	Imports Exports	19,800 600 + 19,200	645,000 47,000 + 598,000
MIRZAPUR	Imports Exports	2,800 300 + 2,500	239,515 13,363 + 226,152
JAUNPUR	Imports Exports	1,400 ... + 1,400	219,500 43,300 + 176,200
HAZIPUR	Imports Exports	4,800 ... + 4,800	144,800 84,600 + 60,200

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE —continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports —].

		Week ending 18th September 1897.	30th January to 18th September 1897.
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES			
—concd.			
Gorakhpur Division—			
BASTI	Imports . .	100	26,800
	Exports . .	5,100	356,000
		—5,000	—329,200
BALLIA	Imports . .	285	80,986
	Exports . .	900	64,582
		—615	+16,404
GORAKHPUR	Imports . .	5,100	135,200
	Exports . .	1,400	527,900
		+3,700	—392,700
Kumaun Division—			
GARHWAL	Imports . .	...	6,700
	Exports . .	...	...
		...	+6,700
NAINI TAL	Imports . .	600	27,100
	Exports . .	100	84,200
		+500	—57,100
ODUH—			
Lucknow Division—			
LUCKNOW	Imports . .	15,500	506,900
	Exports . .	1,300	87,900
		+14,200	+419,000
UNAO	Imports . .	...	62,200
	Exports . .	...	600
		...	+61,600
RAE-BARELI	Imports . .	1,600	270,600
	Exports . .	500	9,900
		+1,100	+260,700
SITAPUR	Imports . .	200	22,795
	Exports . .	4,200	405,700
		—4,000	—382,905
KHERI (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports . .	...	12,700
	Exports . .	3,200	164,400
		—3,200	—151,700
HARDOI	Imports . .	100	165,900
	Exports . .	300	49,500
		—200	+116,400
Fyzabad Division—			
FYZABAD	Imports . .	200	243,400
	Exports . .	2,400	340,100
		—2,200	—96,700
GONDA	Imports . .	...	199,932
	Exports . .	100	199,200
		—100	+732
BAHRAICH	Imports . .	...	8,810
	Exports . .	3,700	210,500
		—3,700	—201,690
BARABANKI	Imports . .	...	70,200
	Exports . .	9,800	314,900
		—9,800	—244,700
RAJPUTANA—			
JODHPUR	Imports . .	12,330	43,998
	Exports . .	3,132	133,673
		+9,198	—89,675
BIKANER	Imports . .	13,122	207,211
	Exports . .	...	5
		+13,122	+207,206

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 18th September 1897.	30th January to 18th September 1897.
AJMERE-MERWARA	Imports Exports	24,200 3,600 + 20,600	321,300 97,155 + 224,145
PANJAB—			
Delhi Division—			
HISSAR	Imports Exports	5,200 5,300 — 100	1,075,600 98,900 + 976,700
ROHTAK	Imports Exports	200 100 + 100	6,200 4,200 + 2,000
GURGAON (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports Exports	2,700 8,000 — 5,300	109,700 211,400 — 101,700
DELHI	Imports Exports	17,100 13,300 + 3,800	865,400 437,700 + 427,700
KARNAL	Imports Exports	1,500 600 + 900	55,422 54,200 + 1,222
AMBALA	Imports Exports	6,600 2,000 + 4,600	418,300 68,500 + 349,800
SIMLA	Imports Exports	1,400 ... + 1,400	73,200 200 + 73,000
Jalandhar Division—			
JALANDHAR	Imports Exports	2,900 36,900 — 34,000	101,600 9,650 — 804,900
LUDHIANA	Imports Exports	1,200 20,000 — 18,800	122,700 759,200 — 636,500
FEROZPUR	Imports Exports	4,300 20,700 — 16,400	348,000 805,100 — 457,100
Lahore Division—			
MULTAN	Imports Exports	3,600 4,700 — 1,100	192,300 206,700 — 14,400
JHANG	Imports Exports	100 2,200 — 2,100	28,300 174,700 — 146,400
MONTGOMERY	Imports Exports	3,100 1,600 + 1,500	111,100 26,400 + 84,700
LAHORE	Imports Exports	14,400 6,800 + 7,600	490,402 418,201 + 72,201
AMRITSAR	Imports Exports	9,300 13,900 — 4,600	305,000 587,400 — 282,400
GURDASPUR	Imports Exports	800 5,100 — 4,300	61,500 422,418 — 360,918

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 18th September 1897.	30th January to 18th September 1897.
PANJAB—contd.			
Ráwalpindi Division—			
SIALKOT	Imports	1,400	137,900
	Exports	300	61,800
		+ 1,100	+ 76,100
GUJRÁT	Imports	1,900	150,100
	Exports	1,600	34,800
		+ 300	+ 115,300
GUJRÁNWÁLA	Imports	500	121,400
	Exports	4,000	536,400
		- 3,500	- 415,000
SHAHPUR	Imports	1,500	76,200
	Exports	5,800	80,000
		- 4,300	- 3,800
JHELAM	Imports	3,486	217,178
	Exports	1,524	30,104
		+ 1,962	+ 187,074
RÁWALPINDI	Imports	23,800	1,038,551
	Exports	2,000	109,500
		+ 21,800	+ 929,051
Pesháwar Division—			
PESHÁWAR	Imports	3,400	290,700
	Exports	9,000	336,300
		- 5,600	- 45,600
Derajat Division—			
BANNU	Imports	300	7,270
	Exports	2,400	120,157
		- 2,100	- 112,887
DERA ISMAIL KHAN	Imports	300	20,800
	Exports	5,100	225,700
		- 4,800	- 204,900
MUZAFFARGARH	Imports	100	8,001
	Exports	2,900	161,200
		- 2,800	- 153,199
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY—			
Guzerat Division—			
AHMADABAD	Imports	26,300	598,400
	Exports	3,700	350,300
		+ 22,600	+ 248,100
KAIRA	Imports	2,300	214,400
	Exports	3,300	202,800
		- 1,000	+ 11,600
PANCH MAHÁLS (preceding week)	Imports . . . . .	...	17,553
	Exports	4,597	650,741
		- 4,597	- 633,188

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 18th September 1897.	30th January to 18th September 1897.
MBAY PRESIDENCY—contd.			
uzerat Division—contd.			
BROACH	Imports	2,900	380,031
	Exports	2,100	277,266
		+ 800	+ 102,765
SURAT (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	23,900	650,700
	Exports	6,200	215,400
		+ 17,700	+ 435,300
BHAVNAGAR	Imports . . . . .	...	70,874
	Exports . . . . .	...	761
		...	+ 70,113
KATHIAWAR (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	1,770	191,483
	Exports	312	4,709
		+ 1,458	+ 186,774
eccan—			
KHANDESH (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	25,900	1,024,900
	Exports	200	14,300
		+ 25,700	+ 1,010,600
NASIK	Imports	17,400	678,500
	Exports	400	86,700
		+ 17,000	+ 591,800
AHMADNAGAR	Imports	10,500	322,000
	Exports	1,900	73,700
		— 8,600	+ 248,300
POONA	Imports	13,400	1,087,321
	Exports	21,700	46,000
		— 8,300	+ 1,041,321
SHOLAPUR	Imports	12,900	472,700
	Exports	1,400	204,200
		+ 11,500	+ 268,500
SATARA	Imports . . . . .	...	586,837
	Exports . . . . .	...	17,638
		...	+ 569,199
Karnatak—			
BELGAUM (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	19,600	528,400
	Exports	1,800	180,100
		+ 17,800	+ 348,300
BIJAPUR	Imports	30,700	683,800
	Exports	100	14,300
		+ 30,600	+ 669,500
DHARWAR	Imports	12,200	241,433
	Exports	16,300	588,521
		— 4,100	— 347,088
TANNA	Imports	1,200	207,000
	Exports	1,600	337,700
		— 400	— 130,700
KOLABA (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	1,900	126,167
	Exports	1,800	137,320
		+ 100	— 11,153
KOLHAPUR	Imports	10,877	821,031
	Exports	4,704	82,556
		+ 6,173	+ 738,475
KANARA	Imports	100	26,700
	Exports . . . . .	...	126,100
		+ 100	— 99,400
RATNAGIRI (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	7,800	690,300
	Exports	100	22,300
		+ 7,700	+ 668,000

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—*continued*.

(Indian maunds).

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[Net exports -].

		Week ending 18th September 1897.	30th January to 18th September 1897.
SIND AND BALUCHISTAN—			
SHIKÁRPUR	Imports	5,085	148,520
	Exports	49,397	2,139,621
		-44,312	-1,991,101
THAR-PÁRKAR (<i>preceding week</i>)	Imports	9,900	368,000
	Exports	3,500	356,400
		+6,400	+11,600
UPPER SIND FRONTIER	Imports	1,200	27,200
	Exports	700	311,800
		+500	-284,600
HYDERABAD	Imports . . . . .	...	166,600
	Exports . . . . .	...	250,500
		...	-83,900
CENTRAL PROVINCES—			
Jubbulpore Division—			
SAUGOR	Imports	3,200	335,000
	Exports	400	22,160
		+2,800	+312,840
JUBBULPORE	Imports	1,800	445,400
	Exports	2,800	268,400
		-1,000	+177,000
Nerbudda Division—			
NARSINGHPUR	Imports	2,400	203,500
	Exports	500	92,900
		+1,900	+110,600
HOSHANGABAD	Imports	3,200	255,900
	Exports	100	44,800
		+3,100	+211,100
NIMAR	Imports	7,500	271,100
	Exports	700	32,900
		+6,800	+238,200
Nágpur Division—			
WARDHA	Imports	4,000	111,600
	Exports	300	20,800
		+3,700	+90,800
NÁGPUR	Imports	8,500	592,600
	Exports	4,400	126,900
		+4,100	+465,700
CHÁNDA	Imports	100	16,500
	Exports . . . . .	...	71,600
		+100	-55,100
BHANDÁRA	Imports	1,500	390,300
	Exports	3,100	98,100
		-1,600	+292,200
Chhattisgarh Division—			
RAIPUR	Imports	2,500	120,200
	Exports	2,800	510,000
		-300	-389,800
BILÁSPUR (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports	2,400	203,759
	Exports	600	59,298
		+1,800	+144,461
SAMBALPUR	Imports . . . . .	...	13,500
	Exports	10,800	616,600
		-10,800	-603,100

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—continued.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

		Week ending 18th September 1897.	30th January to 18th September 1897.
BERAR—			
East—			
AMRĀOTI	Imports	20,500	352,900
	Exports	600	24,300
		+ 19,900	+ 328,600
West—			
AKOLA	Imports	5,400	260,300
	Exports	2,600	132,600
		+ 2,800	+ 127,700
BULDĀNA	Imports	1,734	51,234
	Exports . . . . .	...	5,000
		+ 1,734	+ 46,234
MADRAS—			
GANJAM	Imports	13,300	182,900
	Exports	700	135,800
		+ 12,600	+ 47,100
VIZAGAPATAM	Imports	20,700	592,200
	Exports	700	40,000
		+ 20,000	+ 551,300
GODĀVARI	Imports	2,900	215,100
	Exports	52,900	1,621,800
		—50,000	—1,406,700
KISTNA	Imports	600	49,674
	Exports	14,500	1,212,807
		—13,900	—1,163,133
NELLORE (incomplete)	Imports	400	26,958
	Exports	1,800	80,904
		—1,400	—62,946
KARNŪL (")	Imports . . . . .	...	132,200
	Exports	1,400	38,800
		—1,400	+ 93,400
BELLARY	Imports	11,800	611,700
	Exports	2,900	155,000
		+ 8,900	+ 456,700
ANANTAPUR (incomplete)	Imports	4,700	139,100
	Exports	2,300	180,500
		+ 2,400	—41,400
CUDDAPAH	Imports	1,200	139,600
	Exports	4,000	117,900
		—2,800	+ 21,700
NORTH ARCOT	Imports	5,500	313,700
	Exports	13,100	681,600
		—7,600	—367,900
CHINGLEPUT	Imports	600	30,000
	Exports	7,400	297,800
		—6,800	—267,800
SOUTH ARCOT	Imports	800	99,500
	Exports	30,900	1,033,300
		—30,100	—933,800

IMPORTS and EXPORTS of FOOD-GRAINS and PULSE—*concluded*.

(Indian maunds).

[Net imports +].

[Net exports -].

				Week ending 18th September 1897.	30th January to 18th September 1897.
MADRAS—<i>contd.</i>					
SALEM (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports . . .	.	.	1,500	42,300
	Exports . . .	.	.	11,400 —9,900	487,500 —445,200
COIMBATORE	Imports . . .	.	.	16,900	373,000
	Exports . . .	.	.	48,700 —31,800	997,200 —624,200
TRICHINOPOLY	Imports . . .	.	.	989	49,714
	Exports . . .	.	.	13,793 —12,804	310,595 —260,881
TANJORE (<i>incomplete</i>)	Imports . . .	.	.	14,600	169,300
	Exports . . .	.	.	144,700 —130,100	4,000,900 —3,831,600
MADURA	Imports . . .	.	.	3,100	98,200
	Exports . . .	.	.	20,600 —17,500	648,100 —549,900
TINNEVELLY	Imports . . .	.	.	29,400	891,700
	Exports . . .	.	.	16,800 + 12,600	786,500 + 105,200
MALABAR	Imports . . .	.	.	25,200	1,822,600
	Exports	7,800 + 17,400	411,400 + 1,411,200
SOUTH CANARA	Imports	600	112,420
	Exports	800 —200	627,590 —515,170

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